Joe Flaherty

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Employment

Experience

Comcast Sports Net Chicago Jan 2015 - Present

Associate Producer

- Produce packages, VOs, SOTs, montages, etc
 Write copy for highlights
 - Log and mark incoming video for later use

Loyola University Chicago Athletic Dept. Oct 2014 - Present

Play-By-Play Announcer

- Cover all home volleyball matches for both the Women's and Men's teams

The Chicago Cubs - Event Operations Mar 2010 - Sept 2013

Event Operations Ambassador Mar 2014 - Present

Security Services Ambassador

- Promote a safe environment at Wrigley Field
- Secure concourse, clubhouses and dugouts
 - Coordinate promo item distribution
 - Monitor the crowd and escort players

Education

Loyola University Chicago

Graduation: May 2014, Cum Laude Major: Journalism (Focus: Broadcast)

Minor: Psychology Cumulative GPA: 3.65

Dean's List: Spring 2012 - Spring 2014 Named the Outstanding Senior in Journalism

Technical Proficiency

Final Cut Pro 7 GV Stratus Avid iNEWS EZ News Adobe Photoshop WordPress

WLS-ABC 7 Chicago

May 2013 - August 2013

Sports Department Intern

- Interviewed players and coaches for soundbites to use for sportscasts.
- Performed one-on-one interview with Bears kicker Robbie Gould.
- Performed on-site standups in the field for practice.
- Logged game tape per week and suggested highlights for sportscasts.

Rambler Sports Locker (Weekly TV Broadcast) Sept 2011 - May 2014 (Click here to view on YouTube)

Producer/Co-Anchor/Floor Director/Reporter

- Directed production crews in the field and in studio. Anchored or participated in show segments. Edited scripts for final copy.
- Sports field reporter. Interviewed athletes and coaches, shot b-roll, and composed stand-up packages.
- Constructed and maintained RamblerSportsLocker.com via WordPress; won the School of Communication's award for Best Website.

The Loyola Phoenix Newspaper

Jan 2012 - May 2014

(Click here to read)

Sports Writer/Columnist

- Covered the volleyball beat for the women's and men's teams; won second place at the 2013 ICPA Awards for a player feature piece.
- Wrote opinion pieces on Chicago sports for my column, "Windy City Mo-Joe," in the Spring of 2013.
- Wrote feature articles, game/season previews and recaps, and opinion pieces on various Loyola and Chicago sports teams.

WLUW Lunchtime News

Jan 2014 - May 2014

(Click here to listen on SoundCloud)

Co-Anchor/Writer/Reporter

- Wrote and delivered copy for a noon newscast every Tues/Thurs on WLUW 88.7 in Chicago; won 2014 SINBA Award for Best Radio Newscast.
- Field reporter on location. Conducted interviews and standups in the field, edited wraps and feature stories in Audacity.

Loyola News Chicago (Weekly TV Broadcast) Jan 2014 - May 2014

(Click here to view on YouTube)

Producer/Co-Anchor/Floor Director/Reporter

- Lead sports reporter. Produced two minute blocks featuring graphics, pre-made and same-day VOSOTs, packages and highlights.
- Floor director and co-anchor. Helped write and edit anchor scripts. Directed in-studio camera crew and audio.
- Field reporter on location. Shot and edited same-day stories. Gathered interviews, b-roll and standups to produce packages.