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## EDUCATION

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Western Kentucky University (WKU)  
Major: Broadcast Journalism  
Minor: Sales Marketing

December 2017 Graduate  
Magna Cum Laude

## WHY HIRE TEMPLE RICKE?

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I possess a people-focused approach that connects with various demographics across all platforms. As an engaging leader with a track record of success, I tackle challenges with a creative, positive, and performance-driven mindset. My on-air presence and effective writing skills are valuable for transforming complex ideas into consumable and engaging reports.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- WZTV Fox 17 News (Nashville, TN): Morning News Reporter Nov. 2020 – Present
- Researches, writes, and executes topical stories for a 5-hour newscast
  - Disciplined leader who performs well under tight deadlines
  - Drives consumer engagement across social media platforms
  - Comfortable in any environment: crime scenes, sports arenas, natural disasters, etc.
- WCBD-TV Count On 2 (Charleston, SC): Anchor and Traffic Reporter Oct. 2019 – Oct. 2020
- Solo-anchored 90-minute newscast and improved overall ratings
  - Kept viewers informed with real-time traffic updates across all platforms
- WCBD-TV Count On 2 (Charleston, SC): Multi-Media Journalist June 2018 – Oct. 2019
- Created content from scratch for a market of 300K plus viewers
  - Produced community-oriented stories to gain 12K personal subscribers
- NBC Winter Olympics (PyeongChang): Productions Associate Feb. 2018 – Mar. 2018
- Trusted to cherry-pick unrivaled content for NBC promos
- ESPN College GameDay (Louisville, KY): Production Assistant September 16th, 2017
- Managed media personnel and provided logistical support

## SPORTS INTERNSHIPS

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Westwood One Radio: New York City  
Wave 3 News: Louisville, Kentucky

May 2017 – Aug. 2017  
Dec. 2016 - Feb. 2017

## NEWSROOM SKILLS

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- EDIUS and Adobe
- WordPress and Storyline
- INEW, ENPS, and Max Traffic System