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WORK EXPERIENCE

July 2008-present: Freelance Writer

Coverage of Penn State football for CSNPhilly.com, Cox Media Group and Fight on State. Coverage of 76ers for The Sports Xchange. Have written for ESPN.com, the Philadelphia Daily News and numerous other outlets.

September 2003-July 2008: Sports Columnist, The Morning Call, Allentown, PA

Primarily responsible for coverage of Philadelphia Eagles. Also responsible for regular columns and features.

December 1981-September 2003: Sportswriter, Lancaster (PA) Intelligencer Journal.

Primarily responsible for coverage of Penn State football, but duties also included coverage of high school and pro sports. Edited copy and laid out pages regularly.

June 1980-December 1981: Sportswriter, Carlisle (PA) Evening Sentinel

Responsible for coverage of local sports

AWARDS

2008: Third Place, United States Basketball Writers Association Awards – Three-part series on Elizabethtown-DeSales men’s basketball game

2007: Honorable Mention, Associated Press Sports Editors -- Column Writing.

2007: Second Place, Keystone Press Awards -- Column Writing.

2003: Second Place, United States Basketball Writers Association Awards -- Game Story on Elizabethtown College’s men’s basketball victory over Cabrini in NCAA Division III Tournament

1996: Third Place, Keystone Press Awards -- Feature Story on Penn State offensive line

1996: Fifth Place, United States Basketball Writers Association Awards -- Feature Story on Penn State women’s basketball coach Rene Portland

1989: First Place, Keystone Press Awards -- Feature Story on Philadelphia 76ers guard Maurice Cheeks

1989: Third Place, Associated Press Sports Editors Awards -- Feature Story on Philadelphia 76ers guard Scott Brooks

ALSO NOTABLE

Co-authored the 2014 book *100 Things 76ers Fans Should Know and Do Before They Die* with Eric Stark and the 2007 book *Pat Williams’ Tales from the Philadelphia 76ers*, with Orlando Magic senior vice president Pat Williams

EDUCATION

B.A., Gettysburg College