# Tim Pham

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### **EXPERIENCE**

# Morning Anchor/Reporter - KREM-TV, SPOKANE, WA

February 2019 – Present

- More than a teleprompter reader, leads people and content across all platforms
- Dynamic on-air presence, trusted to cover and deliver big breaking news stories in a concise and urgent way
- Social media powerhouse, developed large following by providing compelling content and engagement
- Team player on-cam and behind-the-scenes, learn every nuance of newsroom operation to step-in where needed
- DE&I lead of "Let's Talk" group, supporting diverse employees and working to make culture more inclusive
- Build relationships within the community by volunteering, emceeing and attending events
- TEGNA Mentor develop and encourage young journalists within the company to grow in their role
- TEGNA Disinformation Trainer train newsrooms and new hires on how to spot information threats

### Morning Anchor/Reporter - WRCB-TV, CHATTANOOGA, TN

May 2016 – February 2019

- Solo Anchor of Early TODAY and serve as primary fill-in anchor for Chattanooga's #1 morning show
- Devoted journalist with a digital-first mentality for an award-winning newsroom
- Use social media to gain news edge in market and enterprise five stories a week
- Traveled to Panama City, FL and Houston, TX to lead WRCB's hurricane coverage
- Provided LIVE tornado coverage in southeast Tennessee for NBC, TODAY Show, and MSNBC
- Developed my brand on-air and in the community to earn trust and exclusive content

# Anchor/Reporter/Forecaster - KULR/KTMF/KFBB, GREAT FALLS, MT

November 2014 - March 2016

- Anchor/Producer of Good Morning America news cut-ins for central and western Montana
- Report LIVE four times daily for a statewide newscast as a MMJ with LiveU backpack
- Forecast/build shows on Weather Central system and anchor 16 weather cut-ins for three markets in Montana
- Social media leader in market, grew social media followers 40% in one year
- Web stories consistently viewed 50% more than the average page viewed on KFBB.com
- Quickly gain the trust of sources, and enterprise exclusive story ideas

### Meredith-Cronkite Fellow - CBS 5 KPHO - MEREDITH CORP. & ASU, PHOENIX, AZ

January 2014

- One of ten students selected from across the country to participate in a multimedia fellowship
- A weeklong immersion into the CBS 5 KPHO-TV newsroom and the Walter Cronkite School of Communication
- Turned a package on a short deadline (same day), taped a live shot, and anchored an 'A' block

# News Intern - KCNC-TV, CBS O&O, DENVER, CO

May 2013 – August 2013

- Wrote and edit readers, VO's, VOSOT's, packages and publish stories for CBSDenver.com
- Assisted the assignment desk, attend editorial meetings and pitch story ideas
- Went in the field with reporters/photographers, assisted with research and shot stand-ups

### Co-Founder/Chair - MELODY'S MIRACLE, MAPLE VALLEY, WA

November 2010 – Present

- Created an annual fundraiser in my sister's name to support the 'See Ya Later Foundation,' an organization that supports families with terminally ill children
- To date Melody's Miracle has raised tens of thousands of dollars

### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Arts in Communication,

May 2014

# Journalism and Media Production Major, Political Science Minor

THE EDWARD R. MURROW COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION | WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY

### HONORS/AWARDS/INVOLVEMENT

• Asian American Journalist Association Member

2014 -Present

Society of Professional Journalists – Mark of Excellence Recipient

April 2015

NATAS Northwest Chapter – Student Emmy Recipient

June 2014

• Washington State University President's Award

April 2012

### **REFERENCES**

Delaney Gray – KING 5 Morning Executive Producer Callie Starnes – WRCB General Manager/President

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