# PARKER WELCH

SPORTS JOURNALISM AND MEDIA

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# SKILLS

Adobe Premiere, Audition, InDesign

Prosumer camcorders, DLSR cameras

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ENPS News Production System

Padio Board Operation

Interviewing

Live Broadcasting

# EDUCATION

## **University of Florida**

B.S. Journalism Specialization: Sports and Media 2018-2022

# WORK EXPERIENCE

## **Tampa Bay Rays**

#### **Broadcast Production Assistant**

Feb 2023 - Present

Oct 2022 - Feb 2023

- Curate and publish social media content on Rays Radio platforms
- Coordinate and edit audio components for This Week In Rays Baseball podcast
- Utilize research and data tools to provide statistics and insight during live broadcasts
- · Record and edit audio/video components for pre & post-game segments
- Aid in daily interviewing of players, coaches, community members
- Set up broadcast equipment and co-hosted Official Rays Watch Parties

## The Walk On Brand

#### Writer/Editor

- Wrote and published biographies of walk-on athletes that aligned with the brand
- Interview and pursue athletes to fill ambassador roles that foster brand growth

## **PBS WUFT News**

#### Production Assistant

Jan 2020 - May 2022

- Edit and curate sports clips and highlight reels for daily news segments
- Que and edit clips, graphics, titles, and transcriptions within ENPS for live broadcasting
- Assist in teleprompter and camera operation

#### **Sports Anchor**

- · Identify story lines and draft scripts to deliver on live television
- Collaborate with news talent on storyline flow, teaser placement and ad lib input
- · Copywrite and edit script content

## ESPN Gainesville WRUF 98.1 850 AM

#### Beat Reporter

- Write and publish game previews, recaps and features for Florida Gators Baseball and Volleyball
- · Conduct interviews with players and coaches

#### **Content Creator**

- Film and edit game highlights for media package use
- Script and record sport updates and recaps for on-air radio delivery

## Grapefruit Gators MLB Spring Training

#### **Beat Reporter**

Jan 2020 - March 2020

- · Develop content for immersion program through interviews with players, coaches and managers
- · Investigate storylines and write articles for program website

- - Jan 2020 May 2022

Aug 2019 - May 2022