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EDUCATION

2023 - 2025

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

- Master of Science Mass Communications

2017 - 2022

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

- Bachelor of Science Mass Communications & Digital Media
 - Minor in Unmanned Aircraft Systems
 - Minor in Leadership

TEAM SKILLS

- Project Management
- Effective Communication
- Time Management
- Leadership
- Critical Thinking
- Adaptability
- Forward Planning

SOFTWARE SKILLS

- Adobe Suite
- NexGen Automation
- GSelector
- DJB Radio Spider/FTP
- RCS Audio Format Converter
- DJI Products

DAWSON WAGNER

MULTIMEDIA

COMMUNICATIONS

SPECIALIST AND EDUCATOR

PROFILE

Detail-oriented content creator with five years of multimedia/broadcasting experience, and a year and a half of teaching experience in higher education. Successful at working towards deadlines and listening/giving feedback to others. Adept at conducting research, interviews and maintaining multiple things at once. Passionate about helping future generations understand the changing media landscape and utilizing multimedia content as a foundation for building ethical storytelling skills.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Kansas State University** 2023 - PRESENT
Graduate Teaching Assistant
 - Instructed multiple courses, such as Public Speaking, Podcasting Essentials, and Video Production, delivering lectures and leading workshops.
 - Provided feedback, graded assignments, and held office hours to support student learning.
 - Collaborated with faculty to foster creativity and technical skills in media production.
- **Assistant Chief Opeartor** 2023 - PRESENT
Wildcat 91.9 FM - KSDB
 - Manage station equipment, software, and FCC compliance, including NexGen, GSelector, and Adobe Audition.
 - Oversee audio production, train staff, and handle satellite services like NBC News Radio and PRSS.
 - Distribute content via NexGen Automation, monitor streams, and provide voice-over talent.
- **Freelance Videographer/Drone Pilot** 2022 - PRESENT
Wagnair Media
 - Capture aerial and ground footage for real estate, weddings, and promotional content as a Part 107 certified drone pilot.
 - Collaborate with clients to deliver customized video solutions, ensuring adherence to FAA regulations and safety standards.
 - Combine advanced drone technology with storytelling to create unique visual content for Wagnair Media.
- **Television Internship** June 2021 - Aug. 2021
KSNW-TV
 - Wrote and edited scripts while shadowing producers and multimedia journalists (MMJs) at KSN.
 - Assisted in developing news stories and operated cameras for live shots.
 - Gained a comprehensive understanding of news production and reporting in a newsroom environment.