# **Lincoln Burkholder**

# Journalist • Broadcast Engineer • Camera Operator • Broadcaster

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#### **EDUCATION**

The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL | Graduation: May 2025 | Cumulative GPA: 4.0 B.A. Communication | Major: News Media | Minor: Communication Studies | Concentration: Sports Media Accepted to UA Graduate Program Fall 2025: M.A. Journalism & Media Studies

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### Valley Baseball League - Purcellville Cannons

June 2025 - August 2025

### Game Day Media Intern

- Provide play by play and color commentary at live baseball events
- Assist with event coordination, live broadcast production and engineering

# **Crimson Tide Productions (CTP)**

October 2022 - Present

### CTP Camera Operator (October 2022 - Present)

- Provide skilled camera operation across 5 campus venues for television broadcasts for baseball, basketball, football, gymnastics, soccer, softball and volleyball
- Selected as 1 of 9 big screen camera operators at home football games, requiring a trained eye to quickly scan crowds preventing the showing of inappropriate or impermissible clothing, gestures, and signs
- Entrusted to provide reliable and efficient camera operation for SEC Network and SEC Network+ broadcasts
- Coordinate with official ESPN personnel as a camera operator for ESPN broadcasts (ESPN+, ESPNU, ESPN2, ESPN)

### CTP Engineering Team – Broadcast Engineer (January 2023 - Present)

- Work effectively and efficiently as part of a 4-person on-call crew
- Construct and deconstruct production cameras and assemble all equipment necessary for production of live collegiate sporting events
- Quickly diagnose and resolve technical issues as they arise, including connectivity failures, loss of audio and audio bugs

### On-Air Team Member (January 2025 - Present)

- Assist with editing duties
- Assist in filming press conferences
- Contributing writer to show scripts

## WVUA-FM 90.7 The Capstone August 2023 - Present

#### 4th & Goal Podcast Co-host (August 2023 - December 2023)

- Collaborated on a 4-person weekly podcast focused on NCAA football
- Required interpreting data in real time for response and rebuttal with co-hosts

### Student Section: Fantasy Sports Co-host (August 2023 – Present)

- Co-host on weekly live radio show featuring fantasy football
- Research and analyze fantasy football data prior to the live show in preparation for show segments: Top Performers, Biggest Surprises, Biggest Bust, Thursday Night Football Score Predictions Panic or Pause, Must Starts and Must Sits
- Contribute content to the show's Instagram account
- Suggest innovative content to continue the show in the off-season

### Valley Baseball League - Strasburg Express

May 2024 - August 2024

### Media Intern (May 2024 - August 2024)

- Contributing member of 3-person media team at home games; solely responsible for Twitter/X feed during home games
- Utilized Twitter/X to provide fan base with real time key play updates, player substitutions and live scoring
- Composed recaps including player stats for home games for publication on team's Facebook page
- Alternated as the play-by-play commentator for live stream on YouTube and Facebook

### **Other Related Experience**

- May June 2022: Contributing writer for LoCo Sports (the premier news source for high school athletics in Loudoun County, VA)
- November 2019 June 2022: Provided play-by-play and color commentary for Freedom High School's sports radio club. Commentated
  basketball and football on both radio and video feed via NFHS (the leader in streaming Live and On Demand high school sports partnered
  with the National Federation of State High School Associations)
- December 2019: Maintained a personal blog featuring NFL and NBA team previews

#### **ACTIVITIES**

University of Alabama Men's Club Lacrosse (September 2022 – May 2024) Holle Speech Competition (April 2023)