# THOMAS VALENTINE

### **CONTACT**

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### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Avid Media Composer
- Panasonic AG-UX90 4k/HD Professional Camcorder
- JVC ENG Field Camera
- Ross Carbonite Video Switcher
- Wheatstone SP-5a TV Audio Mixing Console

### **REFERENCES**

- Mark Ballard, Freelance Producer/Director, BMC Professor at Onondaga Community College, (315) 420-9432
- Rick Karnath, Director of Broadcasting at St. Bonaventure University, (716) 481-9168
- Aaron Chimbel, Professor and Jandoli School of Communication Dean, St. Bonaventure University, (817) 907-7727

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### PLAY-BY-PLAY BROADCASTER Aug 2021 - Current

Charter Communications/Spectrum, Buffalo, NY

- Called Section VI high school football play-by-play for Charter Communications in the Buffalo, NY, market, and the games were broadcast on Spectrum News 1.
- Previously provided play-by-play for various sports at St. Bonaventure
   University, including basketball, baseball, and lacrosse, which were streamed
   live on the ESPN+ app.

## TALENT/OFFICIAL STATS - FREELANCE Jan 2018 - Current

ACC Network Extra, ESPN, & Raycom Sports, Syracuse, NY

**UTILITY - FREELANCE** Nov 2017 - Sep 2021 MLB Network, Cooperstown, NY

**SPORTS DIRECTOR** Aug 2020 - May 2021

SBU-TV, St. Bonaventure University, St. Bonaventure, NY

- Researched various local and nationally relevant sports stories each week to be covered for SBU-TV Sports, which would air as part of SBU-TV's weekly broadcast.
- Assigned members of SBU-TV Sports, including myself, to cover stories that ranged from packages to voice-overs.
- Reported on and produced the package or voice-over.

### **HOST/EDITOR** Aug 2020 - Nov 2020

Bonnies Insider, St. Bonaventure University Athletics Department, St. Bonaventure, NY

### **EDUCATION**

### BACHELOR OF ARTS - SPORTS MEDIA May 2021

St. Bonaventure University, St. Bonaventure, NY

- Graduated Magna Cum Laude, GPA: 3.88.
- Top 15, 2021 Jim Nantz Award.
- Top 20, 2020-21 William Randolph Hearst Foundation Television News Competition.
- Awarded the Koop Award for excellence in broadcasting.
- Awarded the Paul Wieland Award for excellence in sports media.
- Member, Kappa Tau Alpha: Journalism Honor Society.

### ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE - ELECTRONIC MEDIA COMM. May 2019

Onondaga Community College, Syracuse, NY

- Graduated Summa Cum Laude, (GPA: 4.0).
- Awarded EMC Curriculum Honoree.
- Awarded Wesley P. Valentine Memorial Scholarship.
- Awarded Community Scholars Scholarship.
- Member, Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society