

BARBARA SHARP



Summary of Qualifications

- ❖ TV news reporter, documentary producer/writer (www.barbarasharp.com; www.youtube.com/user/Niagara000777)
- ❖ Licensed attorney (California, Ohio)
- ❖ Served as Commissioner, City of Burbank Transportation Commission
- ❖ Graduate degree, Public Policy & Administration

Select Media Experience

Spectrum News (formerly Time Warner Cable News), Los Angeles County, CA

TV News Reporter

2016-Present

Cover stories regarding litigation, government, elections, aerospace, business and human interest. Build successful relationships with public officials, government agencies, businesses, non-profits and their media staff. (Dalet, FinalCutPro)

LA 36, Los Angeles, CA

TV News Reporter

Present

Cover stories for Los Angeles County channel regarding programs, community, education and culture.

State of Florida/The Florida Channel (PBS), Tallahassee, FL

TV News Reporter

2015-2016

Cover stories regarding the Florida executive, legislative and judicial branches for statewide 24-hour channel on issues including healthcare, gun rights, abortion, immigration and jobs. Build successful relationships with public officials, government agencies, special interests and their media staff. (Avid)

CBS Affiliate, KXMB-TV, Bismarck, ND

TV News Reporter, Anchor, Producer

2012-2013

Cover stories regarding state/local government, oil and gas industries, business, military, healthcare and native Americans. Build successful relationships with public officials, state/local government agencies, energy leaders, businesses, special interests and their media staff. (iNews, FinalCutPro)

Global Science Production, Beverly Hills, CA

Documentary Producer/Writer/Host

2000-Present

<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm1296986/>, <http://www.globalscience.biz/>

Produce, write and narrate TV programming on science, aviation and aerospace topics. (FinalCutPro)

Select Legal Experience

Barbara Sharp, Esq., Burbank, CA

Attorney-at-Law, Litigation Consultant, Legal Video Performer

2012-Present

Represent clients in personal injury, premises liability, toxic tort, medical malpractice, elder abuse, fraud, contracts and entertainment matters. Perform in instructional legal video productions.

Attorneys, Los Angeles County/Orange County, CA

Contract Attorney & Litigation Consultant

2000-2012

Consult for various federal and state civil litigation practices. Work product directly responsible for millions in consumer law settlements.

Magistrate George Howells, Erie County Common Pleas Court, Sandusky, OH

Research Attorney

Oversee discovery and law/motion work for civil and criminal cases. Devise settlement recommendations.

Other Experience

First Energy–Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station, Toledo, OH

Senior Special Programs Coordinator

Write VP's presentations to Nuclear Regulatory Commission. Produce, write and host daily nuclear plant news show. Honored with unprecedented award for outstanding outage support work.

The Autism Channel, West Palm Beach, FL

TV News Reporter

Cover stories concerning autism in the areas of medical research, social issues and worldwide events for international, streaming Internet audience.

KBAK (CBS)/KBFX (Fox), Bakersfield, CA

TV News Investigations, Assistant

Investigate tip line stories. Utilize law background, including legal research skills, as needed for investigative stories and as requested by producers/reporters. Cleared 30-day+ viewer tip line backlog within four days. ENPS experience. (Short-term project/internship)

The Affiliates, Los Angeles, CA

Contract Legal Assistant

Provide legal services for entertainment clients, including Paramount Pictures and Fox Sports.

U.S. Department of Education, Washington, D.C.: White House Liaison Office/Regional Office Intern

Summarize Congressional hearings on issues impacting education; rate resumes for Department appointments; travel to Boston office to assist regional Director; attend education-related White House functions.

National Religious Broadcasters, Morristown, NJ: Media/Public Relations Intern

Write press releases; manage convention press room.

International Media Service, Washington, D.C.: News Assistant Intern

Education

University of Toledo, College of Law - *Juris Doctor*

Jurisprudence Award for Trial Practice; First Energy Corporation Full Tuition Recipient

Northwestern University – Master's Degree

Public Policy & Administration

Nominated/selected as a School of Continuing Studies' Student Ambassador

Liberty University – Bachelor of Science

Major: Political Science; Minor: Broadcast Writing and Performing

Awarded U.S. Department of Education internship, Washington, D.C.; Cheerleading Scholarship

University of Toledo, College of Arts & Sciences

Major: Theatre Performance (degree pending)

International Exchange/Sister City Study Grant Recipient; Ambassador-Performer with Touring Troupe to Hungary and Poland

Memberships/Activities (past & present)

State Bar of Ohio, Licensed

State Bar of California, Licensed

U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio, Licensed

Consumer Attorneys Association of Los Angeles (CAALA), Member

City of Burbank Transportation Commission, Commissioner

The Autism Channel, West Palm Beach - Volunteer

Society of Professional Journalists, Greater L.A. Pro Chapter, Member

Radio & Television News Association of Southern California, Member

SAG-AFTRA, Member

Orange County Fair (CA) - Community Performer (vocalist)

Burbank Temporary Aid Center – Volunteer

Habitat for Humanity, San Gabriel Valley – Volunteer

City of Los Angeles, East Valley Animal Shelter – Volunteer

Union Rescue Mission – Volunteer

Erie County Humane Society – Volunteer

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Producer/Writer Documentary Programming Credits

Producer and Writer:

"Stem Cell Therapy: Biotechnology to the Rescue"
"Fallen Idol: The Yuri Gagarin Conspiracy"
"Lifequest Mars"
"The Art of the Deposition"
"Apollo 8: Christmas at the Moon"
"Jackie Cochran: First Lady of Flight"
"Vladimir Ilyushin: The Real First Man in Space"
"The Cosmonaut Cover-Up"

Associate Producer:

"The Rise and Fall of the Russian Space Program"
"Final Target: Planet Earth"
"Cosmic Travelers: Comets and Asteroids"

Writer:

"Ice Age Civilizations"
"Animal Transgenics: A New Breed of Science"
"Phenomenon: The Lost Archives" (3 episodes)
"Cloning Humans: Playing God"
"Science Fraud: The Price for Fame and Fortune"
"Vanished Creatures: The Birds"
"Made for Mars: The Pathfinder"
"Dennis Murphy: Game-Changer, Sports Innovator"