# Janan Samanta

Sports Broadcaster

# Profile

I am a sports broadcaster with over 1 year of experience in the field. I have worked as a play-by-play announcer, color commentator, and sideline reporter for various sporting events. I am also experienced in live production work and post-game analysis. My broadcasting style is energetic and informative, and my ability to connect with viewers has made me an asset to any team or station I have worked for.

## **Employment History**

#### Lead Sports Broadcaster at WDBJ, VA

May 2022 - Present

- Led a team of 12 sports broadcasters in providing live coverage of sporting events.
- Averaged 30 hours of broadcast per week during football season.
- Assisted in the production of weekly pre-game and post-game shows.
- Wrote and produced daily sports highlights for the evening news.
- Covered 2 Super Bowls, 3 World Series, and 4 NBA Finals.

#### Sports Broadcaster at WSLS, VA

Jul 2021 - Mar 2022

- I increased viewership for the sports show I was broadcasting by 20% through creative and innovative programming.
- I successfully negotiated a new contract with the network that included a significant salary increase.
- I won several prestigious awards for my work as a sports broadcaster, including an Emmy Award and a Peabody Award.
- I served as the lead play-by-play announcer for major sporting events, such as the Super Bowl and the World Series.
- 5)I provided color commentary for nationally televised games on networks such as ESPN and Fox Sports Net. 6)I hosted my own radio talk show about sports which aired on stations across the country.

# Certificates

Certified Play-By-Play Announcer Nov 2020

**Certified Sports Broadcaster** Oct 2019

### Memberships

**National Association of Broadcasters** 

American Sportscasters Association

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## Education

High School Diploma at George Mason University, VA

Aug 2017 - May 2021

I've learned how to study for and write exams, how to do research, and how to read and write critically.

#### Links

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### Skills

Play-by-play announcing

Color commentary

On-camera interviewing

Off-camera writing and producing

Field reporting

Game analysis

Sports knowledge

Languages

English

Portuguese