

# John Dales

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## EDUCATION

### S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications; Syracuse University

- Major: Broadcast and Digital Journalism May 2023
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## EXPERIENCE

### WAER FM

Syracuse, New York

January 2020 - present

#### *Sports Talk Director*

- Work a variety of tasks including: play-by-play, studio host, producer, engineer, and talk show host for Syracuse University football, men's basketball, and lacrosse broadcasts
- Mentor underclassmen by meeting with them weekly to critique their demo sportscasts
- Write and record three on-air sports updates a week
- Promoted to Sports Talk Director from January 2022 - March 2023
  - Direct a staff of 45+ student broadcasters to produce *The Double Overtime* – a live postgame talk show that airs after every game broadcast of Syracuse University Athletics
  - In my tenure, our department's Twitter following has grown by just under 20 percent, and we've brought on a local business as a presenting sponsor for *The Double Overtime*

### Citrus TV

Syracuse, New York

December 2019 - present

#### *On-Air Talent*

- Anchor of *On the Bench*, the flagship show that features every NCAA team on Syracuse University's campus
- Edit, write, and anchor the sports block for the station's daily news show
- Co-host of *No Pulp*, a debate-style show that covers all NCAA sports outside of Syracuse
- Edit, wrote, and anchored a weekly 2-minute news brief segment – *Citrus TV NOW*

### WJPZ FM

Syracuse, New York

January 2020 - present

#### *Sports Staff*

- Play-by-Play broadcaster, studio host, and engineer for high school football, Syracuse University women's basketball, and lacrosse broadcasts
- Write and deliver live, on-air sports updates once a week
- Lead host for a weekly two-hour live sports talk show
- Worked as sports director from January 2021 - March 2022
  - Oversaw day-to-day operations for a staff of 35+ student broadcasters

### Keene SwampBats

Keene, New Hampshire

May 2021 - August 2021

#### *Play-by-Play Broadcaster*

- Lead play-by-play voice for all 44 games the team played on AM 1220 Fox Sports Radio Keene
  - Conducted postgame interviews with players
  - Wrote and produced daily stats sheets, game recaps, and press releases
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## SKILLS

- Experienced with shooting and editing video on CANON XF-705 and Sony PMW-200 cameras
- Proficient in the following video, audio, and photo editing software:
  - Adobe Premiere Pro
  - Avid Media Composer
  - Adobe Audition
  - Adobe Photoshop