

## **Jack Ridenour**

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### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Bucknell University, Play-by-play broadcaster**

August 2022-Present

- Play-by-play broadcaster for NCAA Division I Bucknell University on the Patriot League on ESPN+. Experience commentating women's volleyball, women's lacrosse, men's lacrosse, softball and baseball for Bucknell University. Also in charge of on-air reads for the Patriot League and ESPN.

#### **PAC Sports Network, Broadcaster, Host & Writer**

August 2022-Present

- Play-by-play and color commentator for the PAC Sports Network, covering collegiate athletics for the NCAA Division III Presidents' Athletic Conference and NCAA Division III Carnegie Mellon University. Host halftime shows during basketball broadcasts with both coaches and players that air throughout the season. Also responsible for writing post-game recaps, including the Player of The Game highlight.

#### **Westmoreland Sports Network Broadcaster, Host & Writer**

August 2021-Present

- Broadcaster and writer for Westmoreland Sports Network covering Western Pennsylvania high school athletics and NCAA Division II Seton Hill University Griffins which involves play-by-play and color commentating. Also host weekly athlete features throughout the year and co-host a basketball podcast during the winter. Responsible for weekly featured writing on athletes.

#### **Chatham University, Athletic Department**

October 2017-April 2023

- Main play-by-play and public address announcer for the NCAA Division III Chatham that provides entertaining and insightful play-by-play and color commentating as well as PA announcing.

#### **"Riding the Pine" Podcast Creator/Host**

April 2020-Present

- Founder and creator as well as show host of the sports podcast "Riding The Pine" recording and releasing episodes twice-a-week that include guest interviews. Also run multiple social media pages advertising and marketing the show.

#### **Golden State Media Concepts Baseball Podcast Host**

July 2020-April 2021

- Wrote, researched, recorded and edited weekly baseball podcast covering news, information and insight from the Major and Minor Leagues of baseball on a twice-a-week schedule totaling 76 shows.

#### **Pittsburgh Pirates Baseball Club, PNC Park**

Summer 2018

- Media relations intern for the Pittsburgh Pirates who gathered research for announcers mid-game, handed out gameday documents for team personnel, contributed to in-game scoreboard entertainment such as "This Day in Pirates History" and other duties as assigned.

#### **Washington Nationals Baseball Club, Nationals Park**

Summer 2017

- Washington Nationals intern in the Communications department assisting with a multitude of sectors within department such as promotions, marketing, broadcasting and entertainment.

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## EDUCATION

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| <b>Chatham University</b> , Pittsburgh, PA<br>B.A., Communications | May 2019  |
| <b>Georgetown Preparatory High School</b><br>North Bethesda, MD    | June 2015 |

## COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

### College

|                                  |                             |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Lambda Pi Eta Honor Society      | April 2019                  |
| Cougar Fanatic Award             | April 2019                  |
| Sports Editor, <i>Communique</i> | September 2016 – April 2019 |
| Men's Basketball Team            | 2015 - 2017                 |
| Sportswriter, <i>Communique</i>  | November 2015 - April 2016  |

### High School

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| Men's Basketball Team                           | 2011-2015             |
| Sportswriter and Editor, <i>The Little Hoya</i> | April 2014 - May 2015 |

**Skills:** Windows, Microsoft Office, PowerPoint, Excel, Word, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Photoshop.  
Social Media: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Tik Tok.

### **References:**

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