

# Karli Barnett

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## Experience:

### **Anchor/Reporter, WFOR, Miami, FL**

*October 2018 – Present*

- Anchors weekend evening news & fill-in anchor for weekday evening news.
- Coverage includes live reporting of Surfside Building Collapse, anchoring during Hurricane Dorian, and Super Bowl LIV Special.
- Previously anchored weekend/weekday morning news.
- Weekly Facebook Live and post and interact on social platforms.
- Emmy-nominated feature story “Mario Strong.”

### **Weekday & Midday Anchor, WMAZ, Macon, GA**

*June 2016 – September 2018*

- Anchored Eyewitness News Morning 5:00 – 7:00 a.m., CBS news cut-ins, and Eyewitness News Midday broadcasts Monday through Friday at top-rated station in Central GA.
- Anchored 7-hour live severe weather coverage during Hurricane Irma 2017; 4-hour live snow coverage 2018
- Researched and wrote daily “Straight from the Heart” feature stories.
- Wrote, shot and edited packages for “Rise and Shine Segment.”
- Organized and conducted weekly fitness segment with personal trainer

### **Weekend Anchor, WMAZ, Macon, GA**

*September 2015 – June 2016*

- Anchored and assisted in production of 2 weekend evening newscasts Saturdays and Sundays
- Reported, shot and edited stories 3 days a week.
- Initiated Facebook Live broadcasts.

### **Multi-Skilled Journalist, WMAZ, Macon, GA**

*June 2014 – September 2015*

- Researched, wrote, and produced hard news and feature stories on a day-turn timeline.
- Covered largest county in Central Georgia
- Reported live at David Perdue campaign headquarters during US Senate race in 2014.

## Education:

### **The University of Georgia**

- Graduated Summa Cum Laude. Named one of 16 “Outstanding Senior Leaders.”
- Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, Major: Digital & Broadcast Journalism
- Minors: Communications and Spanish
- Involvement: VP Operations Kappa Delta Sorority, DiGamma Kappa Broadcast Society, UGA Recruitment Team, UGA Miracle.