



# KATIE BENNERT

## SPORTS BROADCASTER

### EXPERIENCE

#### FREELANCE TV BROADCASTER

Boston, MA

##### 2024-Present

- Called games for universities including: Harvard, Boston University, UMass Amherst, Springfield, and MIT
- Broadcasted basketball, hockey, soccer, lacrosse, water polo, swimming and diving, and volleyball on ESPN+
- Broadcasted women's lacrosse on NESN

#### 98.5 THE SPORTS HUB

Waltham, Massachusetts

##### 2024-Present

- Currently serving in a street team position, helping with any events the Sports Hub puts on
- Interned at the flagship station for the New England Patriots, Boston Bruins, and Boston Celtics in 2023 and spoke on air about these teams while learning how to make podcasts, interview professional athletes, and cut and edit audio clips

#### D1 TV SPORTS BROADCASTER

Elon University

##### 2021-2024

- Called men's and women's basketball, men's and women's soccer, lacrosse, and women's volleyball on FloSports TV through Elon Sports Vision (ESV) as both a play-by-play analyst and color analyst
- First woman to ever call men's basketball on ESV as well as the first woman to ever run a season of women's basketball as play-by-play on ESV
- Called the NCAA opening round of the men's soccer tournament on ESPN+ as a color analyst in 2022 as well as the 2022 CAA Championship tournament as both play-by-play and color
- Worked for the Athletics Communications staff for stat recording and social media as well

#### FOOTBALL ANNOUNCER

LEARFIELD

##### 2022-2024

- Called Elon Football for LEARFIELD through the Varsity Sports Network as a color analyst
- Was the first woman to ever call Football at Elon University

#### RADIO ON-AIR TALENT

WSOE 89.3 Burlington

##### 2020-2024

- Called women's basketball on WSOE 89.3 for four seasons as both a play-by-play analyst and color analyst
- Served as the Sports Director in 2023-24 and was the first woman to ever be sports director since it's creation in 1977



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### EDUCATION

#### ELON UNIVERSITY

Graduated with Summa Cum Laude Honors in May 2024 with a B.A. in Journalism. Minored in Sport Management

### HONORS

- Recipient of the Christopher Edwards II Award for Sports Journalist of the Year
- 2023-24 Student Service Award at Elon University
- Member of Kappa Tau Alpha for top 10% of my graduating class
- Member of the National Leadership Honors Society, Omicron Delta Kappa
- President's List (Spring 2021-May 2024)
- Dean's List (Fall 2020)
- 2024 Communications Fellow Scholarship
- Elon Engagement Scholarship Winner

### SKILLS

- Communications
- Broadcasting
- Audio Editing

#### Languages

- English (Fluent)
- Spanish (Proficient)
- Italian (Beginner)

#### Applications

- Excel
- Microsoft Word
- Google
- Premiere Pro