

BESSIE TSIONIS

- HOST** **AUDI OF AMERICA**
Herndon, VA 11/15—5/18
Brand Ambassador for *AUDI OF AMERICA* and host of *AUDI'S* digital series, *INSIDE THE RINGS*. Also fronted internal, company-wide videos as well as exclusive content featured on audiusa.com.
- HOST** **SEARS**
Hoffman Estates, IL 02/15—1/18
Hosted online informational videos for mega-retailer, *SEARS*. Demonstrated “How To” segments assisting consumers while enhancing their shopping experience. Featured videos included *How To Tie a Bow Tie*, *How To Size Your Bike* and *How To Remove Grass Stains*.
- HOST / WRITER** **INTERSPORT**
Chicago, IL 9/09—7/14
Served as fill-in host for the digital entertainment network, *CELEBTV*. Hosted online videos covering everything Hollywood, including breaking entertainment news, fashion, film and television. Covered red carpet events and conducted celebrity interviews. Also fronted special *CELEBTV* content for Diet Pepsi and The CW Network.
- HOST** **HSN**
St. Petersburg, FL 5/13—12/13
Show host for multimedia retailer, *HSN*. Possessed extensive retail product knowledge and sales expertise producing millions of dollars in revenue. Developed exceptional rapport with viewers as well as celebrity guests, industry experts, fashion icons, jewelry designers and beauty brands. *HSN* is broadcast live 24/7 in 96 million homes nationwide and is unscripted.
- HOST / PRODUCER** **COMCAST**
Chicago, IL 2/09—5/13
Covered red carpet events, conducted celebrity interviews and fronted marketing campaigns for *COMCAST* and *XFINITY* on demand. Contributed special event coverage for *COMCAST NEWSMAKERS* and hosted the Emmy Award winning magazine show, *PRIME TIME CHICAGO*.
- HOST / PRODUCER** **AXS-TV**
Los Angeles, CA 5/12—12/12
Interviewed celebrities, musicians and comedians for the national entertainment program, *AXS LIVE*. Also booked talent and produced packages for the live show as well as hosted special event coverage and concerts for the network.
- CORRESPONDENT / PRODUCER / WRITER** **WFLD-FOX**
Chicago, IL 8/11—4/12
Contributed weekly entertainment reports for *GOOD DAY CHICAGO*. *BESSIE'S HOT SPOTS* covered latest happenings, events and celebrity sightings around town. Wrote and produced segment content.
- CORRESPONDENT** **NBC UNIVERSAL**
Chicago, IL 12/09—9/11
Contributed weekly segments and special event coverage for the national lifestyle show, *1st LOOK*. Reported on the city's fashion, food, nightlife and entertainment scenes. Also hosted marketing projects and client campaigns for Caribou Coffee and Pepsi on behalf of *NBC CHICAGO*.

**REPORTER /
PRODUCER / WRITER**

CN8, THE COMCAST NETWORK

Boston, MA

1/04—1/09

Driving force in development, launch and production of the Emmy Award winning program, *BACKSTAGE*. Conducted celebrity interviews, covered red carpet events, reported on lifestyle stories, fashion trends and music scene. Responsibilities included daily reporting, writing scripts and producing packages for the live, nightly entertainment news show. Also hosted network special projects including annual New Year's Eve extravaganzas originating from Universal Orlando Resort.

**SEGMENT PRODUCER /
WRITER**

E! ENTERTAINMENT TELEVISION

Los Angeles, CA

11/00—11/03

Arranged and conducted interviews, wrote scripts, researched show topics and supervised edit Sessions for the E! TRUE HOLLYWOOD STORY. Mastered programs in post, ordered acquisition and maintained budget. Supervised crews and directed talent.

EDUCATION:

EMERSON COLLEGE, Boston, MA

B.S. Broadcast Journalism