

Christel Bell

Anchor/Investigative Reporter

EXPERIENCE

2024-Present	<u>KNXV</u>, Phoenix, AZ. Consumer Investigative Reporter Anchor
2020 – 2024	<u>WDAF</u>, Kansas City, MO. Main Anchor
2017 – 2020	<u>WMBF</u>, Myrtle Beach, SC Morning Anchor
2014 - 2017	<u>WMBF</u>, Myrtle Beach, SC 4 p.m. Anchor
2010- 2014	<u>KTRE</u>, Pollok, TX 5,6,10 p.m. News Anchor/Producer
2009- 2010	<u>KTRE</u>, Pollok, TX Video journalist
2006 - 2009	<u>KTRE</u>, Pollok, TX News Producer
2004- 2006	<u>KTRK</u>, Houston, TX Production Assistant

EDUCATION

2000-2004	Bachelor of Arts Undergraduate Studies University of Houston, Houston, Texas Major: Broadcast Journalism; Minor: Corporate Communication
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AWARDS and HONORS

- 2025 NABJ Authors Showcase Award Recipient
- 2024 International Impact Book Awards – Inspiring/Motivational Children's Book
- 2023 Kansas City's People's Choice Award, "Best News Reporter"
- 2023 Friends of Yates Donald D. Sewing Prestigious Service Award
- 2023 Sisters in Christ Voice of Impact and Community Inspiration Award
- 2022 NATAS Mid-America Emmy Nomination (Diversity, Equity and Inclusion) – "Red Tails Legacy Taking Flight"
- 2022 Missouri Broadcasters Association (News Feature) – Remarkable Women Series
- 2020 RTDNAC (News Feature) – "Once Lost Now Found"
- 2019 Myrtle Beach Wave of Praise Gospel Fest, Media Award
- 2018 Southeast Emmy Nomination (Historic/Culture) – "Slaves In Their Own Words"
- 2018 RTDNAC Breaking News – Cherry Grove Fire, First Place
- 2018 RTDNAC Special Report – School Safety Community Town Hall
- 2018 Associated Press South Carolina, Best Daytime Newscast, First Place
- 2018 Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Phenomenal Woman Award
- 2018 SC African American Heritage Commission Preserving Our Places in History Award
- 2011 Top Ladies of Distinction "Woman Who Make it Happen" Humanitarian Award
- 1999 Black McDonald's Operators Association of Greater Houston/Houston Area Urban League Black History Maker of Tomorrow Award