

CHIEF PHOTOGRAPHER - KTUU

Description

About Gray Television:

Gray Television is a leading media company that owns and operates high-quality stations in 113 television markets that collectively reach 36 percent of US television households.

We constantly strive for excellence. Through upgrading to the latest technology and seeking new ways to stay on top in our markets, we focus on training and development of the best and brightest employees in the business.

About KTUU:

KTUU-TV is an NBC-affiliated television station based in Anchorage, Alaska. KTUU-TV's early beginnings date back to 1953. Over the ensuing decades, the station has built a reputation of excellence as Alaska's most watched news source, producing 32 hours of news and sports content each week on television. Online, AlaskasNewSource.com has become a digital news leader, and our mobile News and Weather applications are on the leading edge of mobile journalism in Alaska. Strong reach and brand loyalty are augmented by added distribution to the state's capital and more than 244 rural communities throughout Alaska. KTUU-TV also operates KYES, Channel 5.

Learn what it's like to work for KTUU, watch our video: <https://bit.ly/3wcurtb>

Job Summary/Description:

Alaska's News Source is looking for a Chief Photographer with proven management experience to assist with the mentorship and supervision of our photojournalist staff, photography gear, vehicles, and broadband equipment. The Chief Photographer is also responsible for shooting and editing video/sound for broadcast, digital and social media platforms on a daily basis. The ideal candidate will have a positive attitude, a strong desire to develop the visual storytelling capabilities of our staff, a proven record of producing award-winning content and teams, and be energized daily by a high-paced news environment.

Duties/Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- * Responsible for the supervision and training of photojournalist staff
- * Maintenance of all photography gear, broadband/bonded cellular live devices (Dejero, LiveU or similar)
- * Management, assignment, and oversight of station vehicles belonging to the news department
- * Regular communication and coordination with the Engineering Department for gear and vehicle maintenance, repair, insurance certification, etc.
- * Responsible for shooting and editing video and sound for broadcast and publication on all of

the station's multimedia platforms.

- * Must display a high competence and proven skillset in videography and video editing, including journalistic and ethical integrity
- * Must be capable of gathering news independently or as part of a team
- * Driving a company vehicle and/or operating station's microwave van, as assigned
- * Posting content on station's digital platforms and editing digital video
- * Regular travel as assigned for news coverage
- * Other duties as assigned

Qualifications/Requirements:

- * 5+ years experience as a videographer and video editor (previous experience as a Chief Photographer preferred)
- * Must hold a valid driver's license and a good driving record
- * Must be willing to work flexible hours and a variety of shifts including but not limited to mornings, afternoons, late nights, holidays, weekends and possible overtime hours
- * Meet tight deadlines and work well under pressure
- * Must have the desire to be at work during big breaking news, weather coverage, and special events
- * Must be able to stand, sit, lift/carry up to 50 lbs. and capable of working in all outdoor elements, as assigned

*Qualified, interested applicants may go to <https://gray.tv/careers#currentopenings>, you may type in the job title, station call letters, or click on "**apply now**", upload your resume, cover letter and references*

(Current employees that are interested in this position can apply through the **Gray-TV UltiPro employee portal**)

KTUU-TV/Gray Television Group, Inc. is a drug-free company

Additional Info:

Gray Television provides equal employment opportunities (EEO) to all employees and applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability or genetics. In addition to federal law requirements, Gray Television complies with applicable state and local laws governing nondiscrimination in employment in every location in which the company has facilities. This policy applies to all terms and conditions of employment, including recruiting, hiring, placement, promotion, termination, layoff, recall, and transfer, leaves of absence, compensation and training.

Gray Television expressly prohibits any form of workplace harassment based on race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, national origin, age, genetic information, disability, or veteran status. Improper interference with the ability of Gray's employees to perform their job duties may result in discipline up to and including discharge.

Gray Television encourages all new employees to be fully vaccinated against the coronavirus virus prior by the first workday

Qualifications

Experience

Required

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Licenses & Certifications

Required

Drivers License