

**Broadcaster's Workshop Agenda**

Friday September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**12:00-12:30 PM Registration**

**12:30-12:40 PM** Welcome – Brian Hutton Jr., President – East Mississippi Chapter of the NWA/AMS  
Bruce G. Thomas, Vice President – National Weather Association

**12:40 – 1:00 PM** Micah Harris, Meteorologist – WAKA, Montgomery, AL  
All About Your Future

**1:00 – 1:20 PM** Reynolds Wolf, Meteorologist – CNN, Atlanta, GA  
Perfecting the Live Shot

**1:20 – 2:00 PM**Carolynn Grimes, Placing and Coaching Specialist – Talent Dynamics, Irving, TX  
Winning Techniques to Land Your First Job

**2:00 – 2:20 PM** James-Paul Dice, Chief Meteorologist – Fox 6 News, Birmingham, AL  
Landing A Job and Career Planning

**2:20 – 2:30 PM Break with Snacks**

**2:30 – 2:50 PM** Mary Wasson, Meteorologist – WTVQ, Lexington, KY  
The Changing Landscape of Broadcast Meteorology

**2:50 – 3:10 PM** Grady Dixon, Assistant Professor – Mississippi State University  
Are there other "Tornado Alleys?" A spatial-statistics analysis of tornado paths in the United States

**3:10 – 3:30 PM** Chad Entremont - NWS Jackson, MS  
Successful Warning Strategy for a Long Track Tornado and Effective Use of the Tornado Emergency Wording During the 24 April 2010 EF-4 Tornado Event

- 3:30 – 3:50 PM** Jared Allen - NWS Jackson, MS  
Spatial, Topographical, and Socio-Economic Analysis of the 24 April  
2010 Long-Track Mississippi EF-4 Tornado
- 3:50 – 4:20 PM** James Spann, Chief Meteorologist – ABC 33/40, Birmingham, AL  
Severe Weather Coverage
- 4:20 – 4:30 PM** **Closing Remarks** – Reynold Vandewege, Director of Broadcast  
Meteorology Program – Mississippi State University