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Fox 61 News Anchor to Speak at Eastern

Willimantic, Conn. – Rebecca Stewart, news anchor for the “Fox 61 Morning Show,” will speak at Eastern Connecticut State University on March 25. Stewart’s presentation will be held at 10 a.m. in the Women’s Center, located in the Arthur L. Johnson Wing of the Student Center. Stewart will discuss juggling family, career and the demands of being a journalist. The public is invited. Admission is free.

Stewart began her career at Fox 61 in 2003 as a weekend anchor for “Fox 61 News at Ten.” Prior to Fox 61, Stewart worked for WSLN Newschannel 10, in Roanoke, VA., where she reported and anchored the morning show and the noonday news. Before her position in Virginia, Stewart served as an assistant reporter to the “Buenos Aires Herald,” the only English newspaper in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Stewart received her master’s degree at Northwestern University’s Medill School of Journalism. As part of this program, she was a freelance reporter for several stations across the country while based at the school’s Washington, D.C. bureau. She filed stories for KNOE-TV/Channel 8 News in Monroe, LA; WHO-AM Radio in Des Moines, IA; and NY-1 News in New York City. She also received her bachelor’s degree in communication and theatre arts from the University of Pennsylvania.

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