JOHN R. LEAHY

Play-by-Play Broadcaster

EXPERIENCE



UMass Lowell Hockey *Division 1, Hockey East*

Radio Hockey play-by play Broadcaster (October 2024-present) - Lowell, MA.

Radio play-by-play for each UMass Lowell men's hockey game home and away on 980 AM (WCAP) and online via the River Hawks sports network. Responsible for play by play, board operation, media interviews, and other functions as needed.



Merrimack College Hockey Division 1, Hockey East

TV and Radio play-by-play Broadcaster (October 1995-March 2024)- North Andover, MA.



Radio play-by-play voice of Men's Hockey from Oct. 1995-Mar. 2022. Television voice of men's and women's hockey from September 2022 to March 2024 on ESPN+. Board operator, director and producer for all online radio games in addition to play by play for men's games.



Lowell SpinnersBoston Red Sox Low A Affiliate



Radio play-by-play voice of Lowell Spinners professional baseball from 2011- 2019. All games home and away covered on WCAP 980 AM in Lowell.



Providence College Hockey *Division 1, Hockey East*

Radio play-by-play of Providence College men's hockey on the Friars radio network, 2022-23 season to the present.



University of New Hampshire Hockey Division 1, Hockey East

Television play-by-play of UNH Men's hockey on ESPN+, February 2023.



Northeastern Men's Hockey Division 1, Hockey East

Radio play-by-play of Northeastern Men's Hockey on 98.5 The Sports Hub's streaming platform in December 2021.



Florence Freedom Baseball Independent, Frontier League

Radio play-by-play of Florence Freedom baseball (2010) on WNKR 106.7 FM in Florence, KY.



Kalamazoo Kings Baseball Independent, Frontier League

Radio play-by-play of Kalamazoo Kings baseball (2008-2009) on WKZO 1660 AM and online streaming in Kalamazoo, MI.



North Shore Spirit Baseball Independent, Can-Am League

Radio play-by-playfor North Shore Spirit Baseball from May 2005 to September 2007 on WESX 1330 AM and WWZN 1510 AM.

EDUCATION

Connecticut School of Broadcasting (2005) University of Massachusetts, Boston, B.A., Psychology, 1989

SKILLS

Polished, competent play-by-play professional.

Board operation with the ability to produce and self direct all aspects of radio broadcasts independently. Excellent communicator with strong writing proficiency, including blogs, podcasting, and maintaining a solid social media presence.