

Application for Certified Broadcast Meteorologist (CBM)



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Please complete both page of this application and mail, fax, or email to the above address. Incomplete applications or unsigned applications will be returned, causing processing delays. Return the completed application along with the fee of \$330 (AMS Members); \$660 (non-members) and a copy of your college/university transcript. The application fee does not include a separate examination charge of \$60 paid directly to the test center. Checks should be made payable to AMS. If paying by credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express), please include the credit card number and expiration date in a cover letter or on a separate sheet of paper. Upon receipt of your application, the Chairperson of the Board of Broadcast Meteorologists will contact you with further instructions.

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY TRANSCRIPTS MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION OR PROCESSING WILL BE DELAYED.

☐ I wish to submit my weathercasts in Spanish and have them evaluated by the AMS standing Board of Spanish-language evaluators. I understand that I must supply an English transcript with my DVDs as part of the application process and that all written communication will be done in English.

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Stage Name

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Station

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Years on-air at THIS station

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Station Address

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Station City

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Email Address

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News Director's Email Address

AMS Membership

AMS Member: yes ____ no ____.

Educational Background:

All candidates and reapplicants must meet the current CBM applicant criteria at the time of submission of their application or reapplication. Applicants must hold a bachelor's degree or higher in meteorology or atmospheric sciences in order to apply. **COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY TRANSCRIPTS MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION.** Those applicants, who are not Members of the AMS, must not only submit transcripts but also complete resumes demonstrating sufficient educational background to meet the current CBM applicant criteria.

College/University	Major	Minor	Type of degree	Date degree conferred Month/year
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Experience in Broadcast Meteorology:

Please indicate employment history in broadcast meteorology.

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Total years of on-air experience

Current Station Information (if applicable):

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Name of Program	Frequency of Program - times per week (avg.)

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Usual days of appearance	Air Times of Program (indicate am and/or pm)

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Average content time of weathercasts (total minutes and seconds)

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Special reports or other related features aired on a regular basis

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Equipment you have available for forecast and weathercast preparation

I affirm that I am the person solely responsible for the collection, analysis, interpretation, forecast, and presentation of all weather information provided. I am also the creator, or directly supervise, the generation, selection, and order of all graphics and imagery used.

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Date:	Signed:

Office use only:	Date of CBM Exam: _____	Score: _____
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