

# NEWS from STUDIO ONE

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## MINNEAPOLIS NATIVE IS THE SPORTS ANCHOR FOR AWARD-WINNING PROGRAM

Swanson hosts sports segments on *Studio One*

**GRAND FORKS, N.D.** — Minneapolis, Minn. native, Eric Swanson, is an intern at the University of North Dakota's award winning television show, *Studio One*. During four semesters with the program, Swanson has held positions as a sports reporter and sports anchor. This semester he is the assistant news director in addition to his on-air sports anchoring position. As assistant news director, Swanson leads the news and sports reporting teams and assigns stories. He also conducts interviews, edits video, writes scripts and anchors sports segments. As a student leader, he is a member of the *Studio One* Board of Directors and Executive Council which are leadership groups within the project that focus on improving the program. Swanson says he's learned about more than just television during his internship. "*Studio One* has taught me everything from time management to technical knowhow," he explains. "[This experience] has helped me not only as a person, but as a professional."

Swanson has received the *Studio One*'s Recognition of Excellence award for his hard work and dedication to the program. In addition to his internship accomplishments, he was also on the Dean's List.

Swanson is the son of Sandy Swanson-Walters of Minneapolis, Minn. and will graduate in May with a degree in Communications. He says his *Studio One* internship will help him in his career endeavors. "I plan on being creative and passionate with whatever I do," he adds. After graduation, he plans to work in the television industry.

*Studio One* is an award-winning news and information program produced at the University of North Dakota Television Center. The program airs at 11 a.m. Wednesday on Channel 6 in Minneapolis. The program can also be seen by viewers in Grand Forks, Fargo, Bismarck/Mandan and Minot, N.D.; Denver, Colorado Springs, Colo.; and Winnipeg, Manitoba. The show can also be seen online at [www.studio1.und.edu](http://www.studio1.und.edu).