

Broadcasting Testimonials

“For someone who is relatively new at broadcasting hockey play-by-play, Carmine has displayed a knack for calling a game that is well ahead of more seasoned veteran announcers. His playing experience at the Junior and College levels only adds to the broadcast in a positive manner, as not too many play-by-play announcers have the playing background that Carmine possesses. He is only going to grow as a broadcaster with more reps and experience and has a promising future in this business.”

Phil Giubileo
Director of Broadcasting
Bridgeport Sound Tigers – American Hockey League

“Your stuff sounds great! You do a really nice job, which is hard to do especially when working by yourself. Keep up the great work!”

Chris King
Radio Broadcaster
New York Islanders – National Hockey League

“Overall, I thought it was more than solid. You are light-years ahead of a lot of broadcasters your age.”

Mike O'Brien
Color Commentator, Communications Coordinator
Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins – American Hockey League

“It usually isn't hard to pick out the interns who really get it, the one who'll be an NHL team's employee in a few years. From the start, Carmine Vetrano looked like one of those in Bridgeport. Friendly and confident, Carmine was a bright addition to the Sound Tigers' broadcasts and to the crew that supported the media relations staff. He shone even brighter when he suddenly became the team's top media contact late in the season. He balanced his personal responsibilities with the demands of a team on a playoff run, and kept both his head and his positive attitude.”

Mike Fornabaio
Bridgeport Sound Tigers - Beat Writer
Connecticut Post

“Carmine is a very enthusiastic, resourceful person who accepts any challenge and always gets the job done. It is a pleasure working with him knowing that you can always depend on him.”

Dave LaPoint
Field Manager/Director of Baseball Operations
Rockland Boulders – Can-Am League

“Carmine is a solid young play-by-play announcer with strong knowledge of hockey. He would be an outstanding addition to any organization.”

Steve Penstone
Director of Broadcasting
Penn State University Iceers – NCAA

“Carmine's preparation, professionalism and performance makes him a great fit for any organization. He's aggressive in pursuing what he wants, and his persistence is second to none. He's able to raise the expectations of those working with, and gets great results out of everyone. It's no surprise to me that Carmine earned Broadcaster of the Year Honors in the Federal Hockey League.”

Nick Gagalis

Radio Broadcaster

Providence Bruins – American Hockey League

“I'm impressed by Carmine's natural ability and his dedication to constantly improving. He is extremely proactive about reaching out for advice and implementing it. His drive and determination are clear, and I look for great things from him over the coming years.”

Donny Baarns

Director of Broadcasting

Visalia Rawhide (California League); Fresno Monsters (NAHL)

“Carmine was a dedicated worker whenever I saw him when the Whale/Wolf Pack played the Sound Tigers. I know that he was often tasked with doing the work of probably several people at once and he handled it very well. Carmine is a professional, who would be an asset to any organization.”

Brian Ring

Game Day Supervisor

Connecticut Whaler – American Hockey League

“I have worked with Carmine for two years in the Federal Hockey League. I have found him to be an excellent broadcaster and a fine hockey analyst. He strives to be the best in all he does and this is reflected in his team both on and off the ice. His weekly show for the FHL is without a doubt the finest in minor league hockey.”

Jerry Deno

Director of Game Night Operations

Danbury Whalers – Federal Hockey League

“I always admire what a positive, upbeat attitude you have. You are a good example for many. Keep up the great work.”

Jon Chelesnik

CEO & Founder – Sports Talent Agency of America

ESPN-Los Angeles Radio Host

“Working with Carmine was always a pleasure. Carmine was always professional, very well prepared and a great resource when covering the Vermont Mountaineers. It was always great to see him in the press box at Joe Wolfe Field or Recreation Field and I feel that our broadcasts together were always top-notch.”

Rick Zmudien

Director of Media Relations & Broadcasting

North Adams SteepleCats – New England Collegiate Baseball League