



Kim Covington  
2014 Media Award Winner

Kim Covington has been an anchor, reporter and education advocate for KPNX 12 Phoenix News for nearly ten years. Whether it's New York's Rockefeller Plaza and Education Nation, the US Marine Corp boot camp in San Diego or Secretary of Education Arne Duncan's office at our nation's capitol, Kim will go anywhere and do just about anything to tell a great, often times emotional story. Along with Phoenix, Kim's career spans from Springfield, Missouri and Grand Rapids, Michigan to her hometown St. Louis, Missouri.

She is the recipient of several awards including the Judge Jean Williams Service Award, the Arizona School Public Relations Association Award of Excellence, four Emmy Awards for excellence in reporting, and several Associated Press awards for uncovering a dark secret in Springfield, Missouri. That series on race relations called , "Ebony in an Ivory Tower" sparked community forums and was also later broadcast as a special on PBS.

Kim enjoys giving back to her community. She is Honorary Chair of 2014 Brain Injury Alliance of Arizona's Bowling for Brains. She serves on the Board of Directors for the Children's Museum of Phoenix and serves on several committees including the Arizona Community Foundation. The wife and mother of two is a graduate of University of Missouri - Columbia where she earned a Bachelor of Journalism degree from the prestigious School of Journalism.