

Bob Costas
Sportscaster

Bob Costas is currently a host and announcer for MLB Network as well as a contributor to CNN. Previously, he worked for NBC for almost 40 years.

From 2001-2018, Costas co-hosted NBC's coverage of the Kentucky Derby and co-hosted more than a dozen runnings each of the Preakness Stakes and Belmont Stakes, including the Triple Crown victories by American Pharoah and Justify.

Costas served as NBC's primetime host for a U.S.-television record 11 Olympic Games - every Olympics on NBC since 1992 - before passing the torch to Mike Tirico in February 2017.

Beyond NBC Sports, Costas' work on his late-night interview program *Later with Bob Costas*, his contributions to NBC News, and his appearances on HBO and the MLB network are part of a resume that spans more than 40 years in network television. Costas has hosted six Super Bowls, and either hosted or called play-by-play of seven World Series and 10 NBA finals.

Costas has been honored as Sportscaster of the Year by the National Sportswriters and Sportscasters Association (NSSA) a record eight times, and was the youngest to receive such an honor when he won the award in 1985. Costas was inducted into the NSSA Hall of Fame in June 2012 and was inducted into the broadcasters' wing of the Baseball Hall of Fame in 2018. He has won 28 Emmy Awards and is the only person to have won Emmys in Sports, News, and Entertainment.