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EXPERIENCE

The New York Times, New York, NY and Seoul, South Korea Aug 2021–Present
News Assistant, Seoul newsroom

- Write 90 news items on mass shootings, Covid, Ukraine, elections, Abe assassination
- Author five enterprise stories on South Korean hospitals, conscription, politics
- Reported on the Koreas, Japan, China, Singapore, Canada, South Asia, the U.S.

News Assistant, coronavirus tracking team Aug 2020–Aug 2021

- Contribute to the team awarded the Pulitzer Prize for Public Service in 2021
- Track coronavirus case and vaccination counts via phone, email and web searches
- File over 100 FOIA requests for data from universities and health departments

The Cornell Daily Sun, Ithaca, NY Mar 2017–Aug 2019
Senior Writer; Assistant News Editor

- Authored high-performing breaking news stories and investigative features
- Managed over 15 writers while engaging with readers and training new reporters

WRFI Community Radio, Ithaca, NY Sept 2018–Feb 2019
News Intern

- Reported, wrote and produced sound-rich audio stories for daily news program
- Co-hosted the evening news show, booked and interviewed guests, ran sound board

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, College Scholar, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY May 2020

- *Summa cum laude* graduate, *Phi Beta Kappa* member
- Studied German literature at the Free University of Berlin in spring 2019

SKILLS

Languages: Korean (fluent), German (professional)
Microsoft Office, Adobe Audition, Hindenburg Journalist, Avid Pro Tools, InDesign, Photoshop, HTML, CSS, WordPress, MailChimp

AFFILIATIONS

Asian American Journalists Association