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**EXPERIENCE**

**Axios,** Arlington, VA **Sep. 2022-Present**

*Editorial Fellow, World*

**Report** bothbreaking and enterprise stories with Smart Brevity style, including a review of China’s past decade under President Xi Jinping, exploitative labor conditions in China’s Belt and Road Initiative projects, and grassroots organizing following China’s White Paper Movement.  
**Develop** a beat around demographic trends in developing countries and **produce** related stories, including China’s workforce challenges amid population decline, India becoming the most populous nation, and a UN report on an aging world.

**Produce** a special project called “Chinese people going global,” which explores how Chinese people’s growing mobility has been reshaping many industries.

**Appear** on Axios Today podcast to discuss China’s COVID-19 surge and implications of demographic changes in Asia.

**Meet** regularly with Axios managing editor for world news and China reporter for story ideas and collaborations.

**Radio Free Asia,** Washington, DC **Apr. 2018-Aug. 2022**

*Reporter, Mandarin Service*

**Interviewed** prominenthuman rights defenders and grassroots activists in China.

**Wrote** dailystories for radio and web on deadline, as well as feature stories on press freedom, human rights, coronavirus, U.S.-China relations, etc.

**Produced** enterprise stories and exclusives, such as the case of a U.S. citizen arbitrarily detained in China, a Chinese rights lawyer who became wanted abroad, an interview with a former deputy mayor of a Chinese city who fled to the U.S.

**Conducted** studio and field shoots for regular programs.

**Produced** contents for social media, including Twitter and Facebook.

**Voice of America,** Washington, DC **Jun. 2017-Aug. 2017 & Jan. 2018-Apr. 2018**

*Intern, English News to Asia team*

**Interviewed** experts on news and trends in Asia and **wrote** stories for radio.

**Produced** Facebook Live shows in-studio and on-site, as well as social media videos.

**Assisted** the anchor with breaking news coverage through research and outreach.

**China Daily,** Beijing, China **Jun. 2014-Aug. 2014**

*Intern, Features Department*

**Wrote** feature stories on 2014 FIFA tourism and drone hobbyists.

**Conducted** research for staff reporters on various social and cultural stories.

**EDUCATION**

**CUNY Graduate School of Journalism,** New York, NY **M.A. Dec. 2017**

International Reporting Concentration

**Pennsylvania State University,** University Park, PA  **B.A. May 2015**

Journalism, Jewish Studies minor

**SKILLS**

**Hardware:** Marantz PMD 661, Canon EOS 70D, Canon C100, Nikon D7200

**Software:** Adobe Premiere Pro, Photoshop, InDesign, Avid Pro Tools, Audacity

**Languages:** Mandarin (Native), English (Fluent), Cantonese (Basic)