

# Ashley Yeonwoo Lee

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## EDUCATION

**Northwestern University, Medill School of Journalism and Integrated Marketing Communications** Evanston, Illinois  
*Bachelor of Science in Journalism and Political Science, expected December 2024* | **Cumulative GPA: 3.878/4.0**

**Oxford University** Oxford, England

*Politics Student, September - December 2023*

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## EXPERIENCE

**Northwestern Political Science Department**, Evanston, IL

**Farrell Fellow**

*June 2024 – present*

- Researched people and organizations related to corrupt court cases in Chicago using 8 databases.
- File FOIAs to various government departments and record requests to courts and the National Archives.
- Write detailed reports and narratives on the people researched,

**Fines and Fees Justice Center**, New York City, NY

**Communications Intern**

*March 2024 – June 2024*

- Researched the impact of fines and fees from the criminal justice system across the US.
- Worked on curating an Instagram page to increase the organization's digital presence.

**The Daily Northwestern**, Evanston, Illinois

*September 2021 – present*

**Digital Managing Editor**

*January 2024 - March 2024*

- Responsible for supporting 10 multimedia-related desks.
- Edits from three to five scripts or final cuts four times a week.

**Reporter**

*September 2021 - present*

- Reach out to people and make relationships with sources.
- Research and write articles for the city, campus and arts and entertainment desks for Evanston.
- Filmed, edited and produced two videos.

**Video Desk Editor**

*December 2022 - April 2023*

- Held weekly meetings to maintain budget and help reporters craft story ideas.
- Edited seven video scripts and video for all video reporters throughout the quarter.

**The Oxford Student**, Oxford, England

**Podcast Host**

*September 2023 - December 2023*

- Recorded 30-50 minute episodes per week.
- Built relationships with diverse student groups on campus to highlight on the podcast.
- Edited weekly episodes alongside other hosts and podcast editors.

**Rainbows for All Children**, Evanston, Illinois/Remote

*June 2022 - September 2022*

**Social Media/Journalism Intern**

- Created seven social media posts for Instagram, Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.
  - Researched grief's impact on children and on mental health in different communities.
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## COURSEWORK

**Israel/Palestine Reporting Class**, Northwestern University, Medill, Evanston, Illinois

*March 2023 – May 2023*

- Traveled to parts of Israel and the West Bank, spoke with politicians, settlers, refugees and residents on the Israeli-Palestinian conflict and took photos.
  - Wrote three stories about the separation barrier, representation in the Israeli media and a comparison between the lives of East Jerusalem residents and the Israeli settlers.
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**SKILLS**

AP Style, WordPress, Adobe (Premiere, Photoshop, Lightroom) Microsoft 365 Suite, Canva, Python  
Language: English (fluent), Korean (fluent), Spanish (intermediate)