

# Feixu Chen

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## EXPERIENCE

### THE BERKELEY BEACON

January 2024 – Present

*Staff Photojournalist*

- Applied creative and technical skills to produce visually compelling imagery that aligned with editorial and artistic standards.
- Delivered over ten polished photo essays and feature articles for both digital and print publications under tight deadlines.
- Independently conducted interviews with a diverse range of sources, including public figures, community members, and subject matter experts.

### THE PAPER SHANGHAI

May 2024 – August 2024

*In-depth News Intern*

- Collaborated in weekly brainstorming meetings to pitch innovative story ideas, contributing to the development of impactful editorial content.
- Conducted thorough fact-checking and research to co-author investigative stories, ensuring journalistic integrity and accuracy in all reports.
- Conducted interviews and reported on news events with speed and precision, delivering timely and accurate coverage of breaking stories and in-depth features.

### ASIAN AMERICAN JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION

April 2024 – May 2024

*Reporting Mentee*

- Being selected as one of the 23 students from 12 countries out of 129 applicants to participate in this mentorship program.
- Pitch my idea. I individually conduct research, interview, and write the article [*The unlucky fifth: How Chinese students cope with a tough job market*].
- Work with the staff editor from The New York Times South Korea Bureau to help me finalize my article.
- Attend the N3 conference in Singapore, introduce my article to peers, and make connections.

### WHDH-TV

January 2024 – May 2024

*7 News Special Project Department Intern*

- Act as the primary gatekeeper for three viewer phone tip lines, handling investigative and consumer reports.
- Conduct comprehensive computer research to support ongoing stories for consumer and investigative segments. Involved in data review, spreadsheet management, and assisting in data analysis as required.
- Accompany producers and reporters on television shoots, learn the intricacies of conduct interviews

and collect supportive video content for stories.

**BOSTON INSTITUTE OF NONPROFIT JOURNALISM**

September 2023 – May 2024

*Reporting Intern*

- Interview, write articles and peer-edit for BINJ and Horizon Mass.
- Attend weekly staff meetings, seek pitches.
- Contribute to a series of stories about the Cambridge city unhoused situation.

**EDUCATION**

**Emerson College, School of Communication**

Boston, MA

*Bachelor of Science in Journalism (BSJ), Political Communication, Public Relation Minor*

*Graduating May 2025*

Relevant Coursework: Photojournalism, Law & Ethics for Journalists, Algorithm News

**SKILLS, MEMBERSHIPS & COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Proficient with:** Adobe Lightroom/Premiere Pro/Photoshop, Final Cut Pro, WordPress/Wix

**Fluent in:** English, Mandarin

**Professional Membership:** Asian American Journalists Association, Society of Professional Journalists

**Volunteering:**

Medical Provider – Shanghai International Marathon/Boston Marathon

2019 - Present