

# Ergene Kim

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## Education

**Princeton University**, Princeton, NJ / Class of 2023

A.B. in English, *cum laude*

Certificates (Minors) in Asian American Studies, French, Gender & Sexuality Studies

Relevant Coursework: **Literature** (Imagining New York: The City in Fiction, Making & Remaking Fiction, Feminist Futures: Contemporary SF by Women, Literary History, Coming-of-Age Literature, Graphic Memoir, Literature & Medicine, Milton, Modern Fiction, Global Novel, Touching Books, Wounded Beauty, American Television)

## Experience

*Contributing Writer*, **Marcus Harris Foundation**, Virtual Internship (2018)

*Staff Writer*, **Mindfray**, Virtual Internship (2018-2019)

- Wrote some fun articles! Shared my thoughts & passions with the world:
  - “My Literary Journey to Europe — Part 1: England”

*Tutor*, **Ringle**, Virtual Tutoring Network (2021-ongoing)

- Tutoring native Korean speakers & helping them improve their proficiency in English

*Research Assistant*, **Celebrity Nation: How America Evolved into a Culture of Fans & Followers** by **Landon Jones** (former managing editor of *People*), Political Novel (2022)

- Published by Penguin Random House (May 9, 2023)

*Translator*, **Princeton University Language Project**, free translation services to nonprofits & NGOs (2023)

*Conservation Assistant*, Princeton’s **Firestone Library**, Department of Conservation & Preservation (2023)

*Manuscript Editor*, **Moon Press**, Princeton’s first student-run publishing press (2022-2023)

*College Application & Essay Consultant*, **Next Admit**, editor & reviewer at EdTech company (2023-ongoing)

## Activities & Awards

Sejong Korean Scholars Program of SPICE

- Stanford Program on International & Cross-Cultural Education

Leadership

- Princeton Pianists Ensemble: Alumni chair (2020-2022), Music director (2022), Tour manager (2023)
- Good Samaritan Letter from Princeton University (2020, 2023)
- Peer Health Advisor: Leader of the Sleep Intervention Team
- Princeton Students for Reproductive Justice: Core Volunteer
- Community Action: Freshman Orientation co-leader (2021)

Video/Film

- 2nd Place, NJ Press Foundation “Online Video,” Daily Princetonian (2021)
- “Humans of Princeton” video series, Daily Princetonian (2021-2022)

Extracurriculars

- Student Friends, Friends of the Princeton University Library
- Asian American Students Association, “Big” (mentor) for multiple AASA families
- Daily Princetonian, Princeton’s only daily students news publication, News & Video section

Edward H. Tumin Prize — “awarded to a student in the Department of English who has demonstrated the best appreciation of the English language and its effective use in written composition” — senior thesis (2023)

## Publications

Numerous publications in literary journals & magazines: *Plum Tree Tavern* / *Scarlet Leaf* / *NJ Live Poets Society* / *America Library of Poetry* / *Eskimo Pie* / *Anti-Heroic Chic* / *Literary Yard* / *What Rough Beast*

## Skills

Languages (3): English & Korean (fluent), French (ILR Level 4)

Video Production, Video Editing, Copy Editing, Manuscript Editing