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## SERENA SOLIN

### EDUCATION

**Columbia College at Columbia University** New York, NY  
GPA: 3.91 (Dean's List) August 2012 - May 2016  
English & Creative Writing (Double Major) BA expected May 2016  
**Relevant Coursework:** Intermediate Fiction, Advanced Fiction, Advanced Poetry Workshops; Victorian Poetry; American Literature since 1945; First Person Seminar; Virginia Woolf Lecture; Literary Texts, Critical Methods; Postmodern Poetries

**Dwight-Englewood School** Englewood, NJ  
GPA: 3.87 (Honor Roll) September 2005 - June 2012

**Awards and Honors:** Luisa Costanza Platt Award for Excellence in Writing; Senior Focus Project Award; Cum Laude Honor Society; Math, Science, Technology Award

### EXPERIENCE

**Dystel & Goderich Literary Management** New York, NY  
**Intern** January 2014 - Present  
Read unsolicited manuscripts, perform administrative tasks, write reader's reports and summaries, maintain communications with authors

**4x4 Magazine (formerly Quarto)** New York, NY  
**Events & Outreach Editor (09/13 - Present)** September 2012 - Present  
Coordinate and host bimonthly literary events, maintain communication with administration and other groups, research and apply for grants  
**Staff Editor (09/12 - Present)**  
Read and discuss submissions prior to publication

**Alpha Delta Phi Literary Society** New York, NY  
**Literary Chair (05/13 - Present)** January 2013 - Present  
Put together a zine of members' work at the end of the semester, coordinate and host biweekly literary events for members, coordinate open events with other publications  
**Columbia University Order of Omega: Nu Omicron Chapter (03/14 - Present)**

**The Eye** New York, NY  
**Fiction Editor** January 2014 - Present  
Select and edit fiction pieces for biweekly publication

### SUMMER

**Summer Institute of the Gifted** Princeton, NJ  
Assisted teachers in SAT English and Creative Writing classes, responsible for 9-17 year olds in a dorm setting on a daily basis July 2013 - August 2013

**Paris Then and Now** New York, NY  
Columbia's Creative Writing Study Abroad program in Paris June 2013 - July 2013  
Participated in writing workshops, reading seminars, and French class

**Dwight-Englewood IT Department** Englewood, NJ  
Maintained classroom technology, reprogrammed all Tablet PCs for incoming students, cleaned and repaired classroom projectors June 2012 - August 2012

### PUBLISHED IN

**Columbia New Poetry** February 2014  
"Turn Now to the Sister," "Postcards from the Farm"

**The Newer York** September 2013  
[www.theneweryork.com/three-dead-dogs-part-1-serena-solin/](http://www.theneweryork.com/three-dead-dogs-part-1-serena-solin/)

**The Eye** April 2013, January 2013  
"For Petra," "The Morrow House"

### SKILLS

**Proficient in:** MS Office (Word, Outlook, Excel, etc.), iWork (Pages, Keynote, etc.), and social media (Facebook, Twitter, Wordpress); types 125 words per minute; first year Japanese