



# Brianna Fisher

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## EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 2020-PRESENT  
Candidate for B.A. in Criminology, Minor in Survey Research and Data Analytics  
GPA: Cumulative 3.88  
Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School, Parkland, FL. 2016-2020  
GPA: Weighted 5.37 / Academic Core 4.44 / Cumulative 3.99

## EXTRA CURRICULAR

- **Program on Public Opinion Research and Election Studies Fellow (Spring 2022)**  
*Working with Jessica Huseman and the Votebeat team to collect data, work on research projects, help file bulk records requests, and make this information usable and understandable for journalists*
- **Leader of the First Year Leadership Board at Penn Hillel (2021/22)**  
*Plans and conducts general board meetings, leads the social committee meetings, and acts as the point person for the freshmen on the social committee*
- **Tutor for the West Philadelphia Tutoring Project (2021/22)**  
*Tutors an eighth grader in reading, social studies, and research methods*
- **Research Assistant under Dr. Maria Cuellar in Penn's Criminology Department (Summer 2021)**  
*Worked with Professor Cuellar to study forensic toolmark identification and distinction, completing research on previous toolmark literature and legal rulings*
- **Intern at Jewish Heritage Programs (Summer 2021)**  
*Reached out to alumni in order to create a memory book of JHP history, conducted interviews of JHP alumni, organized information and transcripts*
- **Senior Advisor to Communications & Press Lead for MyVoteProject (2020/21)**  
*Made final decisions on all communication-related information, ran press team, writes press releases and one pagers, runs special projects*
- **Intern at Rossen Law Firm (Summer 2019 and 2020) & Paid Writer (2019/20)**  
*Attended court, wrote and filed motions, subpoenas, and notices on behalf of our clients, spoke to State Attorney's Offices and Police Departments, wrote over 100 case results, sat in on client meetings and depositions*
- **Member of Ted Deutch's Congressional Youth Cabinet (2019/20)**  
*Discussed solutions to pressing issues facing Americans and the policymaking and decision-making of Ted Deutch in the U.S. House of Representatives*
- **Editor-In-Chief Eagle Eye Newspaper (2019/20 & 2018/19)**  
*Made all decisions regarding the newspaper, edited all print and online stories, covered local and national on the scene events*

## AWARDS HONORS

- AP Research Paper on Public Defenders Published in the *Journal of Student Research* (2020)
- Honorable Mention by Pulitzer Prize Committee (2019)
- Pacemaker Winner for the Eagle Eye Newspaper (2018, 2019)
- NSPA Courage in Journalism Award for the Eagle Eye Newspaper (2018)
- Gold Crown Winner at Columbia Scholastic Press Association (2018, 2019)
- Contributor / Published Author: *We Say: NEVER AGAIN*
- Contributor / Published Photographer: *Parkland Speaks*
- Guest Writer for *The Guardian*, *Elle*, and *Good Morning America* (2018, 2019)
- Panelist at Twitter Headquarters (2018)
- Panelist at the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention (2018)

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Training in R Studio
- Adobe Illustrator and InDesign
- WordPress, Trello, Slack