

Lucy Tobier

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EDUCATION

Swarthmore College | Swarthmore, PA

Sep 2022 – May 2026

Candidate for B.A. in economics and in English; *Cumulative GPA*: 3.85/4.0

WRITING AND EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

The Phoenix | Swarthmore, PA

Sep 2022– Present

Chief Copy (May 2023-Present), News Reporter (Sep 2022-May 2023)

- Managed the editing process of a 40+ person staff to establish style guidelines and produce a weekly print paper.
- Reported on campus and local events, such as student activities and Chinatown advocacy, through interviews and data research.

The Communicator | Ann Arbor, MI

June 2019 – June 2022

Editor-in-Chief (June 2021-June 2022), News Editor (June 2019-June 2021)

- Led and trained a 60+ staff to produce a daily website covering news, arts, and features.
- Designed and maintained a national award-winning website using WordPress, including video and multimedia pieces.
- Reported on school and city events, including government meeting coverage, breaking investigative pieces and in-depth profiles.

Youth Journalism International | Remote/Global

Feb 2020 – May 2022

Senior Reporter (May 2021 – May 2022), Reporter (Feb 2020 – May 2021)

- Reported on national stories from a local lens, such as pandemic lockdown impacts and youth voter turnout.

Michigan Radio (National Public Radio) | Ann Arbor, MI

Feb 2020 – May 2022

Producer (September 2019 – May 2020), Social Media Intern

- Produced and recorded Kids These Days, a podcast on youth issues, specifically mental health reporting.
- Created behind-the-scenes Instagram and Twitter content using Adobe tools.

LEADERSHIP

International Relations Club, Vice Chair | Swarthmore, PA

- Planned debates and talks, planned and led meetings encouraging student discussion of foreign policy.

Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners, Youth Councilmember | Ann Arbor, MI

- Advocated for Washtenaw County youth interests, such as mental health resources.
- Attended Board of Commissioners meetings to report on findings of county youth issues and learn about local government structures and initiatives.

AWARDS

- Michigan Interscholastic Press Association Student Staff (2022), National Scholastic Press Association Pacemaker (2022), Columbia Scholastic Press Association Gold Crown (2022)

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- *Technical Skills*: WordPress, copyediting, interviewing, InDesign and layout, data and economic research, AP-style writing, audio and social media reporting
- *Interests*: Fencing, international relations, library volunteering