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Portfolio: <https://jeffcheungcy.journoportfolio.com/>
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Summary:

Previously a reporter for the Annie Lab newsroom, a fact-checking project at the Journalism and Media Studies Centre at the University of Hong Kong (HKU Journalism) in collaboration with ANNIE (Asian Network of News & Information Educators), a not-for-profit educational organization registered in Hong Kong.

Skills:

- Photojournalism
- Videography
- Policy implementation research
- Policy analysis
- Research
- Microsoft Office proficiency
- Multilingual (English, Cantonese, German, Mandarin)
- Political geography
- Industry-level social media knowledge

Experience:

Freelance Photo-/videojournalist • Freelance

Hong Kong • June 2019 to Present

Unity Amidst Division: Reflections of a young journalist in Hong Kong

<https://jeffcheung4.medium.com/unity-amidst-division-deebdefd5f06>

Documenting the 2019-2020 Hong Kong Protests. Primary shot video footage to sell on Newsflare, but also provided footage of the protests to a third-party content managing app called "SnappersX", where I was shooting under the CNN banner.

Reporter • Annie Lab, HKU Journalism

Hong Kong • June 2021 – August 2021

Videographer • VICE News

Hong Kong • June 2021 – July 2021

Production Assistant • Channel 4

Hong Kong • December 2020 - February 2021

Digital Media Intern • APV

Hong Kong • January – February 2021

Responsibilities included video editing, translation, transcription, subtitling, creating 30th anniversary logo design, and digitizing archived Betacam SP tapes.

Production Assistant • Al Jazeera English, Al Jazeera Media Network

Hong Kong • August 2019 to September 2019

Assisting in the production of Al Jazeera's award-winning current affairs documentary programme "People and Power", the two-part series "Hong Kong's Summer of Defiance" finished production and aired on the Al-Jazeera Network in September. Considered for an award under "best documentary" in the Human Rights Press Awards.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l_mZLitD7x8&v=en

Radio Show Host

XpressionFM 87.7 • September 2018 – January 2019

Alex and Jeff "Indie" Morning, Breakfast show from 8am to 10am on Thursdays

Private Tutor – Humanities

Freelance, Hong Kong • July 2018 to October 2019

Offered one-on-one academic support to students studying the IB, A Level, and GCSE syllabuses. Subjects include History, Geography, Politics, and Global Politics (IB only). Part of my job as a private tutor is to understand each student's unique strengths and identifying their individual weaknesses to be able to adapt and find a workaround for any difficulties they might be facing in certain subjects/topic areas. I also offer advice for prospective university students writing personal statements.

Accomplishments:

Featured in the Foreign Correspondents' Club Photo Exhibition:

"Wall Exhibition – Young Lenses: Protest and Pandemic Photographs by students of Hong Kong University and Baptist University", 17 May 2021 – 31 May 2021"

Education:

Master of Journalism

2020-2021 • The University of Hong Kong

- *Reporting and Writing*
- *Video News Production*
- *Digital Media Principles and Tools*
- *Writing and Producing for TV News*
- *Data Journalism*
- *Media Law and Ethics*
- *Podcasting and Audio News*
- *Reporting Global Affairs*
- *Digital Media Entrepreneurship*

Bachelor of Arts – History and International Relations

2017 – 2020 • The University of Exeter • United Kingdom

- *Graduated with Second Division First Class Honours (2:1)*

IB Diploma Programme • German Swiss International School

Hong Kong • 2015-2017

- *7 points in History HL*
 - *Coursework: 2000-word thesis on Chinese intervention in the Korean War.*
- *Extended Essay: B*
 - *4000-word essay on General Douglas MacArthur's downfall over the course of the Korean War.*

Extra-Curricular:

Assistant Ball Hockey Coach •

German Swiss International School Hong Kong • August 2017 to May 2019

As an alumnus of the school ball hockey team, I provide support to the coach of the Ball Hockey team. My responsibilities are mainly organising goaltender training as well as assisting with the training of the defensive line during drills and skirmishes.

Team Captain – German Swiss International School

24 Hour Race • Hong Kong • October 2016 to April 2017

Leading both the Co-ed and boys' team, I was responsible for coordinating between the school and the coordinators of the race, and organising fundraising and logistics within the teams. GSIS Co-ed team came in first place in the Co-ed section (fourth place overall), and the GSIS Boys team came in second place overall. I was also a co-organiser for a panel discussion with human rights experts, working with a team captain from another school. The panel was presented by CNN in April 2017 as part of the #MyFreedomDay movement.

Basketball Coach • German Swiss International School

Hong Kong • August 2014 to June 2016

Responsibilities included the training of youth players, reserve team member development, planning and management of training sessions, coaching of the first team, and leading first teams in interschool games.