

## Eden Dee Leavey

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### **EDUCATION**

2017 - present: **The American School in London**, London, UK

- Relevant coursework: AP English Language, AP English Literature, AP Spanish Language, AP Spanish Literature, AP United States History, AP European History, AP Statistics, AP Biology, Independent Study: Choreography & Movement
  - Cumulative GPA: 3.78
  - Honor Roll (2020 - 2022)

2023: **Boston University Academic Immersion (AIM)**, Boston, USA

- Creative Writing - fiction, poetry, and screenplays (July 2023)

2022: **JEA/NSPA Fall National High School Journalism Convention**, St. Louis, USA

- Redesign Seminar, various journalistic and leadership sessions

2021 - 2022: **The School of The NYTimes Summer Academy**, New York, USA

- Fundamentals of Editing: Producing the Paper (July 2022)
- Photojournalism as Art (August 2021)
- Immigration in New York: Law/Journalism/Culture (June 2021)

2021 - present: **Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance**, London, UK

- Centre for Advanced Training in ballet, contemporary, hip hop dance and choreography

### **EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE**

- [The Standard](#) (2020 - present)
  - Print Editor-in-Chief (2023 - present)
  - Features Editor: Print (2022 - 2023)
  - Culture Editor: Print (2021 - 2022)
  - Environmental Columnist (2020 - present)
  - Staff Writer (2020 - 2021)
- Sustainability Council (2020 - present)
  - Co-President (2023 - present)
  - Director of Sustainable Fashion Show (Fall 2022)
  - Co-Media Manager (2022 - 2023)
  - Blog Manager (2021 - 2022)
- Co-Founder, Feminist Literature Book Club (2022 - present)
- Presenter, Aequitas Week Workshops on social justice topics (2021 - 2023)
- Dance Captain, Middle & High School Musicals (2017 - 2022)

### **RECOGNITION**

- National Honor Society inductee (2023 - present)
- Student Ambassador (2020 - present)
- [Journalism](#)
  - Quill & Scroll: The International High School Honor Society inductee (2023 - present)
  - 2024 *Private School Journalism Association Contest* Second Place, Designer of the Year
  - 2024 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Third Place, Design: Portfolio of Work
  - 2024 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Second Place, Blogging "Environment, Explained:"
  - 2024 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Second Place, News Feature
  - 2024 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Certificate of Merit, Single Subject News or Features Spread
  - 2024 *Student Press Association National Awards* Finalist, Best Newsmagazine Design
  - 2023 *NSPA Individual Awards* Finalist, Digital Story of the Year

- 2023 *NSPA Individual Awards* Honorable Mention, Blog Category
- 2023 *Private School Journalism Association Contest* Features Writer of the Year
- 2023 *Headliners in Education* Best Food Story “Counting calories: UK implements law mandating menu labels”
- 2023 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Second Place, Personal Opinion: On-campus issues
- 2023 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Third Place, Photo Slideshow
- 2022 *JEA National Student Media Contests* Honorable Mention, Press Law and Ethics
- 2022 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* First Place, Personal Opinion: On-campus issues
- 2022 *CSPA Gold Circle Awards* Second Place, Blogging
- 2022 *Best of SNO*, “Mary Bracht illuminates forgotten injustice of comfort women in ‘White Chrysanthemum’”
- 2021 *NSPA Best of Show* Fifth Place, Blog Category
- Dance
  - Shift Dance Company Grant recipient (2022 - 2023)
  - Semi-finalist *Choreomission* competition (2021 - 2022)

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

2023 - present: **The American School in London**, London, UK

- Performing Arts Department Student Assistant
  - Middle School musicals: Student Director of High School Musical, Co-Choreographer of Newsies, Assistant Choreographer of Finding Nemo

2021 - present: **Shift Dance Company at The Place**, London, UK

- Company dancer
  - Rehearse, choreograph and perform with industry professionals in company works
  - Collaborate with company members to develop individual and group pieces

2018 - 2020: **DBA Youth Performance Company**, London, UK

- Senior company dancer
  - Rehearse and perform Balanchine repertoire, variations and new works
  - Instruct classes for younger dancers and lead junior company rehearsals

## **SKILLS**

- Adobe: Competent in Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign
- Writing: Proficient in composition, journalistic style, prose, poetry, etc.
- Contemporary dance: Fluent in Graham, Horton, Cunningham and Release techniques
- Ballet training: Fluent in Vaganova, Balanchine and Royal Academy of Dance methods