

**Jenny Jacoby** 

Editor-in-Chief of The Miami Hurricane

# Portfolio

News: Sigma Alpha Epsilon faces hazing allegations after video surfaces

Feature: Sorting through the noise: How microbiome science launched health influencer culture and how 20-year-olds can make sense of it all

Alan Dershowitz defends Israel and his reputation at UM amid online controversy

Miami Wilds, the not-so-wild water park interrupting critical habitat, faces community opposition

# Jennifer Jacoby

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### University of Miami

B.A. Political Science & Ecosystem Science and Policy; Minors in Arabic Studies and History

GPA 4.0, Isaac Bashevis Singer Full-Tuition Scholar, Foote Fellow Honors Program, President's List 2021-Present

#### **RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

#### The Miami Hurricane - University of Miami Student Newspaper

Editor-in-Chief

- Lead the editorial board and staff of over 100 contributors through daily publication and oversee bi-weekly print editions by assigning stories, editing all stories, and finalizing layout.
- Initiated the redesign of all social media platforms, the newsletter, and news website gaining thousands of followers.
- Manage relations with University President, Deans and student body through regular meetings.

#### Senior Staff Reporter

- Report breaking news and write features on campus controversies, the environment, and local and international politics.
- Featured on national news outlets for investigative reporting and have bylines in the Miami Herald, WLRN, Coconut Grove Spotlight.

#### Washington Report on Middle East Affairs

Summer Intern Writer

- Wrote over 15 features and recaps of political conferences, familiarizing myself with political magazine writing.
- Interviewed leading business moguls and philanthropists in the Middle East.
- Enhanced political research skills and made connections with several NGOs and D.C. think tanks.

#### National Council on US-Arab Relations

Summer Intern

- Engaged in over 20 seminars with leaders in international politics, including diplomats to draft weekly write ups.
- Spoke with top embassy representatives and ambassadors from Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, and Qatar on current events.

#### Research Assistant for Ecosystem Science and Political Science Departments

Critical Discourse Analysis with Dr. Julia Wester - Current Honors Thesis Project

Coded 100 years worth of articles from the Miami Herald to determine how discourse has changed in regards to the environment, specifically Biscayne Bay

Human Rights Research with Dr. Henry Green

Crafted an audio-visual archive of the migration of Sephardi Jews through the 20th century in "Sephardic Voices."

# LEADERSHIP INVOLVEMENTS

#### Miami Model United Nations

- Debate international issues at global conferences utilizing advanced research techniques, public speaking, and networking. President's 100 - Tour Guide Nov. 2022-Present
- Lead tours of the University of Miami campus for prospective students and their families.

# NATIONAL AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

•	ACP Clips & Clicks Best Editorial, 1st	Aug. 2023
•	Apple Awards Crisis Coverage, Honorable Mention	March 2024
•	CMA Pinnacle Awards Newspaper Photo Spread Design, 2nd	Oct. 2023
•	ACP Best of Show Newspaper, 8th	March 2024

#### SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Arabic (intermediate), Adobe InDesign, copy editing, ArcGIS, Microsoft Office Suite, MATLAB, Google Workplace

Advanced scuba diving, running, the Miami Dolphins and Heat, 70's rock, romantic comedies

Coral Gables, FL Expected May 2025

April 2023 - Present

August 2021 - Present

Miami, FL

### Washington, D.C.

#### May 2023 - Oct. 2023

#### Washington, D.C. May - July 2023

Miami, FL

Sep. 2021- May 2023