

# Ari Ephraim Feldman

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## *Summary*

Versatile and collaborative narrative expert with seven years in news media reporting groundbreaking investigations; producing for video, audio and social media; and presenting in live broadcasts.

## *Skillset*

- Quickly synthesize data and information
- Ghostwriting and branded copywriting
- Decisive and composed under deadline pressure
- Deep instinct for eye-catching narratives
- Sharp, fast editing
- Seasoned interviewer of people of all backgrounds
- Proficient in Spanish and Hebrew
- Proficiency with MS Suite, Adobe Suite and CMS

## *Education*

### **University of Chicago**

April 2017

A.B. History of Science with Honors

*Thesis:* The “Anthropocene” is the proposed geological age marked by human-caused climate change. The debate over when that age began has breached the barrier between science and history.

## *Experience*

### **Spectrum News NY1**

*Reporter*

January 2021—present

- Top reporter on environment and resiliency, from major development projects to rising climate risks
- Contributing to market-leading coverage of politics, COVID-19, public safety and housing
- Articles consistently produce top metrics for views and engagement across multiple platforms
- Featured weekly in live television broadcasts for flagship morning and primetime politics shows

### **The Forward**

*Staff Writer*

April 2018—December 2020

- Leading coverage of COVID-19, America’s racial reckoning, politics and breaking news
- Investigations focused on sexual misconduct, institutional financial impropriety and Jewish culture

*News Writer*

June 2017—April 2018

- General assignment with a focus on antisemitism, obituaries and breaking news

**Freelance** — Branding consultant, Amie Gross Architects

August 2018—October 2019

- Developed and wrote all copy for AGA’s redesigned website and for corporate communications
- Created narrative branding to relaunch AGA’s marketing efforts after 35 years in business

## *Selected Recognition*

- **2020 NYC Society of Professional Journalists’ Deadline Club Award** for on-the-ground breaking news coverage of the 2019 Jersey City grocery store mass shooting
- **2019 New York Press Club’s Nellie Bly Cub Reporter Award** for an investigation into an educator who molested children at renowned Jewish schools during a decades-long career

## *Additional*

- Worked four summers as a counselor (one as staff leader) in the special needs program at Camp Ramah in Wisconsin, helping young adults learn social skills and succeed in their first jobs
- Interests include cooking, tennis, ballet, hiking, creative writing and reading widely