# Jessica Esa

Freelance Writer, Content Creator

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#### **EDUCATION**

## **UNIVERSITY OF EXETER**

MA in English Studies | 2012-2014

#### **SWANSEA UNIVERSITY**

BA in English with Education Studies | 2008-2011

#### **CARDIFF UNIVERSITY**

PGCE in English & Education |2014-2015

# **PERSONAL PROFILE**

Originally from the UK, graduated with a Master's degree in English from the University of Exeter.

I run the growing website Books and Bao, a translated literature and culture magazine, and I currently work full-time as a freelance writer for various publications but am actively seeking full-time remote work. On any given day, you'll find me writing and editing articles, editing photos in Lightroom and Photoshop for social media, scheduling a week's worth of content on Hootsuite, or creating pins in Canva or Photoshop. I live and breathe social media and am particularly strong with Instagram and Pinterest.

I'm also a qualified teacher and have used my teaching degree to travel the world before pursuing my creative career. I'm a hard worker, dedicated to deadlines, and am always improving on my own skills. I prefer to work remotely because it provides me with the creative energy to excel.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# FREELANCE WRITER & EDITOR

August 2018 - Present
Freelance writer for several national and
international publications. Aside from
being a regular contributor to these
publications I've carried out press trips
and additional duties.

### **LANGUAGES**

English | Native Korean | Basic written and verbal French | Intermediate Arabic | Basic written and verbal

#### **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

Mac OS Slack Microsoft Office Social Media Adobe Suite Management Hootsuite **Content Writing** Tailwind Proofreading Wordpress/CMS Photography **HTML** Marketing Trello **Customer Service** G Suite Project Management

### TRIP SCOUT APP

Content Creator and Editor | Trip Scout App | December 2017 - Aug 2018 My work has included creating travel guides for their app. I've also edited over 30 guides for consistency, accuracy, and flow. I've created itinerary blog posts for their website and supported them with their social media campaigns. I also still voluntarily help moderate their Facebook group when I have time.

# FAIR INVESTMENT COMPANY

Copywriter January 2017 - March 2017 In-house writer and social media manager for Fair Investment Company. This included writing 30 blog posts per week on finance based topics. and creating and scheduling social media posts.

# IQ STUDENT ACOMMODATION

Social Media and Admin Manager March 2017 - Aug 2018 Managed the student accommodation's social media accounts and dealt with student enquiries, sales, and events.