

SKYLAR BOILARD

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EDUCATION

New York University — <i>New York, NY</i> Bachelor of Arts, Journalism & Performance Studies major, Psychology minor Dean's List, 3.9 GPA	Sept. 2023 — May 2027
Billerica Memorial High School — <i>Billerica, MA</i> National Honors Society, AP Scholar with Honor, Peer Leaders, 3.9 GPA	Sept. 2019 — June 2023

EXPERIENCE

Washington Square News — <i>Arts Editor, prev. Performing Arts Editor</i>	June 2025 — Present
● Host weekly pitch meetings and manage four desk editors under the Arts desk for all arts related coverage	
● Edit all writers articles for consistency, accuracy, A.P. style, and structure before publication, 150+ pieces	
Straus News — <i>Freelance Writer, "Our Town"</i>	Nov. 2025 — Present
● Pitch, report, and write clear and well-written articles about hyperlocal New York City news	
● Interview sources and conduct data-driven research to ensure truthfulness and accuracy for all stories	
New York University — <i>Admissions Ambassador</i>	Jan. 2025 — Present
● Lead in-depth guided tours of the university to groups of around 20 prospective students and families daily	
● Greet and assist prospective families during marquee admissions events, coordinating with a team of 150+	
● Share anecdotal experience as a panelist to groups of 300+ and answer any questions via digital communication	
Knife Dog Play Festival — <i>President, prev. Secretary</i>	Sept. 2024 — Present
● Coordinate a festival of five one-act plays; selecting directors, writers, and actors and board members	
● Oversee all administrative tasks including venue selection, scheduling, interviewing, and email communication	
Ocean State Job Lot — <i>Sales Associate</i>	May 2024 — Sept. 2025
● Assisted 100+ customers daily with any questions, guiding sales on customers' interests and store promotions	
● Signed up 10+ new customers daily to OSJL's insider membership, boosting overall company sales	
● Trained new employees to operate registers, stock shelves, and properly clean store areas	
Abby Kennels — <i>Kennel Assistant</i>	July 2023 — Feb. 2025
● Administered medication, fed, trained, walked, played with, and provided water to 30 high-needs dogs	
● Trained new employees to ensure a clean and safe kennel environment	

PUBLICATIONS

- 50+ articles for Washington Square News https://nyunews.com/staff_name/skylar-boilard/
- Straus News <https://www.ourtownny.com/tag/-/meta/skylar-boilard>
- Greene Street Review <https://wp.nyu.edu/greenestreetreview/2025/12/08/mona-awad/>

AWARDS

Dean's List (2023-2024) & (2024-2025), Sales Associate of the Month (2024) Social Studies Department Award (2023), Presidential Award (2023), AP Scholar with Honor (2023), Storyteller Vocalist Award (2023), Best Actress (2022), Best Supporting Actress (2021)

SKILLS

Intermediate Italian, Google Workspace, Adobe, WordPress, SNO, Python, iMovie, Canva, SEO (Search Engine Optimization), AP Style editing, videography, photography, interviewing, team management, social media management, narrative writing, event coordination, guided tours, public speaking, organization, punctuality, innovation