

SARA SELVA

Journalist. Fulbright fellow in Columbia Journalism School. Six years of experience as a broadcast journalist covering social, international and national news in Cadena SER, one of the main radio stations in Spain.

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LANGUAGES

English | Spanish

SKILLS

- Adobe Audition, Audacity, OneCut
- Photography
- FinalCut Pro
- InDesign

AWARDS

- 2023 Fulbright Spain Scholarship
- 2022 ONCE Journalism Award
- 2021 International Journalism Award Chaves Nogales, by Seville Press Association

PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

March 2017

Volunteer with the NGO Armando Aid in the Oinofyta refugee camp, Greece.

July 2015

Volunteer with OAN International in Nikki, Benin

EXPERIENCE

CADENA SER, Spanish main radio station

Madrid | August 2022 - 2023

National political correspondent in the Congress of Deputies. Covered national politics, presidential elections, and produced in-depth audio stories. | Host and director of "[Por un voto](#)," a podcast series about an unknown Spanish opposition politician's rise to fame and public harassment. | Produced an [in-depth audio story](#) about the reconstructive surgery for female genital mutilation.

SONORA, audio documentaries platform

Madrid | October 2021 - July 2022

Part of the team that launched this audio platform in July 2022. Scriptwriter, producer, and presenter. | Scriptwriter of [Arny](#), an audio documentary about a case of child corruption that took place in a pub in Seville (Andalusia) in the 90s.

CADENA SER

Madrid | March 2019 - October 2021

Broadcast journalist and reporter at "Hoy por Hoy", the most listened to morning news program in Spanish radio | Breaking news | Live coverage of the [Covid-19 pandemic](#), as one of the journalists allowed to report outside during the national lockdown | Weekend morning news anchor | Producer of "Punto de Fuga", a program focusing on human rights and international news. Editor of a [special program](#) on the disappearance of migrants at sea.

PORCAUSA, non-profit focused on migration narratives

Sept 2019 - Oct 2021

Contributor to this journalism organization focused on migration stories. Conducted interviews with migrant children and families for an [investigative report](#) for the NGO Save the Children. Writer and host of the podcast "[Crecer sin papeles](#)" ("Growing up Without Papers"), about the irregular status of migrant children.

RED DE INMIGRACIÓN

Lesvos | February 2019 - March 2019

Investigation at Moria Refugee Camp to write a report documenting the conditions for this non-profit organization.

CADENA SER

Madrid | February 2018 - 2019

Reporter on the local news desk in Madrid. Produced [audio stories](#) focusing on the integration of migrants into Spanish society.

Madrid | July 2017 - February 2018

Intern at the International desk. Produced [audio stories](#) on migration and asylum from Greece and Gambia. Covered the 2017 London terror attacks.

EDUCATION

Columbia Graduate School of Journalism

Expected May 2024

Master of Arts in Journalism, with a concentration in Politics. Awarded a Fulbright Scholarship. Courses take include Oral History and Human Rights. Working on a long-form print story about the arrival of migrants in New York City.

San Pablo CEU University, Madrid

2012-2017

Dual bachelor in Law and Journalism. 24 courses with honors. One year abroad with Erasmus+, in Goldsmiths University of London (2016-2017).