Alice Wong is the founder and director of the Disability Visibility Project, an online community dedicated to creating, sharing, and amplifying disability media and culture created in 2014. She has been published in dozens of print and online mediums including the New York Times, Vox, PEN America, Uncanny Magazine, Teen Vogue, Rooted in Rights, and others.

Her activism and work in the areas of popular culture, media, politics, disability representation, Medicaid policies and programs, storytelling, and social media have made her one of the leading voices in disability studies. From 2013 to 2015 Alice served as a member of the National Council on Disability, an appointment by President Barack Obama. Alice is the recipient of the 2016 AAPD Paul G. Hearne Leadership Award, an award for emerging leaders with disabilities who exemplify leadership, advocacy, and dedication to the broader cross-disability community. In 2020 Alice was named by Time Magazine as one of 16 people fighting for equality in America. In 2021, she was named a changemaker by Marie Claire magazine.

Alice is the editor of Disability Visibility: First-Person Stories from the Twenty-First Century, an anthology of essays by disabled people. She is currently working on her memoir, Year of the Tiger (Vintage Books, 2022). You can find her on Twitter: @SFdirewolf.

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HI is looking for faculty and students who conduct research in disability studies for brief podcast-style interviews. Tell us about your work, your reaction to Alice Wong's presentation, or any other topic you'd like to share. Please email Jade V. at jvonwerder@usf.edu.

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