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EDUCATION

M.F.A, Industrial Design Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT) Rochester, NY, USA 2022-2024

B.F.A, Industrial Design Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD) Savannah, GA, USA 2018-2022

AWARDS

2023 Muse Design Awards Gold Winner

2023 International Design Award Bronze in Household Appliances

European Product Design Award 2023 Honorable Mention

SKILLS

Visual Design:

Adobe Creative Suites Microsoft Office Procreate Figma Miro

CAD Software:

Rhinoceros Fusion 360 Solidworks Keyshot Blender Nomad

3D Printing:

Autodesk Netfabb Ultimaker Cura Bambu Studio Prusa Slicer Meshmixer Revo Scan Meshlab

Prototype:

Low-fidelity prototyping Wood shop tools CNC machining CMF Design Fabrication

LANGUAGES

Chinese English

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I find delight in the small moments of daily life, using them as creative inspiration to develop innovative human-centered products that uplift and add meaning. With an open, curious mindset, I view design challenges through diverse lenses, continuously expanding my skills. Passionate about prototyping and refinement, I leverage empathy and cognition to shape thoughtful experiences, aiming to craft original solutions that make a positive difference.

EXPERIENCE

RIT Image Permanence Institute

3D Design assistant

Rochester, NY, USA Jun. 2023-Apr.2024

Role in designing and printing a study collection of 3D printed objects, contributing to material studies, and enhancing understanding of the diversity of 3D printed materials and processes found in collecting institutions, such as museums, archives, and libraries. Primarily focus on designing the study collection while actively participating in prototyping and 3D printing the collection using various processes such as material extrusion, vat photopolymerization, powder bed fusion, etc.

What I learned

Multiple 3D Print Process, Prototype Development, Time Management, Collaboration, Design Research, Team Development, Problem Solving.

RIT Design Challenge T -minus 2023

Industrial design

Rochester, NY, USA Jan. 2023-Jan.2023

Led student team in RIT's week-long T-Minus project developing concepts to enhance 2024 Autodesk conference; spearheaded research, ideation, prototyping, planning and presentation of innovative solutions. Demonstrated strengths motivating teams under tight deadlines, rapidly leveraging new technologies, and user-centric design.

What I learned

Time Management, Leadership, Communication, Collaboration, Design Research, Team Development, Problem Solving, Reliability.

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Design Assistance

Taiyuan City, China Dec.2020-Jun.2021

I redesigned brand identity and multimedia graphics leveraging Adobe expertise. Translated client feedback into visually engaging designs, and balanced aesthetics and messaging across media like posters and brochures to demonstrate versatile graphic skills from concept to refinement.

What I learned

Time management, Communication, Organization, Flexibility, Problem Solving, Goal Setting, Motivational Skills, Reliability.

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