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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

PITTSBURGH, PA | MAY 2016

Master's Degree - Tangible Interaction Design

Puerto Rico University

SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO | MAY 2013 Bachelors' Degree Interdisciplinary Studies

RESEARCH AND RESIDENCIES

University of Oregon

PORTLAND, OR | JUNE 2020 Certificate in Permaculture Design

A/D/O by MINI

BROOKLYN, NY | NOV 2019 - FEB 2020 Futureworks Residency

Autodesk - Pier 9

SAN FRANCISCO, CA | AUG 2016 - DEC 2016 Artist in Residence

SKILLS

Prototyping (AR, hardware, software) Interaction Design, User Interface Design, Electronic Circuits Sound Design, Machine Learning, Digital Fabrication

TECHNICAL

TOOLS: Rhino/Fusion 360, Figma, Adobe Creative Cloud (Illustrator, Photoshop), Ableton Live

PROGRAMMING: OpenFrameworks, C++, Python, JavaScript, Three.js, WebXR, HTML, CSS, Arduino, MAX/MSP

WORK EXPERIENCE

Havas Mango - Havas Health and You

Lead Creative Technologist
MANHATTAN, NY | JULY 2021 - PRESENT
Lead research and experimentation, concept
exploration, prototyping, and ideation within the
creative process for designing user experiences.
Articulate complex technologies, ideas and prototypes
in a clear and simple manner to influence key internal
stakeholders and clients.

Fake Love @ New York Times Company

Lead Creative Technologist
BROOKLYN, NY | MAY 2019 - JULY 2020
Lead the development and execution of experiential projects. This includes researching the latest technologies and fabrication methods, building interactive prototypes to validate design concepts, managing vendor relationships, as well as plan and execute on-site activations.

Tellart

Creative Technologist

PROVIDENCE, RI | FEBRUARY 2017 - APRIL 2019
Responsibilities include creating system architectures, application development, circuit design, 3d modeling and fabrication, and maintaining excellent communication with clients, team members and contractors.

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Prototyper

PITTSBURGH, PA | JANUARY 2016 - MAY 2016 Design and fabricate interface prototypes for human-robot interaction, including a Motion-Capture 3D Drawing Stylus.

Deep Local

Creative Technologist - Contractor
PITTSBURGH, PA | APRIL 2016 - MAY 2016
Provided design consultancy and programming
services for experiential advertising.
Program and animate robot arm to make it dance.

TEACHING

Rhode Island School of Design

Instructor

PROVIDENCE, RI | AUGUST 2017 - MAY 2018 Develop two syllabus and teach in the Industrial Design Department:

- Civic Impact through Sensor-Driven Design
- Making Things Interactive