### Shi Yu Chen (Jessica Chen)

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## **EDUCATION:**

### Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA, USA

Candidate for Master in Design Studies concentrating in sustainable design and computational design. Highlights of course work include:

- Advanced Topics in Embodied Carbon in Buildings
- Advanced Applications in Sustainable Architecture
- Introduction to Computational Design
- Enactive Design: Creative Applications through Concurrent Human-Machine Interaction

September 2020 - May 2022 (expected graduation date)

# McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada

Bachelor of Science (Architecture) September 2015 - May 2019

# **EXPERIENCES:**

#### Co-Founder - Cardinal LCA, Toronto, ON, Canada

Research and develop Cardinal LCA – a grasshopper plug-in for embodied carbon analysis in the early design stage

Feb 2021 - Present

#### Architectural Intern - Gensler, Shanghai, China

Massing models, photoshop renderings, presentation preparation May 2017 - July 2017

# Architectural Intern - TAES Architects, Toronto, ON, Canada

Working drawings May 2016 - Aug 2016

# SKILLS:

**Software:** Rhinoceros, Grasshopper (Climate Studio, ladybug, honeybee, butterfly), Revit, Photoshop,

Illustrator, InDesign, Processing, p5.js, Microsoft Office

Programming: Python, C#, C

Language: English, Chinese (Mandarin)

#### AWARDS:

#### MDes Research and Development Award

Funding for presenting the research on an embodied carbon analysis framework for the early design stage at the ACLCA conference in September 2021 Spring 2021

### Pekka H. M. Erkkila Scholarship

Awarded by the Dean of Engineering to outstanding students Winter 2017

**Second Place Award** in Ephemeral Architecture Contest - RÊVE ÉTOILÉ, Co-Designer A theme suite with the basic materials of ice and snow January 2017