

Chia Amisola

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Designing, developing, and nurturing radical experiences for creators & communities.

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Works of Heart
Design Intern (P/T)
7.2020—

Research, consultancy, & design at a social impact studio. Revising Martial Law Museum modules & site; leading web for project on Filipino student mental wellness in COVID-19.

Teleport
Product Design Intern
5.2020—

Designing for iOS, writing product specs, leading user studies, and coding web API for early-stage. Also: copy, branding, GTM, analytics, roadmapping, & feature definition.

LAB.PH
Product Design (P/T)
5.2020—

Experience design & product for a community authentication platform's MVP launch in Manila for gov to 1.7m Filipinos. Redesigning complete mobile experience & interfaces.

Rappler
Tech & Design Intern
6.2019—8.2019

Solo built newsroom documentation tool optimizing archival & collaboration for 60+ staff. Designed CMS, editor, & flows. Produced UI assets, held sprints & interviews, wrote spec & maintenance docs. Vue, Node, Wiki.js. Tech journalism work.

Twitter
#EarlyBird
5.2019

1 of 35 from >5,000 in a week-long program. Designed early Quote Retweet & Profile QoL fixes, pitching to senior leaders.

Luminus, Yale Helix
Tech & Design (P/T)
8.2018—5.2019

Led end-to-end design & engineering in team of 8. Built MVP in <2 months, lowering time wasted in supply rooms by 75%. Hosted design sprints & guided 100+ user interviews.

Edukasyon.ph
Design Intern
4.2017—5.2017

Designed graphics, interfaces, & prototypes for >1m students. Tracked product KPIs, & audited edtech market, manage projects, write specs. Increased student conversion by 230%.

Communities

Developh
Founder & Director
6.2016—

Scaled nonprofit to impact 100,000+ in Southeast Asia with 42-person team directing accelerator, events (workshops, hackathons, outreach), ventures for a community of 1,500+. Develop in-house initiatives with millions in reach for social impact. Co-lead 12 teams/nonprofits' ventures from ideation-market as national for-students accelerator. Analyze & advise Philippine startup ecosystem growth for schools and funds.

UXSociety Yale
Founder & President

Leading Yale's undergraduate design group & consultancy with 24 members. Teach, code, design, and work with clients.

Yale CCAM
Fellow

Youngest fellow building creative projects, exhibiting & holding workshops. Exploring VR, game dev, creative code.

Yale Women's Center
Public Relations

Manage projects & PR for 6,000+ constituents in New Haven. Produce content, print & digital graphics, & websites for 20+ resident orgs and the center working on issues of justice.

Yale Tsai CITY
Student Advisor

Directing entrepreneurship programming & advising student founders. Co-organized hackathon for 200+ students.

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Education

Yale University (Expected 5.2022)
Computer Science & Art (3.6/4.0)

Women in CS, User Experience Society, WYBC Yale Radio, Women's Center, oSTEM

Tooling

Design—Adobe Creative Suite, Figma, Sketch, Framer/X, InVision, Principle

Code—HTML, CSS, JS/TypeScript, Vue, React, three.js, p5.js, SwiftUI

I like to prototype in code and make stuff tangible.

Selected Projects

Iboto.ph—Voter education platform growing >3m engagements in 3 weeks. Lead product team of 25.

Technology.ph—Writing & producing a tech & culture digest for >600 readers.

Writing—On Medium & chias.blog. 100,000+ reads on tech & prose.

Indie Game Development—Net art and IF with over 5k plays, 3 exhibitions.

Batid—Citizen security app & political tools. Microsoft Imagine Cup Top 3.

Cause—Hub for advocacy-driven orgs in the Philippines. Lead team of 21.

Round—Reflection & spatial software.

Also: creative tools & webrings, reviving radio, & exploring the p2p web—chia.dev.

Awards

2020 **Adobe Design Circle Scholar**
1 of 10 in Adobe's inaugural global design fellowship for good.

2020 **Palantir Women in Tech Scholar**

2019 **KPCB Design Fellow Finalist**

2019 **Speaker @ Grace Hopper Aus.**

2018 **Women of Silicon Valley Feature**

2018 **AnitaB.org Student of Vision, Speaker @ GHC (audience: 20k+)**

2018 **Microsoft Imagine Cup, 3rd Place**