Professional Development

About the role

We are excited that you are interested in joining our board here at Design at UCSD! We are a group of passionate students that work to create a community of designers at UCSD and put on events to help prepare students for success in industry and beyond.

As a Professional Development Chair, you will collaborate with others on various initiatives with the goal of helping members be better prepared for their post-university professional goals. This includes, but is not limited to reaching out to industry partners to coordinate events and planning workshops to help our members grow professionally. This is an opportunity to gain experience working in a team setting, contribute to our event operations, and network with industry professionals in San Diego and beyond.

Responsibilities

- Work with board members to create sponsorship documents and network with companies to help sponsor our club and special events
- Create a system to help companies recruit students from our member base, and help connect our members to opportunities in industry and academia
- Put on professional development workshops to help our members better their resumes, portfolios, interviewing skills, etc.
- Keep up with industry trends and find topics of interest to educate our members
- Attend weekly board meetings ~1.5 hours
- Be a friendly face at our GBM's for new and returning members
- Take the initiative to prepare and lead one or more GBMs per quarter, either on your own or in collaboration with another board member or design community member

Qualifications

- Relevant design experience in a professional setting
- Previous experience with outreach communications
- Excitement for discovering opportunities to help expose students to the skills sought in industry