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### **EDUCATION**

# Carnegie Mellon University

Aug 2020 - Aug 2024

Bachelor of Fine Arts with Honors

Pittsburgh,PA

- Concentration in Electronic & Time-Based Media
- 2024 Ken Meyer Professional Studio Development Award School of Art Award Frank-Ratchye Further Fund

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Physical Computing Intern**

Aug 2024 - Present

Carnegie Mellon University, Sculpture Department

- Pittsburgh,PA
- Repair, maintain, and upgrade the physical computing spaces, and machinery such as 3D printers, laser cutters, and CNC machines
- Administer training and information sessions for digital fabrication facilities

# **Creative Technology Intern**

May 2023 - Aug 2023

Pittsburgh,PA

Deeplocal

- Optimized Touchdesigner projects incorporating body tracking and shader visualization for large scale, interactive media presentations
- Developed frontend React and Next.js applications for the Raspberry pi

## **Teaching Assistant**

Sept 2024 - Present

Carnegie Mellon University, Intermediate Studio: Creative Coding

Sept 2023 - Dec2023

Compiling an audio-visual project curriculum to introduce Touchdesigner as a performance and cross-media tool

Pittsburgh,PA

Facilitating class discussion and critique surrounding computational art

# **Project Assistant**

Studio for Creative Inquiry

Jan 2022 - Aug 2024

Entertainment Technology Center

Pittsburgh,PA

- Rigged, modeled, and textured 3D assets for educational AR/VR events and applications held in Pittsburgh public schools and classrooms
- Capturing and cleaning photoscans of the ETC building, and compiling them into Unity for a web-based

### Research Assistant and Facilities Monitor

Aug 2021 - May 2024

Pittsburgh,PA

- Archiving the Studio's paper and media archive of funded projects to a digitized organizational system
- Monitoring the space at night and facilitating events/talks about the studio's initiative and open source projects, such as PEmbroider

### **SKILLS**

 $Touch Designer \cdot Node. js \cdot React. js \cdot Comfy UI \cdot GLSL \cdot Maya \cdot Blender \cdot Git \cdot CAD \cdot 3DPrint \cdot Houdini \cdot Unity \cdot p5. js \cdot Motion$ Capture · Projection Mapping · Adobe Creative Suite · Woodworking · CNC · MS Excel · Sewing/Textile work · Stop Motion Animation