EMILIE SHEN

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education

New York University

M.S., Integrated Digital Media Expected Graduation: Dec 2018

University of California, San Diego

Sep 2013 - Mar 2017 B.S., Cognitive Science: Human-Computer Interaction Business & Psychology Minor

relevant coursework:

Interaction Design
Cognitive Design Studio
Usability & Information Architecture
Practicum in Pro Web Design
User Experience Design

software

Illustrator

Sketch

InDesign

Invision

Keynote

Balsamiq

Photoshop

skills

Human Centered Design
User Research
Low-High Fidelity Prototyping
Wireframing
Information Architecture
Visual Design
Hand Lettering
HTML/CSS

experience

creative services intern

Assurant / Jan 2018 - Present

Participate in all aspects of designing the visual communication style and structure for materials used by Assurant Investment Management, the client facing subsidiary of Assurant. Redesign various materials to improve information architecture and visual design.

design intern

Kaiser Permanente / Jun 2017 - August 2017

Redesigned mediums for internal communication, such as newsletters and email templates, to improve information architecture, readability, and visual design. Developed consistent visual style and branding across various communication platforms.

instructional apprentice

UC San Diego / Apr 2017 - Jun 2017

Worked with Professor Steven Dow to develop course structure and assignments for the new course Design 100: Prototyping. Assisted with the instruction and grading of 40+ design students. Critiqued students' projects and provided feedback.

graphic designer

UC San Diego Psychiatry Department HNRP / Dec 2015 - Mar 2017 Created flyers to recruit participants for research studies at the HIV Neurobehavioral Research Program (HNRP). Created visual displays of research data. Prepared visual materials for presentations and scientific meetings. Created other various graphics needs (both print and digital).

projects

soundify

Sep 2016 - Dec 2016

Redesigned music streaming app as a part of COGS 187A: Usability & Information Architecture. Conducted interviews and research to create an interface with improved information architecture and playlist creation/editing process. Created digital prototype using Sketch and Invision.

yogurt world website

Jan 2017 - Mar 2017

Worked with Yogurt World as a client to design a website for the shop, targeting certain user categories. Conducted interviews with customers and employees and did further research to develop branding and structure for website. Used Sketch and Invision to create a digital prototype. Coded website in HTML, CSS, and Javascript.