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education

University of Maryland

2014-2017

College Park, MD
Bachelor of Arts, Graphic Design
Strategic Design & Innovation Fellowship

skills —

Adobe Illustrator Adobe XD
Adobe Photoshop Sketch
Adobe Premiere InVision
Adobe After Effects HTML/CSS
Adobe InDesign Bootstrap

Gujarati (conversational), Spanish (basic)

activities -

Vice President

Aug 2016-June 2017

AIGA UMD

Arranged studio tours and collaborated with the president to plan bi-weekly design workshops and lectures on campus.

Design Lead

Dec 2014-Sept 2016

Bitcamp

Designed website, social graphics and merchandise for the hackathon. Supervised designers to ensure effective work that follows the brand style guide. http://2016.bit.camp

profile

Visual designer with experience in graphic design, product design, and video production. Passionate about digital, branding, and interactive design. Other interests include tech, media, and entertainment.

experience -

Digital Designer

July 2017-present

NBCUniversal Media, LLC

New York, NY

Refreshing the SNL, Late Night with Seth Meyers, and Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon brands for digital. Collaborating with marketing, production. and product teams to create engaging digital content. Managing design interns by delegating projects and providing feedback. Assisting in filming video content.

Digital Design Intern

June 2016-Aug 2016

NBCUniversal Media, LLC

New York, NY

Designed templates to create cohesive social graphics for SNL, Late Night with Seth Meyers, and The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon. Worked closely with the digital art director in branding The Tonight Show's BONK! app.

Freelance Web Editor

Nov 2015-Apr 2016

STYLUS Literary Magazine

University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Redesigned and developed the website with HTML, CSS and Bootstrap to create a responsive and clean experience. Updated the website when needed. http://www.styluslit.org

Graphic Designer

Sept 2014–May 2017

Asian American Studies Program

University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Designed flyers and annual reports, updated the website with Wordpress, and filmed and edited promotional videos. Worked on and off between summer internships.

Freelance Graphic Designer

June 2013-Oct 2015

Lumen Industries, LLC

Washington, DC

Designed web banners, invitations, flyers, booklets, and manuals for Kaigo Health and Autumn Breeze.