## Jihyun Kim

**EXPERIENCE** 

## Colgate-Palmolive (ShopSmiles), UX Intern

JUL - SEP 2022

Initiated a UX overhaul by redesigning <u>product cards</u> for Colgate's eCommerce design system to meet WCAG 2.1 standards, <u>reducing redundant components</u> and the site's <u>bounce rate by ~20%</u> since January 2023. Restructured the information architecture (IA) of ShopSmiles' product description page (PDP) from interviewing **7** whitening care users.

#### GoodNotes, Lead Product Designer

JAN - MAY 2022, Contract

Led the design and conceptualization of <u>Tags and Reminders</u> in collaboration with Sr. Designers to help users feel confident when studying with the hand-written note-taking iOS app. Conducted **15+** user interviews and usability tests, ultimately receiving positive feedback from **86% users**. Later invited to deliver the final solution to the **entire company** on Loom for GoodNotes' demo day.

### Playbook, Product Designer

SEP - DEC 2021, Contract

Uncovered users' pain points when collaborating & sharing visual files on Playbook, a cloud storage start-up designed for creatives. Created user flows from 6 interviews, 14 diary studies, and a cognitive walkthrough. Communicated weekly with the CEO and Founding Engineer.

#### Food52, Product Designer

FEB - MAY 2021, Contract

Designed 0→1 a mobile Food52 app and built its design system & IA, incorporating the previously segmented community as a holistic experience to increase user engagement and interaction. Benchmarked 6 competitors, conducted 14 interviews & 7 usability tests of our design.

#### Berkeley Haas School of Business, Design & Web Assistant

APR 2020 - DEC 2023, Part-time

Created social graphics for the MarCom department while updating blog content to current design guidelines. Designed **1,400+** icons for use in emails sent to prospective MBA students.

INVOLVEMENT

#### **DESINV 198, Course Instructor**

AUG 2020 - MAY 2023

Led the Introduction to Adobe Photoshop & Illustrator class, teaching a total of 80+ students.

#### Berkeley Innovation, Education Director

MAY 2022 - DEC 2022

Developed & taught an interactive 10-week human-centered design curriculum to **15** students while leading design workshops for **50+** members.

#### Innovative Design, President

DEC 2021 - MAY 2022

Overlooked the logistics of UC Berkeley's premier creative agency of 100+ members, resulting in a record-low turnover rate. Lowered the barrier of entry to Berkeley's design community by founding beginner-friendly teams, increasing interest in membership by +23% and Instagram followers +6%. Spearheaded onboarding resources, an alumni network, and a club-wide Notion page. With USC, began a new chapter of the club in UCLA.

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**EDUCATION** 

# University of California, Berkeley

AUG 2019 - MAY 2023 GPA 3.91, DEAN'S HONORS LIST

B.A. Psychology

B.A. Media Studies, Digital Media

SKILLS

#### Design

Product Design, Interaction Design, Prototyping, Wireframing, User Research, Usability Testing, Design Systems, Responsive Design, Visual Design, Graphic Design, Video Editing

#### Tools

Figma, Adobe CC (Illustrator, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, InDesign), Webflow, Dscout HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Python, R

ACCOLADES

TreeHacks 2023, Honorable Mention: Hack to Connect with Others Through Food

FEB 2023

CMYK x Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) Designation, First Place

NOV 2020

