#### Meredith Thompson curriculum vitae

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#### Education

MA Master of Arts in Design: Sustainable Futures with Distinction,

University of Plymouth, Department of Design, Plymouth UK, 2013.

BDes Bachelor of Design with Honours, Cum Laude, York University and Sheridan College

Joint Programme in Design, Department of Design, Toronto ON, 2011.

## **Employment history**

2014 — Current Instructor, Honours Bachelor of Interaction Design, Sheridan College, Oakville, ON.

2013 — Current Freelance Creative Professional, Meredith Thompson, Toronto, ON.

2016 Designer III, Marketing Team, Loblaw Companies Limited, Mississauga, ON.

2015 – 2016 Designer II, Marketing Team, Loblaw Companies Limited, Mississauga, ON.

2014 – 2016 Adjunct Instructor, Bachelor of IxD, Sheridan College, Oakville, ON.

2014 – 2015 Designer I, Marketing Team, Loblaw Companies Limited, Mississauga, ON

2013 – 2014 Freelance Graphic Designer, Marketing Team, Vicinity Rewards, Toronto, ON.

2011 – 2012 Graphic Designer, Marketing Team, OANDA Corporation, Toronto, ON.

2010 Graphic Design Intern, Marketing Team, OANDA Corporation, Toronto, ON.

2010 Communications Coordinator, Pond Residence, York University, Toronto, ON.

## Academic and professional honours

June 2013 Royal Society of Arts (RSA) Student Design Award, Change Makers brief,

Royal Society of Arts.

Winter 2009 \$1000 Residence Life Programming Award, York University.

Fall 2008 \$1000 Residence Life Programming Award, York University.

# Professional and academic memberships

2013 Royal Society of Arts, fellow.

2011 – 2012 Registered Graphic Designers of Ontario, provisional member.

2007 – 2008 Design Students Association (York University), member.

### Scholarly and creative activities

2017 – 2018 Program Review Committee

Bachelor of Interaction Design, Sheridan College

December 2013 Exhibition: Emergent

"The Hive" and "#L2D4G"

Peninsula Arts Gallery, Plymouth UK.

Fall 2013 Thesis: #L2D4G, Learning to Design for Good: A personal manifesto of design ethics

For my masters dissertation I developed an ethical guide I can aspire toward in my

design practice.

Summer 2013 Exhibition: Stories from the Stories

"Beanstalk Extending Table"

Plymouth City Museum and Art Gallery, Plymouth UK.

June 2013 Exhibition: Interim

"The Hive" and "Beanstalk Extending Table" University of Plymouth, Plymouth UK.

Spring 2013 Project: The Hive

Social design framework for urban regeneration that improves quality of life in low-income neighbourhoods while also working against the UK's declining bee population. This project was completed in collaboration with Nicole Shadbolt

and won an RSA Student Design Award.

Fall 2012 Exhibition: Wax on Wax

Assorted wax sculptures

University of Plymouth, Plymouth UK.

April 2011 Exhibition: &CO

Graduate exhibition

The Fermenting Cellar, Toronto ON.

2010 – 2011 Fine Arts Academic Mentor

York University

2008 – 2009 Communications Coordinator

Pond Residence, York University, Toronto ON.

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