# **Rachel Paner**

UI/UX Designer rachelpaner.github.io

# Experience

# **Lead Marketing & Graphic Design Assistant**UCSD Campus Performance and Events Office

January 2022 - current | La Jolla, CA

- Produced graphic/video social media collateral to promote large-scale events and artists for the leading Department of Arts at UC San Diego
- Attained sales goals by formulating marketing strategies and analyzing trends to reach UCSD students, alumni, and greater San Diego area
- Directed and mentored teams of promotions assistants while delegating marketing collateral and research tasks

# Instructional Assistant - DSGN 100 (Prototyping) UCSD Cognitive Science Department

September 2022 - December 2022 | La Jolla, CA

- Supervised studio sessions and facilitated student critique and discussion
- Advised students through guided feedback to maximize achievement on design projects

#### **UI Designer** UCSD Circle K Tech Team

September 2021 - March 2022 | La Jolla, CA

- Revitalized original UCSD Circle K desktop and mobile website using Figma in teams of 2-3 UI Designers
- Enhanced user-experience and accessibility of website by applying user research insights and analyzing effects of color, shape, and typography

#### Creator

### Rachel's Flower Factory

March 2020 - current | Dublin, CA

- Launched and operated Instagram jewelry brand with portion of profits donated quarterly to ACLU
- Independently designed and created physical products, digital art, and photoshoots for product launches and marketing collateral
- Enhanced customer retention by directly communicating with individual clients to create personalized experiences and custom products

### Contact

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## Education

### **UC San Diego**

September 2020 - June 2024

B.S. Cognitive Science (Design & Interaction)

Minor in Computer Science GPA: 3.9/4.0 (Provost's Honors)

## Skills

Prototyping
Wireframing
Interaction Design
Visual Design
Storyboarding
User Research
User Flows
Usability Testing
Design Systems
Data Analysis
Heuristic Evaluation

## Tools

Figma
Photoshop
Illustrator
InDesign
Procreate
Google Workspace
Microsoft Office
Bootstrap
Dovetail
Miro

# Languages

HTML/CSS JavaScript Java Python