# RICKY RAJANI

# SOFTWARE ENGINEER | ARTIST

## **GET TO KNOW ME**

I am an artist in both the traditional and non-traditional sense. As a software engineer, I enjoy creating art and building out unique experiences in Virtual Reality. As a traditional artist, I work with 2D and 3D mediums to create whimsical, mixed medium pieces.

#### **SPECIALIZATIONS**

- CPU and GPU programming
- Unreal and Unity Game Engines
- C++, OpenGL, WebGL, DirectX11
   Adobe Photoshop
- Oil paint/pastels, chalk pastels, watercolors, clay, photography

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### Oculus VR | Facebook

GRAPHICS SOFTWARE ENGINEER
AUGUST 2018 TO PRESENT

I am on the Oculus Cornerstone team building out the Home experience in Virtual Reality. We use Unreal Engine and DirectX11 technologies.

#### **GenHERation, Female Empowerment**

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OCTOBER 2014 TO 2017

I wrote human interest pieces that featured inspirational stories of women leaders in tech from across the country

## **ACADEMIC HISTORY**

#### **University of Pennsylvania**

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING
DIGITAL MEDIA DESIGN

An interdisciplinary major in the School of Engineering and Applied Science that combines computer graphics, art and communications. I completed this degree along with a minor in Fine Arts from Penn's School of Design

**Relevant Coursework:** Data Structures and Algorithms, Computer Graphics Techniques I and II, GPU Programming, Computer Animation, Discrete Mathematics, 3D Modeling.

#### **GET IN TOUCH WITH ME**

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#### **INTERESTS**

Computer Graphics | Art | Travel | Dance | Political Podcasts