

# Suny Gao

*Freelance web developer & artist based in Brooklyn, NY*

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## Work Experience

### Part-Time Lecturer

*2020 – present • Parsons School of Design – The New School • New York, NY*

Teaching Core I: Interaction for second year students in the BFA Communication Design program

### Freelance Web Developer & Tech Lead

*2014 – present • New York, NY*

Clients include Google, Squarespace, and various advertising and production companies, such as Droga 5, Stink Studios and B-Reel

### Sr. Interactive Developer

*2011 – 2014 • Evolution Bureau • San Francisco, CA*

Front end development & mentorship at a small production company in San Francisco

### Interactive Developer

*2010 – 2011 • Crispin Porter + Bogusky • Boulder, CO*

Code, brainstorming & client pitches

### Production Artist

*2009 – 2010 • Crispin Porter + Bogusky • Boulder, CO*

Assisted the design, creative and technology teams with client presentations, pitches and web and interactive projects

## Awards

*2020 FWA – Site of the Day, Craig Reynolds Portfolio*

*2020 Awwwards – Site of the Day, Craig Reynolds Portfolio*

*2017 CLIO Bronze – Viceland I Smoke Weed microsite*

*2015 FWA – Mobile site of the day, Spotify Year in Music*

*2015 FWA – Site of the day, Spotify Year in Music*

*2015 Awwwards – Site of the day, Spotify Year in Music*

*2015 Webby – Digital Campaigns, Spotify Year in Music*

*2015 Webby – Best User Interface, Spotify Year in Music*

*2012 FWA Mobile site of the day, EVB.com*

*2008 Best In Show capstone project, Technology Arts & Media, University of Colorado, Boulder*

## Skills & Software

- Expert knowledge of HTML/CSS/Javascript
- Extensive knowledge of front end frameworks and tooling
- Extensive experience with CMS systems
- Illustration & storyboarding
- Risograph printing
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Design software (Photoshop, Figma, Sketch)

## Education

University of Colorado, Boulder

*2004 – 2008*

B.S., Media Studies • Minor, Technology Arts & Media

Dean's List, School of Journalism and Mass Communication

## Publications & Exhibitions

*2020 “Pandemic Instagram Group Show”,  
Van Doren Waxter Gallery*

*2019 “Roving Woman”, TheRumpus.net Spotlight column*

*2017 “10 Venus Flytraps”, self-published risograph zine*

*2016 “Room for Rent”, self-published risograph comic*

*2013 “July 99”, self-published comic, SF Zine Fest*