

## **DESIGN & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

#### FREELANCE DESIGNER

Website design, remote - Fall 2023-present

- Provided web design services for local artists and small businesses.
- Planned and managed the projects upon starting.
- Analyzed the existing website and created wireframes.
- Designed and created websites from basic templates using Cargo Collective/ Squarespace.

#### Artist catalog: lightness of being, Baltimore MD - Summer 2023

- Collaborated with artist Ruth Huang on creating an artist catalog that combines multiple script systems.
- Retouched the photo assets using in the catalog.
- Photographed the finished product, edited the photos and designed social media posts.

#### **DESIGN INTERN**

M Design, hybrid, Baltimore MD - Winter 2023

- Updated/recreated websites under the guidance of Emily Goldstein.
- Found stock images and retouched photos for the website.
- Communicated with clients for updates and questions.
- Transferred domains and handed over the finished websites to clients.

# BRAND-EXHIBITION-EDITORIAL DESIGNER MICA BFA GD'23 Thesis Exhibition, Baltimore MD - Spring 2023

- Collaborated on creating a design system to apply to publication, poster, website, social media, exhibition space.
- Led publication team, planned meeting agendas, scheduled weekly meetings, communicated among team members, other exhibition teams and graphic design seniors class of 2023.
- Collaborated on creating editorial design, exhibition's graphic and curating for MICA GD23 thesis exhibition.

## CO-CURATOR AND EXHIBITION DESIGNER

not (just) a problem solver – Bronze Gallery, Baltimore MD – Fall 2022

- Collaborated on designing an identity to apply on posters and flyers for the exhibition.
- Organized the submissions and exhibition's materials with co-curator during weekly meetings.
- Planned and installed the selected works in the gallery's space.

#### **LETTERPRESS & DESIGN INTERN**

Globe Collection and Press at MICA, Baltimore MD - Fall 2021

- Designed and collaborated on letterpress poster projects for various clients.
- Collaborated with globe in designing and making letterpress cards.

# **REFERENCES**

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## SKILLS

#### DESIGN

Branding, typography, type custom, 2D/3D motion, 3D design, hand-lettering, publication, page-layout, web design, photography, collaboration.

#### SOFTWARE

Illustrator, Indesign, Photoshop, After Effect, Acrobat, Lightroom Classic, Aero, Cinema 4D.

Figma, Squarespace, Cargo Collective, HTML, CSS, Processing, Java.

MS Office, Mac and PC.

#### **LANGUAGE**

English, Vietnamese.

## **EXHIBITIONS & AWARDS**

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Celestial System MICAGD BFA Exhibition at the Rosenberg Gallery Baltimore, MD (May 2023)

**not (just) a problem solver** at the Bronze Gallery, *Baltimore, MD* (November 2022)

commUNITY: a reflection of 'togetherness' (online exhibition) at studentspacegallery. com, MICA, Baltimore, MD (March 2021)

The New Normal (online exhibition) at micagdarchives.com, MICA, *Baltimore*, *MD* (November 2020)

Hand Lettering Juried Show at the Bronze Gallery, *Baltimore*, *MD* (October 2019)

## **AWARDS**

SALUTE Merit Award winner in Graphic Design: Interactive/Video/ Motion category (2023)

MICA Distinguished International Student Award (2022-2023)

MICA Merit Achievement Scholarship (2020-2021)

MICA Presidential Scholarship (2019-2023)

MICA Dean's grant (2019-2023)

MICA Dean's list (2019-2023)

## **EDUCATION**

Maryland Institute College of Art Baltimore, MD, 2019-2023.



