# director michelle chiu

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Someone optimistic about technology bringing people together & ready to do it using strategic design, a million colours, and a few pixels.

### education

#### **Graduate Certificate**

Humber College
Advertising Art Direction
2024-present

#### **Bachelor of Arts with Distinction**

Western University

Honours Specialization Media Information & Technoculture, Major in French (Western Scholars)
2018-23

#### **EXPLORE French Immersion Program**

5-Week Intensive Program in Quebec
Trois-Rivières, Chicoutimi, Trois-Pistoles, & Jonquière
Summers 2018. 2019. 2021-2023

#### **Exchange Term**

National University of Singapore
Sun Life Foundation International Exchange Award
Activities: NUS Symphony Orchestra

#### Associate Diploma in Piano Performance Royal Conservatory of Music

2018

### experience

Library Page 2023-present

Markbam Public Library

Delivered strong public service to upkeep inclusive community spaces.

#### Office Administrator 2023-24

SharpMinds Academy

Fostered client relations and sales leads, managing schedules, payment, and programs.

#### Communications, Social Media Intern 2022

Western Cybersmart

Implemented collabs and educational reels to reach 4x accounts. Designed poster campaign, increased certificate course enrollment.

#### Marketing Intern 2022

Giftgowns

Led product photoshoot, social media scheduling on Later.

Graphic Designer 2021-22

ICONOCLAST

Designed spreads for student-run arts magazine.

#### Club President 2020-22

Western Tea Club

Oversaw event-planning teams and community-centric rebrand. Local sponsorships with businesses and Consulate General of Sri Lanka.

Editorial Intern 2016-17

**Dovetail Communications** 

Held phone interviews, wrote for industry magazines.

# volunteering

From Art 2 Heart - Piano Teacher 2024-present Western University Peer Support Center 2021-22 Heart & Stroke 2018-20 MusicBox Charity 2018-19

## languages

English French Cantonese

### tools

Photoshop Illustrator InDesign Figma

# interests

Learning languages Christopher Nolan films Crochet Baking