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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON BACHELOR OF DESIGN

2009 – 2014 // SEATTLE, WA
Visual Communication Design
Dean's List Spring 2013

PRATT FINE ARTS CENTER

SUMMER 2007 // SEATTLE, WA
Acrylic canvas painting, sketching,
and oil painting

VOLUNTEER

ASIAN AMERICAN INTERVARSITY

FALL 2009 – SPRING 2013
Leadership position in event coordination,
small group, student outreach ministries

SCAC ARTS TEAM

2006 – PRESENT // SEATTLE, WA
Head of branding for Exposed: Art
empowerment movement. Assistant
with business operations in the annual
art show. Submitted original artwork

LANGUAGES

English
Cantonese
Mandarin

EXPERIENCE

MICROSOFT, PRODUCT DESIGNER via MAQ CONSULTING

DECEMBER 2014 – PRESENT // BELLEVUE, WA
Designer for the Bing Maps team. Created
illustrations, icons, and overall branding systems

FROG, VISUAL DESIGN INTERN

JULY 2014 – OCTOBER 2014 // SEATTLE, WA
Worked with teams and clients on various programs
that include icon development, data visualization,
and app ideation

PHILIPS DESIGN, INTERN

SUMMER 2013 // HONG KONG
Collaborated with the Communication Design Team.
Created Strategies to launch headphone collection
through lookbook and packaging design. Developed
pattern for future consumer lifestyle products

STUDIO MATTHEWS

APRIL 2014 – JUNE 2014 // SEATTLE, WA
Re-branded Capitol Hill Housing, explored
photography, patterns, and textures. Developed
various applications for branding system

PAINT THE TOWN, SALES ASSOCIATE

WINTER 2011 – 2013 // SEATTLE, WA
Educated and instructed large parties. Assisted
customers with basic ceramic and painting knowledge

BUZZLABS

SUMMER 2010 // BELLEVUE, WA
Shadowed a designer through branding
processes and website layout design

REFERENCES UPON REQUEST