



# KRISTINA RAKESTRAW

UX/Interaction Designer

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## ABOUT

Hi, I'm Kristina, an interaction designer trained in architecture — now designing a world with technology where people can interact globally.

## EXPERIENCE

### UX Designer

Graduate Project, February 2018 - present  
Sponsored by Intentional Futures, Advised by Artefact  
6 months

- + Currently conducting research for a team-based project focused on alleviating isolation for older adults

### Architectural Designer

Schacht Aslani Architects, Seattle WA  
2 years

- + Co-led a design competition and won the job
- + Worked with a small team to generate construction drawings for a large scale education building
- + Produced drawings and 3D digital models for various project scales throughout all design phases
- + Collaborated with engineers
- + Conducted research and design strategy for small scale projects

Menter Byrne Architects, Seattle WA  
1.5 years

- + Conducted digital 3D modeling & provided technical support for projects under construction
- + Determined company brand & content strategy
- + Launched company's first website

Mahlum Architects, Seattle WA  
1 year

- + Produced graphics, from digital renderings to marketing proposals
- + Conducted digital 3D modeling & physical modeling
- + Co-led bi-weekly design workshop series & managed website

## EDUCATION

### Master of Human Computer Interaction + Design

University of Washington  
UX Design, IxD  
August 2018

### Bachelor of Architecture

California Polytechnic University  
June 2013

## SKILLS

Competent in all stages of the design process

Ideation  
Sketching  
Technical Drawing  
Storyboarding  
Info Architecture  
Interaction Design  
Wireframing  
System Diagrams  
Physical Prototyping  
Visual Design  
User Research  
Interviewing  
User Testing  
Video Editing  
Project Management

## TOOLS

Familiar with major design tools and can learn new ones quickly

Illustrator  
Photoshop  
InDesign  
Sketch  
InVision  
Premiere Pro  
Final Cut Pro  
After Effects  
Rhino 3D  
Drawing