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## **SKILLS**

Typography Branding Color Theory Research

Strategic Thinking Multidisciplinary Design

Softwares:

Adobe Illustrator Adobe InDesign Adobe Photoshop Adobe After Effects

Figma Rhino 3D Grasshopper Sketch Up Spline

# **EDUCATION**

California College of The Arts / MFA Design San Francisco Interdisciplinary Design - Graphic Design, Interaction Design, Product Design

Department of Design,
Nirma University / B.Des
Ahmedabad
Communication Design - 3rd
Rank
Head of the Graphics Committee -

Head of the Graphics Committee -REDO Cultural Festival University-wide Cultural Co-ordinator A communication designer with a focus in branding and graphic design. I utilize an interdisciplinary design process which allows my work to show up in unexpected ways.

## **EXPERIENCE**

## Poieto / Brand Designer

July 2022 - Present, San Francisco

Brand identity design for Poieto and their education branch, PoietoWorks. Visual design for social media and website.

#### Adobe / Reviewer

November 2023, San Francisco

Invited to be a portfolio reviewer at the Adobe Creative Retreat 2023 and share my experience with students and recent grads.

### Feminist AI / Digital Designer

July 2022 - January 2023, San Francisco

Graphic design for social media and website.

#### Studio Forward Fellow

July 2022 - August 2022, Google, California College of the Arts, San Francisco Received a fellowship following Studio Forward, a Google-sponsored studio. Collaborated with an illustrator and a fashion designer to explore the idea of belonging and self-expression by designing and conducting a workshop.

## Exhibitions Department, CCA / Graphic Designer

May 2022 - May 2023, San Francisco

Worked with the team to design exhibition vinyl, signage, and brochures Created visual system for Creative Citizens in Action (CCA@CCA), a college-wide creative activism initiative.

Editorial Design for Rewind Review Respond (RRR), an online design forum at CCA.

## BeeHively / Packaging Designer

January 2021 - June 2021, Ahmedabad

Designed packaging system for a premium honey brand based in India and the US.

#### Powwow/ Co-Founder

August 2020 - December 2020, Ahmedabad

Founded and led a discussion group consisting of designers and architects, which virtually met every week to discuss different topics ranging from design to finance.

#### Rhizome Design / Identity Design Intern

March 2020 - July 2020, Ahmedabad

Designed the visual identity of Rhizome Design's sustainable jewelry brand, Baka, the winner of Elle Magazine's jewelry and accessory category in 2021, and redesigned the logo of the studio's furniture and accessory label, Rhizome.

## The House of MG / Design Research Intern

May 2019 - July 2019, Ahmedabad

Researched and documented communities and businesses in the heritage city. Presented the research at the Mudra Institute of Communications, Ahmedabad.

