

ANNA CAI

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EDUCATION

2012-2016 University of Virginia, School of Architecture
Bachelor's of Science in Architecture, class of 2016

WORK EXPERIENCE

2012 Photographer + Marketing Assistant
for Memphis Music Store in Memphis, Tennessee

2012-2015 Graphic Designer + Marketing Intern
at the University of Virginia's Global Internships Program

2013 Intern for 3 weeks at Atelier Architecture Group
in Guangzhou, China

2013-2015 Marketing and Communications Manager at HackCville,
student entrepreneurship hub in Charlottesville, Virginia

2015 UI iOS Designer
for Alkemy, mobile app for monetizing data collection

2015-2016 Video Marketing + Communications Assistant
at the University of Virginia's School of Architecture

2015-2016 Costume Design Apprentice
for Annie Temmink at Artemmink in Charlottesville, Virginia

2016 Graphic Artist
for Michelle Obama's White House Kitchen Garden Design Team in Washington, D.C. and Charlottesville, VA

2016-2018 Primary English and Arts Teacher
for Lihlabeng Primary School rep. Peace Corps Lesotho in Mokhotlong, Lesotho

2018-2019 Graphic Design, Digital Art + Animation Instructor
for The Hub in Morija, local organization focusing on training youth in technology and the arts, Morija Lesotho

2018-present Freelance Designer
creating graphic design, wearable art and film commissions for clients in performing art and events industries

2019-present English Teacher
for VIPKid Online Teaching, obtained TESOL certification

VOLUNTEER WORK

2012-2016 Volunteer (maintenance work and project assistant) + Marketing
for IX Art Park Initiative in Charlottesville, VA

2014 Volunteer
for AIAS Freedom by Design at UVa in Charlottesville, VA

SKILLS

Photoshop ■■■■■■
InDesign ■■■■■■
Illustrator ■■■■■■
Premiere ■■■■■■
AfterEffects ■■■■■■

Rhinoceros ■■■■■■
Grasshopper ■■■■■■
AutoCAD ■■■■■■
SketchUp ■■■■■■

Sesotho ■■■■■■
Indonesian (Bahasa) ■■■■■■
Mandarin Chinese ■■■■■■
English ■■■■■■

VOLUNTEER WORK (cont'd)

- 2015 Design-Build Manager
for Growing for Change with Westhaven Public Housing in Charlottesville, VA
- 2016-2018 Peace Corps Lesotho Primary School English Teacher
teaching English, Life Skills, and Arts & Entrepreneurship subjects; providing support in Positive Behaviour Systems
fundraised \$5253 in grants and donations for construction of two new classrooms and art supplies
- 2018-present Arts Education Volunteer Facilitator + Marketing Manager
for the Morija Arts Centre, an initiative aimed at supporting local arts and art education in Lesotho
fundraised \$6644 in grants and donations for community art programming

LEADERSHIP

- from 2014 Founder of the Creative Lock-in, local festival for community artists, poets, musicians and performers
- 2015-2016 President of the UVa Chapter of National Organization of Minority Architecture Students
- 2016 Team leader of Vortex Architectural Design Competition Communications
- 2018 Founder of the Afro-Asian Wearable Art collective Zhuang Ka Joang
- 2018 Co-founder of the performing arts event series Tiny Gallery Concert Lesotho
- 2019 Founder of the Arts Education program at Morija Arts Centre

AWARDS

- Intermediate Honors for Exceptional Academic Performance
- National Finalist 2015 NOMA Student Design Competition in New Orleans, LA
- 2016 Public Service Award from the University of Virginia School of Architecture
- Finalist in Women's Wear at Lesotho Fashion Week 2018 in Thaba Bosiu, Lesotho

CONFERENCES

- Young Global Leader attendee at 2018 Mo Ibrahim Annual Governance Weekend Conference in Kigali, Rwanda
- Guest Speaker at GEM Institute's 2019 Girls in Tech Conference in Maseru, Lesotho