ANNA GROSS

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA | Grad. 2020

BDes in Product Design Cumulative QPA 3.86/4.0

Accademia Italiana

Florence, Italy | Fall Term 2018

Product Design
Packaging Design
Renaissance Art History
Batik and Textile Dyeing

HONORS

Lee Goldman Award

2019 // Design + Professional Promise

School of Design Merit Award

2016-2017 // Design

CMU Dean's List

2017-2019

SKILLS

Physical Prototyping
Woodworking
Sketching + Visualization
Metalworking + Welding
Ceramics + Clay
Batik + Shibori Dyeing
Paper Cutting
Elementary Chinese
Design Thinking
Design Research
Digital Photography

PROGRAMS

Adobe CC (Ps, Ai, Id), SolidWorks, Fusion 360, KeyShot, SketchUp, Rhino

WORK EXPERIENCE

Carnegie Mellon University // Visualizing Teaching Assistant

Pittsburgh, PA | Fall 2019

Supported first-year design students in developing fundamental sketching skills. Assisted professors in teaching concepts of figure-ground translation, perspective construction, field notation, and storyboarding for idea explanation.

Procter & Gamble // Feminine Care Innovation Design

Cincinnati, OH | Summer 2019

Worked within the Feminine Care Studio (Always + Tampax brands) developing white space product opportunities through landscape analysis, strategy framing, prototyping, and cross-studio pitches.

Bento // BentoBuild Industrial Design

Brooklyn NY | Summer 2018

Worked within the BentoBuild Industrial Design branch, produced client presentations, marketing materials, interior layouts, computer-generated renderings and models, and gained further insight into the manufacturing side of product design.

Freelance // Design & Illustration

Various Locations I 2016-Present

PROJECTS & INVOLVEMENT

Final_FINAL_v36 copy.show // Curator

Pittsburgh PA | Fall 2019

Collaborated with a small team to create Final_FINAL_v36 copy.show, a culmination of 36 students' design work. Acting as a representative for the Product Design track, I took on leading positions in project curation, exhibit design, build, and installation.

CMU Design League // Member

Pittsburgh PA | 2016-Present

Part of a student-run organization aiming to bring design based events and experiences to both those within and outside of the School of Design.

WRCT 88.3 // DJ & Member

Pittsburgh PA | 2016-2018

Host/co-host of a weekly radio music show broadcasting to the city of Pittsburgh.

Tiny House Project // Team Leader and Designer

West Chester PA | 2015-2016

Designed and built a fully sustainable off the grid tiny home, currently stationed at Westtown School, it's now being used as a guesthouse for visitors and featured speakers.