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Los Angeles, CA

Education

MFA Graphic Design

Otis College of Art and Design
2015 — 2017
Los Angeles, CA

BFA Visual Communication

CENTRO
2010 — 2015
CDMX, Mexico

Work

Women's Center for Creative Work

Design Fellow
October 2018 — Present
Los Angeles, CA

Omnivore

Graphic Designer
October 2017 — Present
Los Angeles, CA

Kilter

Freelance Graphic Designer
August 2018
Los Angeles, CA

Content Object

Assistant Graphic Designer
December 2017 — 2018
Los Angeles, CA

verynice Studio

Volunteer in Residence
September — December 2017
Los Angeles, CA

Would Inglewood

Freelance Branding Designer
January — December 2017
Los Angeles, CA

Work (cont)

TedXWomen Pasadena

Freelance Branding Designer
April — August 2016
Los Angeles, CA

TrueCar

Freelance Graphic Designer
September 2016 — June 2017
Santa Monica, CA

The Yellow Loft

Graphic Design Intern
August — December 2015
Los Angeles, CA

Workshops & Awards

Summer Sessions Artez

Workshop
2016
CDMX, Mexico

Mexican Poster Biennial for human immigration rights

Workshop finalist
2016
CDMX, Mexico

KEA Charette for recycling community

Workshop & Visionary Prize Award
2015
Copenhagen, Denmark

Freelance Clients

Facebook Latinos in Tech— Campos Creative Works

Logo development
April 2018
Los Angeles, CA

Xandu' Mezcal—

Branding and packaging design
development
November 2017 — March 2018
Los Angeles, CA

Van Nuys Arts Festival— Champion City

Identity development
April — September 2017
Los Angeles, CA

Areas of work

Editorial and book design
Zines!
Branding
Website design & code
Typographic work such as posters,
cards, flyers, etc.
Vector Illustration
Design research
Content and concept driven design

Software

Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe After Effects
HTML / CSS / Basic Jss