

WORK EXPERIENCE

Berlin, Germany
Oct 2016 - Oct 2017

Makea Industries GmbH / Fablab Berlin | Product Designer

- › Worked on the project “Made for my wheelchair”, where we developed wheelchair add-ons as open-source products in a team of designers, makers, and users with rapid prototyping technologies.
- › Coordinated project participants, led qualitative user research, assisted in planning and facilitating inclusive design workshops, led usability testing.
- › Worked on project documentation, created the visual design of the website and other materials for publicity, organized and participated in presentations.

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Mandalah conscious innovation | Freelance Product Designer

- › Participated in design sprints to create innovative and user-centered solutions for a car seat producer and a pet food company.
- › Created storyboards and prototypes for user testing and presentation.

Berlin, Germany
Jan 2016 - Oct 2017

Be Able e.V. | Design Facilitator, Product Designer

- › Worked as part of the core team of Be Able, a social design collective with a focus on inclusive design.
- › Led the “Pancake project”, a series of experimental ceramic workshops aiming to empower people with mental disabilities. This was then developed into a new production concept for the sheltered workshop Stephanus-Werkstätten Berlin.
- › Co-planned and conducted inclusive design thinking workshops.

Germany
Mar 2015 - Oct 2017

Slow Tofu | Founder

- › Designed, marketed and sold tofu-making tools, manufactured in collaboration with traditional artisans in China.
- › Planned and held tofu workshops in collaboration with the Berlin-based tofu manufacturer Tofu Tussis.
- › Created the project concept during bachelor thesis, aiming to bring awareness to the cultures behind tofu and reveal the value of freshly made tofu.

Köln, Germany
Oct 2015 - Jan 2016

sedes research | Service Design Intern

- › Assisted the redesign of employees' workflow of the nursing center Evangelische Christophoruswerk.
- › Conducted qualitative user research, created user experience journeys, participated in co-creating workshops.
- › Participated in the redesign of the health care platform ProFIT.
- › Assisted with the qualitative user research, worked on the information architecture, paper prototyping and wireframing.

Meezen, Germany
Jun 2015 - Jan 2016

Dörfel Design | Freelance Tableware Designer

- › Assisted the design of the hotel dining set “MOON” for Rak Porcelain, bringing together the dining cultures of the East and the West.
- › Conducted research, created concept sketches and concept models, helped create technical drawings and build prototypes for presentation.

- Hangzhou, China
May - Oct 2014
- PINWU Design Studio | Product Design Intern**
- > Prepared research into traditional craftsmanship for designers participating in the Rong Design Exhibition.
 - > Worked in the production team on the window display design for Hermès.
- Stuttgart, Germany
Apr - Aug 2013
- Mueller Goranko Design Consultancy | Product Design Intern**
- > Assisted the redesign of the ING-DiBa online bank to provide easier navigation for the users, using paper prototyping, wireframing and digital prototyping.
 - > Created illustrations, icons, and style guides for the food ordering app FeedMe.
 - > Developed two products for making fresh ginger tea, from research to ideation, prototyping, 3D modeling, and visual presentation.
- Weimar, Germany
Apr 2011 - Feb 2013
- Studierendenwerk Thüringen | Cultural Exchange Coordinator**
- > Matched international students to local families for cultural exchanges.
 - > Organized weekly campus event "Culture Talks" where international students shared aspects of their own cultures.

EDUCATION

- Weimar, Germany
Oct 2010 - Apr 2015
- Bauhaus Universität Weimar**
BFA Product Design | 3.6 GPA
- Potsdam, Germany
Oct 2015 - Feb 2016
- HPI School of Design Thinking**
Completed Basic Track.

EXHIBITION

- Düsseldorf, Germany
Oct 2017
- REHACare**
Exhibited "Made for my wheelchair".
- online
Feb 2017
- 3rd International Conference of Food Design**
Presented "Slow Tofu".
- Milan, Italy
Apr 2016
- Cascina Cuccagna at Milan Design Week**
Exhibited the "Pancake project".
- Frankfurt, Germany
Sept 2015
- Tendence Fair for consumer goods**
Exhibited thesis project "Slow tofu".
- Milan, Italy
Apr 2015
- Salone Satellite at Milan Design Week**
Exhibited thesis project "Slow tofu".

AWARDS

- China
May 2016
- Design Intelligence Award**
Selected as top 22 with thesis project "Slow tofu".
- Germany
Jun 2015
- German Design Award**
Nominated as excellent product design with thesis project "Slow tofu".

SKILLS

SOFTWARE

Adobe Photoshop
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe Fireworks
Adobe XD
Figma
Sketch
Maxon Cinema 4D
Rhinoceros

DESIGN

- > User & Design Research
- > Sketching & Ideation
- > Jorneymapping & Storyboard
- > Wireframing & Prototyping
- > Prototyping: wood, metal, ceramics, textiles, 3D, etc.
- > Visual Design
- > User- & Usability Testing
- > Documentation & Presentation

LANGUAGES

English: fluent
German: fluent
Chinese: native