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My Philosophy

With my core as a design researcher and systems thinker, I focus on leveraging future thinking and a more-than-human approach in the space of environment, health, and well-being. I am deeply interested in the intersection of emerging technologies, human behavior, and community involvement and use this to translate insights into actionable solutions.

Education

Masters in Design Futures
Royal College of Art
2024 - Present | London, UK

Bachelors of Product Design
UID
2016 - 2020 | Gujarat , India

Software

2D Software
Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, Premiere Pro and Indesign | Figma | Miro | Canva | Wix

3D Software
Fusion 360 | Rhinoceros | Keyshot

Languages

English , Hindi, Telugu

Work and Projects

Ooloi Labs | October 2020 - June 2024
Strategy and Partnership Associate
Led projects from client discovery through implementation, helping Orgs/Funders/Ngo's in the public sector identify and address gaps in knowledge management, data visibility, and accessibility across public-facing and private platforms using the OKF framework.

Clients: Arghyam Foundation, Noora Health, Quest Alliance, Nanhi Kali, Giving Tuesday, Veditum, MHai (Mentrual Health alliance)
Core Skills: Service design, Strategy & Implementation, Project Management, UX Research, Participatory Research, External Comms

Yaher | Dec 2019 - 2020 | Government Funded Startup
Co-Founder, Incubated under Karnavati University
Yaher addressed fly and mosquito challenges with biophillic energy-efficient product solutions for the hospitality industry and a community-driven, participatory waste management system for slums in India.

Core Skills: Lean 6 Sigma, Product Design, Ground Research, Entrepreneurial Thinking, Systems Thinking, Empathy, Critical Thinking and Innovation

Thoughtshop Foundation | Sept 2019 - Oct 2019
Studied local culture, social dynamics and hierarchy in WB. to develop a homestay initiative aimed at combating trafficking, urban migration, & safeguarding local livelihoods, to enhance community well-being.

Core Skills: System Design, Participatory Approach, Wicked problems

MADLAB | June 2019 - August 2019
Worked with a focus on materials to help create sustainable, environment, and user-friendly packaging for the railway segment chain stores of ID.

Core Skills: Product design, Packaging design

Telangana Government - State Handloom Weavers | Oct 2018 - Dec 2018
Graphic and Logo design
Made the logo that is currently in use by the offical website of the Telangana Weavers association by capturing the essence of Telangana handloom weaver's rich heritage.

Core skills: Graphic Design, Visual Design