

# HYEJUN YOUN

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I am an Interactive designer, developer and researcher with a passion for user experience design and HCI using cutting-edge technology and psychology. I use an approach that is both creative and data-informed, and I am eager to work on interactive projects on multiple platforms.

## EDUCATION

### Harvard University

M.Des Concentration in Medium, 2023  
Dean's Merit Scholarship

### Rhode Island School of Design (RISD)

M.F.A in Digital Media, 2020  
2 Years Fellowship with Assistantship  
Thesis Topic: "Finding Identity Through Memory"

### New York University

B.S. in Psychology with track in Social Psychology and Perception  
Double minor in Studio Art | Digital Art and Design  
Honors: Dean's List. 2014 - 2018

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Bristle, New York, NY

UI/UX Designer, Jan - Present

Responsible for projects involving branding, illustrations & UI/UX design for a startup. Collaborate with developer team, and design and launch a website using prototyping tools Figma. Involve in all UI design decision to create visually stimulating designs.

### Spark AR Creator Lab Facebook, Republic of Korea, Seoul

AR Designer, Oct - Nov 2020

Design Instagram AR filters using SparkAR tool for use in marketing and advertising. Collaborated with Facebook engineers and designers

### MIT Media Lab, Cambridge, MA

Collaborator, Feb 2020 - Present

Collaborate with the MIT Media Lab under a Ph.D. candidate in the Responsive Environments Group, develop the HCI of a pneumatic device for soft robotics using HTML, CSS, and Javascript. Research and fabrication into soft robotics, including preliminary course development for a soft robotics course at MIT

### Loft, Providence, RI

UI/UX Designer/Video Editor, Jan - Mar 2020

Worked on 3D animation, video editing, and information architecture projects, assisted in ideation and prototyping using Sketch, Invision and AdobeXD, provided visually compelling solutions rooted in user-centered research insights

### Bread Communication, Republic of Korea, Seoul

Video Editor/Graphic Design Intern, Jun - Aug 2018 & 2019

Developed storyline and storyboards for Samsung refrigerator, assisted in photographing Samsung LED, helped designing massive media installation at Incheon International Airport.

## AWARD

### TEI Conference Art and Performance

Publication "AuxeticBreath", 2021  
One of two selected artists residency, 2021

### HackBrown 2020, Providence, RI

Best Real World Application, 2020

### Cracking Habit, Seoul, South Korea

Single Exhibition, 2020  
<https://hyejun95.github.io/images/dnmd-interview.pdf>

### HackHarvard 2019, Cambridge, MA

Best Overall Hack (2nd Place), 2019  
Best UX/UI Design, 2019  
<https://www.thecrimson.com/article/2019/10/21/2019-hackharvard>

### HackNY 2019, New York, NY

Best Use of Giphy SDK Award, 2019

### MIT Hacking Arts 2019, Cambridge, MA

Finalist, 2019

### RISD Material Funds, Providence, RI

Selected Graduate Students Funds, 2019

### Cyberspace VR, Providence, RI

Granoff Center, Brown University, 2019  
Sol Koffler, Rhode Island School of Design, 2019  
<http://writing3d.xyz/#Final%20Presentations>

### Decoding Language, Providence, RI

Cyberarts Gallery, Group Exhibition, 2019  
<https://bostoncyberarts.org/new-user-digital-media-at-risd-exhibition>

## SKILLS

### 2D Design

Adobe Suites	Sketch	Proto.io
Invision	Figma	Zeplin

### 3D Design

Unity 3D	Rhino 3D	Maya
Z Brush	Cinema 4D	Fusion 360

### Programming

JavaScript	CSS	p5js
Python	HTML	Vuforia
Processing	Kinect	Unity 3D