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EDUCATION

Graduated May 2019 **Appalachian State University** - *Boone, NC*
Bachelor of Science in Industrial Design, Furniture Design concentration
Minor in Marketing
Graduated *Cuma Sum Laude*

WORK EXPERIENCE

Jan 2019 to Present **Misha Kahn Studio Assistant**
Produce all 3D models for 3D printing, robotic milling, and outsourcing
Assist in physical fabrication with carving, metal-forming, mold-making, casting, etc.
Render images for proposals, tapestries, paintings, wallpapers, etc.

Aug 2018 to May 2019 **Wood and Metal Shop Technician**
Ensure safe practices for all Industrial Design students
Assisted students with design challenges
Maintained equipment and cleaned facilities

Summer / Winter 2016 to 2018 **Right Angle Woodworks Assistant**

Outdoor Furniture Manufacturing	Flooring
Outdoor Furniture Restoration	Demolition
High-End Remodeling	Installation
Deck Work	Wiring

EXPERIENCE AND AWARDS

2019 **Smith Gallery's Art & Design Expo** - Best in Show
2018 **Pinnacle Award** - Student Winner
2018 **Celia Moh Scholar** - Full Ride for students in the Home Furnishings Industry
2018 **ISFD** - Co-President of Appalachian State University Chapter
2018 **Design Schools Workshop** - WantedDesign, NYC Design Week
2018 **Podium Design Competition** - Winning Group Design, HOW Space Gallery
2015 **Mary Evelyn & Harry Laurent Scholar** - Community Foundation of Henderson County

PRESS, PRINT, AND EXHIBITIONS

May 2021 **Cast Iron** Emma Scully Gallery - *Manhattan, NY*
Jan 2021 **99 Spring Street** Superchief Gallery - *Manhattan, NY*
Dec 2020 **Super Group** Super House Gallery - *Brooklyn, NY*
Oct 2020 **Garden of Riches** Good Naked Gallery - *Peterborough, NH*
Dec 2019 **Out of the Box** Nonfinito Gallery - *Manhattan, NY*
Oct 2019 **Object Permanence 4** 1stdibs Gallery - *Manhattan, NY*
May 2019 **Jonald Dudd** - *Manhattan, NY*
Feb 2019 **Art & Design Expo** Smith Gallery - *Boone, NC*
Apr 2019 **Homework Group Show** Plant Seven - *High Point, NC*
Dec 2018 **The Peel Review Fall Release Party** HOW Space Gallery - *Boone, NC*
Nov 2018 **Cucalorus Film Festival** - *Wilmington, NC*
Aug 2018 **Industrial Design Showcase** Looking Glass Gallery - *Boone, NC*
Jun 2018 **6th Annual Tri-Coastal Mega Group Show** Superchief Gallery - *Brooklyn, NY*
Jun 2018 **Core 77** *"WantedDesign School Workshop 2018"* web article
May 2018 **Chancellor House Show** ASU Chancellor's Home - *Boone, NC*
May 2018 **Stimulation Overload 3** Superchief Gallery - *Miami, FL*
May 2018 **Robovine Roboshow** (solo show) Nth Degree Gallery - *Boone, NC*
Apr 2018 **The Peel Review Spring Release Party** HOW Space Gallery - *Boone, NC*
Feb 2018 **Art & Design Expo** Smith Gallery - *Boone, NC*