

# ANDREA BENATAR

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Junior Experiential Designer | IA Interior Architects

June 2022- Present

Assisting and leading experiential design and environmental branding for a wide range of clients at all project stages, from schematic design to install.

### Exhibition Design Intern | Smithsonian Institution

June 2021- August 2021

Worked on design ideation and development for various exhibitions within the National Museum of American History.

### Teaching Assistant | Carnegie Mellon University

Spring 2021, Fall 2021

Teaching assistant for design elective course, Design for Social Innovation, and first-year studio, Survey of Design.

### Design Researcher | Educating All Learners Alliance

June 2020- September 2020

Conducted design research to develop a nationwide resource unpacking challenging scenarios for diverse learners during the COVID-19 pandemic.

### Industrial Design Intern | Beyond Design

June 2019- August 2019

Worked alongside lead designers to conduct initial research, create client pitch decks, concept sketches and renderings.

## EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

Bachelor of Design, Minor in Photography

Class of 2022

GPA: 3.9

## HONORS

Lee Goldman Award for Design Excellence, 2021

College Dean's List, Spring 2019- fall 2021

## SKILLS

Adobe CC

Microsoft Office

CAD (Solidworks, Fusion 360, SketchUp)

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DSLR photography

Desktop prototyping

Woodworking

Drawing

Native Spanish speaker