



Julius Tarn

I design *products and experiences*, physical or digital.

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Education

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA / August 2007 – May 2011
BFA in Industrial Design & 2nd major in
Human-Computer Interaction.
GPA 3.7 / Dean's List

Art Center College of Design & Concept Design Academy

Pasadena, CA / May 2009 – August 2009
Courses in sketching, product design,
and entertainment design.

Skills

Rapid ideation & concepting
Sketching & rendering
Modelshop & rapid prototyping

Ethnographic research methods
Design synthesis
Iterative prototyping & wireframing
Interaction & experience design

Microsoft Office
Adobe CS5 (PS, IL, ID, FL, DW, FW)
Solidworks, Rhino, Alias, Keyshot
HTML5 & CSS3

Mandarin Chinese: spoken, read, written
Hip-hop, locking, breakdancing

Experience

Industrial Design Intern

Smart Design / New York, NY / June 2011 – November 2011
Worked with brand communication, strategists, and engineers to research,
develop, and refine products, conceptual visions, and experiences for clients
in both industrial and interaction design disciplines.

Freelance Industrial Designer

Mobile Entertainment Startup / Taiwan / October 2010
Conceptualized kiosk designs for delivering mobile content in emerging
markets. Interpreted brief with cultural studies and manufacturing
prerequisites. Communicated overseas with the CEO and project managers.

Industrial Design Intern

Eastman Kodak Company / Rochester, NY / June 2010 – August 2010
Conceptualized and developed C-series cameras and accessories in
collaboration with an outside consultant. Assisted with advanced concepting
of future digital capture devices. Negotiated with overseas OEMs, engineers,
and manufacturers to maintain design intent and low cost.

Intern User Interface Designer

Nokia, Inc. / Mountain View, CA / June 2008 – August 2008
Designed new web and mobile interfaces for Nokia's Files on Ovi service.
Collaborated with engineers and programmers to implement design intent.

Sponsored projects

Nissan Motors	ID, IxD / 2010	Carnegie Museum	IxD / 2011
General Motors	ID, IxD / 2010	CASC (USDA)	ID, IxD / 2011
Radio Flyer	ID / 2010		

Other relevant experience

Teaching Assistant
ID Junior Studio / Spring 2011

Vice President, Secretary
CMU IDSA / 2010–2011

Instructor
Sketchology / Fall 2010

President, webmaster
CMU TSA / 2009–2010