# **RYAN DENG**

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# **EDUCATION**

#### University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Cumulative GPA: 3.83/4.0 Major 1: Information Science, Bachelor of Science Major 2: Communication Studies: Media Technology and Production, Bachelor of Arts Minor: Data Science Relevant Course: Work: Interactive Web & Media Development, Programming for Information Science, Animation Production, Audio/Film Production and Writing, Game Design, Information Resources and Services

#### Syracuse University

Cumulative GPA: 3.9/4.0 Major 1: Magazine, News and Digital Journalism Major 2 Applied Data Analytics Renée Crown University Honors Program Academic Merit Scholarships

#### **SKILLS**

Technical: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SketchUp, Unity, Adobe Creative Suit, Twine, Canva, Microsoft Office Suite Language: English (Fluent), Chinese (Native),

## WORK EXPERIENCE

#### IT Media Intern, UNC Department of Information Technology (Part-Time Staff) Sep 2024 - Present

• Participated in animation production, along with providing support for audio and video projects, and assisting in livestreaming major events

• Provided support to the UNC ATS Classroom team, ensuring smooth technical operations and assisting with various project implementations as required.

• Contributed to the development of technology user guides through writing and graphic design, while managing administrative responsibilities such as project tracking, and data entry

#### Digital Media Assistant, Bazhou Xuanying Trading Co., Ltd, China (Summer Intern) Jun 2024 - Aug 2024

• Assisted in creating a content calendar specifically designed for platforms like Red, TikTok, and Weibo to enhance customer engagement and company visibility in the retail sector

• Contributed to the strategic planning of digital marketing campaigns by analyzing market trends and identifying customer needs to create content that resonates with both retail and wholesale audiences

#### Special Education Trainer, Syracuse University Taishoff Center (Part-Time Staff)

- · Organized and conducted weekly activities tailored to enrich the experiences of students with intellectual disabilities
- · Established strong rapport through regular interactions with students, offering guidance to enhance social experiences

· Collaborated with a diverse team of educators to develop and implement personalized educational strategies

## **PROJECTS**

#### Web Development

• Created an informative webpage to raise awareness and promote conservation efforts for the Vaquita.

• Utilized HTML to structure content and create interactive sections. Implemented CSS for advanced animations such as fade-ins for header and content, hover effects for navigation, and responsive design using flexbox and grid.

· Applied JavaScript for dynamic functionality, including an image carousel, scroll-triggered animations for revealing content, and a modal pop-up for donations. Added smooth transitions and interactive behavior to enhance user experience.

#### **Mini Documentary Production**

• Overview: Directed and produced a mini-documentary that delves into the ethical dilemmas faced by a photography enthusiast who questions the implications of her work on the human rights of her subjects.

• Skills Demonstrated: Showcased strong storytelling, ethical inquiry, and film-production skills, along with a keen understanding of the complex relationship between art and ethics.

#### Aug 2023 - Present

Aug 2021 - May 2023

Sep 2022 - May 2023

#### Aug 2024 - Present

Apr 2024 - Jun 2024