

## Joshua Shao

Design + Development  
<http://joshuashao.design/>  
jshao@risd.edu  
(408) 887-9227

Joshua Shao is a designer and developer. He's originally from San Francisco, CA and is currently at RISD studying Graphic Design. He is very interested in the intersection of design and tech, and focuses his creative practice on human-computer interaction and creative coding.

## TOOLS

### Design:

Photoshop  
Illustrator  
InDesign  
Lightroom  
After Effects

### Prototyping:

Sketch  
Invision  
Framer  
Principle  
Protopie

### Programming:

HTML & SCSS  
Javascript  
jQuery  
Node.js  
Terminal  
Git

## EDUCATION

### Rhode Island School of Design | 2016–Present

Bachelor of Fine Arts: Graphic Design, expected June 2019  
Concentration: Computation, Technology, and Culture  
Overall GPA: 3.797 (Honors)

### University of the Arts London: Central Saint Martins | 2015

Free Elective Semester Programme (FESP)

### Santa Clara University | 2013-2015

Leavey School of Business: Marketing Major  
Army ROTC: Bronco Battalion Cadet

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Media Group, Rhode Island School of Design | Jun 2017–Sept 2017

Design Intern

- Collaborated with team members to help design the Rhode Island School of Design 2017–2018 Undergraduate Viewbook.
- Designed and updated the 2017–2018 RISD Phonebook.
- Assisted the Design team with concept ideation, photo-editing, typesetting, web design, and various other support roles.

### 12th Psychological Operations Battalion, United States Army | Jan 2015–Feb 2016

S4 Logistics Intern

- Worked closely with senior officers and noncommissioned officers (NCOs) in planning and organizing supply/operations material for company sized unit.
- Prepared material for Staff Update Briefs to the Battalion Executive Officer.
- Shadowed Military Intelligence and Psychological Operations Officers.
- Participated in enlisted soldier class briefings (MI, PsyOps).

### Ignatian Center for Jesuit Education, Santa Clara University | June 2014–July 2014

Jean Donovan Fellow

- Awarded a \$2,000 grant for proposed overseas service project.
- Planned and executed project at Huang Tan Zhongxin Elementary School of Huang Tan Village, a rural town located near Jing DeZhen in the JiangXi Province of China.
- Served as an English teacher and community activist for 5-weeks.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

### 2017–2018 Albert R. Pontes Scholarship

One of twelve RISD students selected annually for excellence in design.

### Project Global Officers Scholarship Recipient

Six-week fully funded government scholarship for an Advanced Chinese Language. Program completed at Beijing Language and Culture University.