

# GWEN LU

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Address: Brooklyn NY, 11205.US  
Currently in Vancouver, Canada.  
Ability to relocate.

Designers are exploratory, questioning, creative and innovating, and that is what drives them. My passion, along with my determination, is to explore new ways of solving problems, and I am always constantly looking for opportunities to collaborate, and to gain more experience and new skills. To me, it is the quest for culture, knowledge and skills that make a designer's passion grow and keep the fire of creativity alive.

## Education

Pratt Institute: Interior Design BFA 2017-2021  
Prince of Wales Secondary School 2013-2017

## Design Skills

Autocad	Hand-rendering	Visual Presentations
Adobe Suite	Microsoft Office Suite	FF&E Selection
Enscape	Revit	Space Planning
Lumion	Rhino	3D Modeling

## Soft Skills

Time Management  
Fast Paced/ Learner  
Teampayer/ Collaborative  
Speed and Accuracy  
Problem Solver/ Organized

## Work Experience

### New Empire Corp. Brooklyn, NY

Construction Department, Interior Design Intern  
July 28, 2020-Dec.31, 2020

- Involved in all phases of the real estate architectural process
- Undertook design projects from concept to realization
- Defined project requirements and schedule
- Interpreted and translated needs into rough plans
- Researched and decided on materials and products sourcing

### Safae Interior Design Inc, Brooklyn, NY

Semester Interior Design Assistant  
Jan. 28, 2020-Jun. 17, 2020

- Material research
- Hand-rendering + digital rendering
- Graphic design in presentations
- Organized and updated official website
- Furniture research

### Pratt Institute: Engineering Technology Department (EDS), Brooklyn, NY

Computer Lab Monitor  
Aug. 26, 2019-Jun. 15, 2020

### Concrete Cashmere LTD, Vancouver, Canada

Summer Interior Design Assistant  
May 22, 2019-July. 12, 2019

- Involved in conducting full site verifications, space plans,
- Digital materials presentations.
- Sourced and organized furniture
- AutoCAD Drawing sets

### Shanghai Trendzone Construction Decoration Group CO.,Ltd, Shanghai, China

Summer Interior Design Intern  
May 31, 2018-Aug. 31 2018

### Aroma Café

Barista, Customer Services, Retail  
March, 2017-Aug, 2017

## Accomplishments

### Pratt Honor List

2018, 2019, 2020

“Campfire” Interior Design Project was selected by the school librarian to be featured in a NYC Department of Education (DOE) library newsletter

### GPA 4.0

during Covid-19 pandemic semester

### BC Achievement Scholarships

2017

### Grade 8 Piano Honours

The Royal Conservatory of Music

### PW Recognition list

Prince of Wales Art Club  
President--3 years

## Language

English  
Mandarin