# TIM KONG

# product design

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# experience

12-2024-Present

**3D Design Freelancer** · Self-Employed · Beaverton, OR

- •Fulfilled end-to-end furniture & product designs for private client homes, from initial concept, prototypes, photorealistic renders to final fabrication
- · Supported local design studios with 3D modeling, CAD, and manufacturing services to accelerate their product development cycles

#### 02/2024 - 12/2024

Home Goods Designer · Jacob & Son Furniture

- · Portland, OR
- · Create detailed 3D models for custom furniture designs using CAD software.
- · Collaborate with design and marketing teams to refine concepts aligning with client home needs
- · Worked with fabrication process, optimizing equipment to produce high-quality pieces

#### 06/23 - 12/2023

**Product Design Intern** · Portland Gear · Portland, OR

- · Assist lead designer with 3D modeling, CAD software and graphic designs for apparel products
- · Work with design and marketing teams to refine ideas from sketches to final products.
- · Manage digital design assets and contribute to future project planning

# 09/2022 - 12/2022

**Studio Floater** · Pratt + Larson · Portland, OR

- · Worked with floor team in pottery prep, setting, and firing
- ·Responsible for pottery quality control and inventory management

#### skills

- · CAD + Rendering: Rhino7, Solidworks, AutoCAD, GravitySketch, Blender, Fusion360, VRay, Keyshot
- · 3D printing + slicer softwares: Prusa, Creality, Ender
- · Adobe Suite: Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Fresco, Premiere
- · User research + visual goods prototyping
- · Okala sustainable creation methods
- Manufacturing processes in industral settings: wood, ceramic, metal
- · Office 365 Suite

#### academic

University of Oregon, BFA Product Design 10/2019-06/2023

06/2019-07/2020, 09/2020-08/2022

**Graphic Designer** · University of Oregon, Office of Sustainability · Eugene, OR

- Responsible for digital goods for branding+marketing using Adobe platforms
- · Involved in user research + prototyping with branding team for visual goods
- Design and streamline UO
  Sustainability website interaction according to traffic data

05/2018-06/2018

**Office Assistant** · 6th & Gibbs Church · Cottage Grove, OR

- · Created and maintained information using database management software
- · High proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite (e.g. Excel, Word)