# Manjusri Gobiraj

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## EDUCATION

## University of California, San Diego

San Diego, CA

Cognitive Science B.S. Specialization in Design and Interaction (GPA: 4.0)

September 2024 – June 2026

San Diego Miramar College

San Diego, CA

Associate of Arts Social and Behavioral Sciences (GPA: 4.0, Highest Honors)

June 2023 - May 2024

## EXPERIENCE

### UX Designer

San Diego, CA

Association for Computing Machinery

September 2024 - Present

- Designed restaurant discovery app with **innovative swiping feature** connecting locals, travelers, and restaurant owners for international dining experiences
- Conducted comprehensive user research, created personas and journey maps to identify key opportunity areas
- Developed wireframes and high-fidelity prototypes in Figma, earning recognition for concept and visual execution at showcase

## Lead Designer

San Diego, CA

The Center for Global Sustainable Development

January 2025 - Present

- Led design for Unity-based diabetes education game using Figma and Procreate, creating user-centered designs for ages 8-13
- Collaborated with cross-functional team as design lead, ensuring cohesive visual elements and educational
  content

#### Media Coordinator

San Diego, CA

Miramar College Society of Women Engineers

August 2023 - May 2024

- Created visual content and branding for Miramar SWE's social media using Canva, designing graphics for college peers and community members
- Led digital communication strategy to increase club visibility, increasing attendance by 50%

## STEAM Instruction Manager

San Diego, CA

University of San Diego, various K-12 schools

December 2020 - July 2023

- Designed and developed visual learning experiences for CAD and Arduino programming, creating user-centered educational materials that taught C/C++ through creative problem-solving projects for 100+ K-12 students
- Crafted engaging interactive lessons that translated complex technical concepts into accessible visual formats for underserved student populations

#### Projects

#### Non-Profit Website Redesign | Design for America

January 2025 – Present

- Led UX and visual design in 5-person team for non-profit homepage redesign, applying user research findings while adhering to brand guidelines
- Enhanced site navigation through program's "designing for good" methodology, preparing for stakeholder implementation in April

#### Digital Design Portfolio

August 2021 – Present

- Developed **strong visual design** foundation using **industry-standard software** including Procreate, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign through formal college coursework
- Expanded portfolio to include UX design projects, demonstrating knowledge with **graphic design** and **user experience** methodologies and solutions

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Figma, Python, Java, SwiftUI, C/C++, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign, OnShape, Solidworks, Procreate, Canva