

# KAAVYA GOEL

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## EDUCATION

### **Rhode Island School of Design [RISD]**

BFA Interior Architecture 2025  
Concentration in Nature, Culture,  
Sustainability Studies (NCSS)  
GPA: 3.8/4.0

## SKILLS

### **Software**

Rhino V7, AutoCAD, Sketchup, Photoshop,  
Illustrator, Premiere Pro, Microsoft  
Office Suite

### **Technical**

3D Printing, Model Making, Wood  
Machinery, Risograph printing,  
Laser cutting

### **Creative**

Concept Sketching, Prototyping,  
Design Thinking

## LEADERSHIP

Co-President / 2021–2023  
Architecture for All

Event Manager / 2021–present  
South Asian Student Association

Program Head / 2022–2023  
E–ship (Entrepreneurship)

Program Team / 2023–present  
XR – Hub

Fashion and Modelling / 2019  
Designed and modelled a dress

## AWARDS

Student Honor RISD / 2021–2023

PTA Award / 2020

National Art Award / 2018

## OBJECTIVE SUMMARY

Gain more experience in planning interior spaces, enhancing aesthetics and functionality, developing spatial arrangements, and materials to create inclusive, sustainable, harmonious, practical, and appealing environments.

## EXPERIENCE

### **Interior Design Intern • Studio DRA / fall 2021**

Contributed in multiple phases of design on hospitality and residential projects with a focus on schematic design, product sourcing, and design documentation.

### **Architecture Intern • LTDF / summer 2022**

Contributed to project teams with preparation of construction drawings, space planning and specifying furniture and finishes. Managed architecture design library.

### **Furniture Design Intern • Sita Nanda / summer 2023**

Acquired proficiency in wood polishing, including staining and varnishing, to enhance wood's aesthetics. Honed my skills in restoring and preserving wood surfaces.

### **Textiles Intern • Shades of India / summer 2023**

Internship centered on crafting duvet covers. Gained in–depth knowledge of fabric selection, pattern design, and sewing techniques, understanding quality control and production processes.

### **Mentor • ProFolio / june 2023 – present**

Guiding high school students, interested in art and design with creative skill development by assisting art projects for portfolio application and design thinking principles.

### **Teaching Assistant • Prof Leslie Hirst, RISD / sep 2022 – present**

Worked in foundational design course to help students gain understanding of design principles and help brainstorm and develop thinking process ideas for projects.

### **Orientation Leader Head • RISD Student Leadership / sep 2022, sep 2023**

Served as a positive role model for new students, their families, and fellow leaders. Assisted acquaint them with campus services, activities, and rules. Lead tours and discussion groups.

### **Tech Assistant • Wood Shop, RISD / sep 2022– present**

Providing supervision for all shop activities when considered necessary. Ensure proper scheduling for shop project activities to optimize shop safety.