

# Kejia Yu

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## EDUCATION

**Carnegie Mellon University** **Pittsburgh, PA**  
*School of Drama, Scenic Design* *M.F.A. expected May 2025*

- **GPA:** 3.75/4.00
- **Relevant Coursework:** Scenic Design Exploration, Scenic Painting, Introduction to Digital Media, History of Architecture and Decor, 3D Model Making, 2D Drawing and Rendering, Design for Living Spaces, Design for Screen Spaces, Concept Development for LBE, Animation: Storyboarding

**Beijing Forestry University** **Beijing, China**  
*Furniture Design and Manufacture* *B.E. Jun 2021*

- **GPA:** 84/100
- **Relevant Coursework:** Design Aesthetics, Design Mechanics, Computer-Aided Design, Materials Science, Interior Architecture Design, Methodology of Furniture Design, Model Making, Drawing and Painting

## THEATRE EXPERIENCE

**Put Your House In Order | Scenic Design** **Rauh Theatre | Feb - Nov 2023**

*Director: Alyssa Rivera*

- *Set design based on the script*
- *Props management and scenic painting*

**Babel | Assistant Scenic Design** **Wells Studio | Sep 2022 - Feb 2023**

*Director: Lucy Murphy      Scenic Design: Paul Molina*

**Gloria | Assistant Scenic Design** **Rauh Theatre | Feb 2024 - now**

*Director: Kaycee Swierc      Scenic Design: Carolyn Burback*

- Assist with researching, model making, props making and management, and scenic painting

## TV EXPERIENCE

**Capsicum Fired Meat | Assistant Art Director** **Tencent Video | Nov 2021 - Jan 2022**

*Director: Zeng Zeng      Art Director: Hou Jie*

**The Taste of Passionate Fruit | Assistant Art Director** **Hunan TV Station | Jun - Sep 2020**

*Director: Zeng Zeng      Art Director: Hou Jie*

**Secrete Dad | Assistant Art Director** **Hunan TV Station | Jun - Sep 2020**

*Director: Huang Yingxinag      Art Director: Li Ang*

Responsible for assisting the Production Designer in designing and collaborating:

- Look for suitable shooting locations based on the script
- Assist in drafting, rendering, model making, props management, and set dressing
- Communicate and cooperate with other departments

## ENTERTAINMENT EXPERIENCE

**Universal Beijing Resort | Entertainment Operation Intern** *Nov 2020 - Jan 2021*

Responsible for assisting in a New Year TV Show project with Beijing TV Station:

- Assist in the concept development of show content
- Organize department meetings and summarize meeting minutes
- Communicate with other departments to promote working progress
- Translate routine working documents and materials

**Shanghai Institute of Stage Technology | Stage Engineering Intern** *Feb 2021*

- Assist in drawing construction drafting, for the theatre and stage

## SKILL

**Language:** English / Mandarin

**Software:** SketchUp / Enscape / V-ray / Auto CAD / Photoshop / InDesign / MS Office

**Practical:** Model Making / Research / Drawing & Painting / Drafting / Digital Rendering / Scenic Painting

## AWARD

**Guixin Reading Room Design Competition | 1st Place Gold Medal** *2020*

- Design the reading room for a rural primary school in Wuhan, China, which was built in 2021-2022
- Complete the design proposal which is considered both spatial planning and furniture design

## REFERENCE

Available upon request