

# AIMEE YOUM

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## EDUCATION

### School of the Art Institute of Chicago

CHICAGO, IL. 2021 - Present

MA in Art Education

### Academy of Art University

SAN FRANCISCO, CA. 2015 - 2019

BFA in Photography

## SKILLS

- Adobe CC (Ps | Lr | Pr | Id | Ai)
- MS Office Suite
- Data Management
- Social Media Marketing
- Organization
- Collaboration
- Problem-Solving
- Attention to Detail

## INTERESTS

- Visual Literacy
- Participatory Museum
- Museum Education
- Public Engagement
- Universal Design
- Generation Gap

## PROJECTS

### ONCE UPON A TIME | 2023

: A collaborative quilt-making project as a tool for bridging the generation gap among Korean immigrants in the Chicago suburban area.

### MEANING OF SEEING | 2018

: A sensory (tactile) exhibition that visually impaired people also can appreciate visual art.

I am a visual storyteller and an educator who loves to build a community through meaning-making activities. Throughout my career as an art educator and exhibition coordinator in community-focused art institutions, I have developed a deep appreciation for diversity, accessibility, equity, and inclusivity in art and education. Currently, my primary aim is to create interactive experiences that cultivate a lifelong appreciation and to connect audiences from various backgrounds.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### TEACHING ASSISTANT

#### SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO, IL. September 2022 - May 2023

(9 mos)

- Collaborated with instructors to plan and execute effective teaching strategies in various art disciplines.
- Fostered a creative and inclusive atmosphere that inspires artistic exploration and expression.
- Provided one-on-one or group guidance to students during studio sessions, critiquing their work and offering constructive feedback.
- Facilitated group discussions and critique sessions, encouraging students to share their artistic processes and ideas.
- Documented students' artwork, including photographing, cataloging, and archiving.

### EXHIBITION COORDINATOR

#### HARVEY MILK PHOTO CENTER

SAN FRANCISCO, CA. October 2018 - March 2020

(1yr 6mos)

- Collaborated with the director to establish project timelines and supported exhibition teams in accomplishing all stages, ranging from initial planning to evaluation.
- Coordinated the photography and documentation of artworks for promotional and archival purposes.
- Developed educational programs, guided tours, and workshops related to the exhibition.

### VISUAL ARTS & LANGUAGE INSTRUCTOR

#### SF LOVE KOREAN COMMUNITY

SAN FRANCISCO, CA. March 2016 - August 2018

(2yrs 6mos)

- Conducted and interactive visual arts and Korean language lessons, incorporating hands-on activities, to K-12 Korean American students.
- Created a welcoming and inclusive classroom environment that fostered creativity, collaboration, and cultural understanding.
- Integrated cultural aspects into visual arts and Korean language instruction, aiming to instill an appreciation for traditions and heritage.