

# Chia Amisola

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Radical experiences for creators & communities.

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## Work

Teleport  
Product Design Intern  
5.2020—

Designing mobile product writing specs, user studies, mocks, & prototypes for early-stage, and coding web API. Also: copy, branding, GTM, analytics, roadmapping, & feature definition.

LAB.PH  
Product Design (P/T)  
5.2020—

Experience design & product for a community authentication platform's MVP launch in Manila for the gov to 1.7m Filipinos. Redesigning complete mobile experience & interfaces.

Rappler  
Tech & Design Intern  
6.2019—8.2019

Solo built newsroom documentation tool optimizing archival & collaboration for 60+ staff. Designed CMS, editor, & flows. Produced UI assets, held sprints & interviews, wrote spec & maintenance docs. Vue, Node, Wiki.js. Tech journalism work.

Twitter  
#EarlyBird  
5.2019

1 of 35 from >5,000 in a week-long program, designed early Quote Retweet & Profile QoL fixes, pitching to senior leaders.

Luminus, Yale Helix  
Tech & Design (P/T)  
8.2018—5.2019

Led design & engineering in team of 8. Built healthtech IoT MVP in <2 months, lowering time wasted in hospitals by 75%. Hosted design sprints, facilitated user research (held 100+ interviews). Designed the end-to-end web app experience.

Edukasyon.ph  
Design Intern  
4.2017—5.2017

Designed graphics, interfaces, & prototypes for >1m students Tracked product KPIs, & audited edtech market, manage projects, write specs. Increased student conversion by 230%.

## Additional Experience

Developh  
Founder & Director  
6.2016—

Scaled nonprofit to impact >100,000 in Southeast Asia with 42-person team at peak directing accelerator, events, ventures, & 1,000+ member community. Co-designed brand.

Develop in-house initiatives with millions in reach for tech equity. Co-lead 12 teams/nonprofits' ventures from ideation-market as national for-students accelerator. Analyze & advise Philippine startup ecosystem growth for schools and funds.

UXSociety Yale  
Founder & President  
9.2019—

Leading Yale's undergraduate design group & consultancy with 24 members. Teach, code, design, and work with clients.

Yale CCAM  
Fellow

Youngest fellow building creative projects, exhibiting & holding workshops. Exploring VR, game dev, creative code.

Yale Women's Center  
Public Relations

Manage projects & PR for 6,000+ constituents in New Haven. Produce content, print & digital graphics, & websites for 20+ resident orgs and the center working on issues of justice.

Tsai CITY  
Student Advisor

Manage programming & advise student founders at university accelerator. Co-organized hackathon for 200+ students.

## Education

Yale University (Expected 5.2022)  
Computer Science & Art (3.6/4.0)

Leading: Womxn in CS, UX Society, WYBC  
Yale Radio, Women's Center, oSTEM

## Tooling

**Design**—Adobe Creative Suite, Figma, Sketch, Framer/X, InVision, Principle

**Code**—HTML, CSS, JS/TypeScript, Vue, React, three.js, p5.js, SwiftUI

I like to prototype in code and make stuff tangible.

## Selected Projects

**lboto.ph**—Voter education platform growing >3m engagements in 3 weeks. Lead product team of 25.

**Technology.ph**—Writing & producing a digest for >600 readers. Lead 8 editors.

**Writing**—On Medium & [chias.blog](#). 100,000+ reads on tech & prose.

**Indie Game Development**—Net art and IF with over 5k plays, 3 exhibitions.

**Batid**—Citizen security app & political tools. Microsoft Imagine Cup Top 3.

**Cause**—Hub for advocacy-driven orgs in the PH. Lead team of 21.

**Round**—Reflection & spatial software.

Also: creative tools & webrings, reviving radio, & exploring the p2p web—[chia.dev](#).

## Awards

2020 **Adobe Design Circle Scholar**  
1 of 10 in Adobe's inaugural global design fellowship for good.

2020 **Palantir Women in Tech Scholar**

2019 **KPCB Design Fellow Finalist**

2019 **Speaker @ Grace Hopper Aus.**

2018 **Women of Silicon Valley Feature**

2018 **AnitaB.org Student of Vision, Speaker @ GHC (audience: 20k+)**

2018 **Microsoft Imagine Cup, 3rd Place**