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MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART

THINKER

VISIONARY

CREATOR

LEADER

ARTIST

COMMUNICATOR

EMPLOYER GUIDE

3 WAYS TO CONNECT



WELCOME TO MICA

THANK YOU

**FOR YOUR INTEREST IN
MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART
STUDENTS AND ALUMNI FOR YOUR
PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITY!**

Learn more about MICA artists and designers,
the Joseph Meyerhoff Center for Career
Development, as well as answers to frequently
asked questions.

BALTIMORE

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POST AN OPPORTUNITY ON MICANETWORK.COM

If you have a job or internship opportunity, call for entry, or competition, post it to MICAnetwork.com, our free online opportunities database. Students and alumni from all fields, ages, and geographic locations may view your posting and apply for it online. Search for student and alumni resumes and portfolio websites too.

REGISTER
your company on
MICANETWORK.COM

See our MICAnetwork.com handout in
this folder for detailed information on
how to register as an employer.

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HOST A MICA INTERN

Many MICA students complete internships for academic credit through the Joseph Meyerhoff Center for Career Development. The internship host is expected to provide an on-site educational experience where students may learn about professional practice in their fields.

See our
**INTERNSHIP
SUPERVISION GUIDE**
included in this folder
for complete
information on how to
host an intern.

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VISIT MICA'S CAMPUS

The Joseph Meyerhoff Center for Career Development invites you to meet our community!

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 410-225-2420
OR EMAIL CAREERDEVELOPMENT@MICA.EDU**

RECRUIT

from over 400 students
and alumni at the **INTERNSHIP +
CAREER FAIR** each spring. Join
50 select employers recruiting for
full-time jobs and internships,
and contribute to the growing
number of new hires
resulting from the fair!

PRESENT

information about your
organization and review
student portfolios. Set up a
day to meet directly with
MICA students and
alumni.

ENGAGE

students in the classroom
through collaborative
projects or professional
development programs.

HIRE

a MICA student or
alumnus for a position at
your organization. The
Career Development
Center will facilitate
on-campus interviews for
your talent search.

To learn more about our Career Fair, please visit
WWW.MICA.EDU/CAREERDEVELOPMENT

MICA

FOUNDED IN 1826,

MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART IS THE OLDEST
CONTINUOUSLY DEGREE-GRANTING COLLEGE OF
ART AND DESIGN IN THE NATION.

Redefining art and design education, MICA is pioneering interdisciplinary
approaches to innovation, research, community, and social engagement.

MICA REMAINS A CULTURAL CORNERSTONE

IN THE BALTIMORE/
WASHINGTON REGION,

hosting hundreds of
exhibitions and events
annually by students,
faculty, and other
established artists, as well as
arts-related programming
around the globe.

MICA has been listed as a
**TOP PRODUCER OF
FULBRIGHT SCHOLARS**
among specialty schools by *The
Chronicle of Higher Education*,
and was ranked Number 1 in
2008–2009.

RANKED IN THE
TOP 7

BEST FINE ARTS
GRADUATE SCHOOLS

by the *U.S. News & World Report*
2013 College Rankings, tied with
Cranbrook Academy of Art and
Carnegie Mellon University.

RANKED
#3

Best fine arts grad schools
for **GRAPHIC DESIGN**

RANKED
#5

Best fine arts grad schools for
PAINTING/DRAWING

RANKED
#6

Best fine arts grad schools
for **SCULPTURE**

WHAT IS MICA?

MICA STUDENTS ARE
**ARTISTICALLY TALENTED,
ACADEMICALLY GIFTED, AND
WELL-ROUNDED.**

OUR INNOVATIVE CURRICULUM,
WELL-EQUIPPED CAMPUS, AND
WORLD-CLASS FACULTY
all have a single purpose: To provide the
education, experiences, and resources
needed to prepare the
**ARTISTS AND DESIGNERS
WHO WILL LEAD IN THE
21ST CENTURY.**

MICA CONSISTENTLY
ENROLLS THE MOST
**PRESIDENTIAL
SCHOLARS**
IN THE VISUAL ARTS.

ALUMNI ACCOLADES INCLUDE

Academy Awards
Addy Awards
Adobe Achievement Awards
Emmy Awards
Guggenheim Fellowships
Jack Kent Cooke Scholarships
Javits Scholarships
Joan Mitchell Foundation Grants
MacArthur Genius Grants

14,000+

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI
across the nation and world,
living in 64 countries

45%

of students come from
beyond the mid-Atlantic
and Northeast U.S.

25%

DIVERSE
students

10%

INTERNATIONAL
STUDENTS from
35 countries

WHO IS THE MICA STUDENT?

DIVERSE MICA ALUMNI
WORK AS:

ANIMATORS

ARCHITECTS

ART THERAPISTS

COMMUNITY LEADERS

CONCEPT ARTISTS

CREATIVE WRITERS

CURATORS

DESIGNERS

EDUCATORS

ENTREPRENEURS

FINE ARTISTS

ILLUSTRATORS

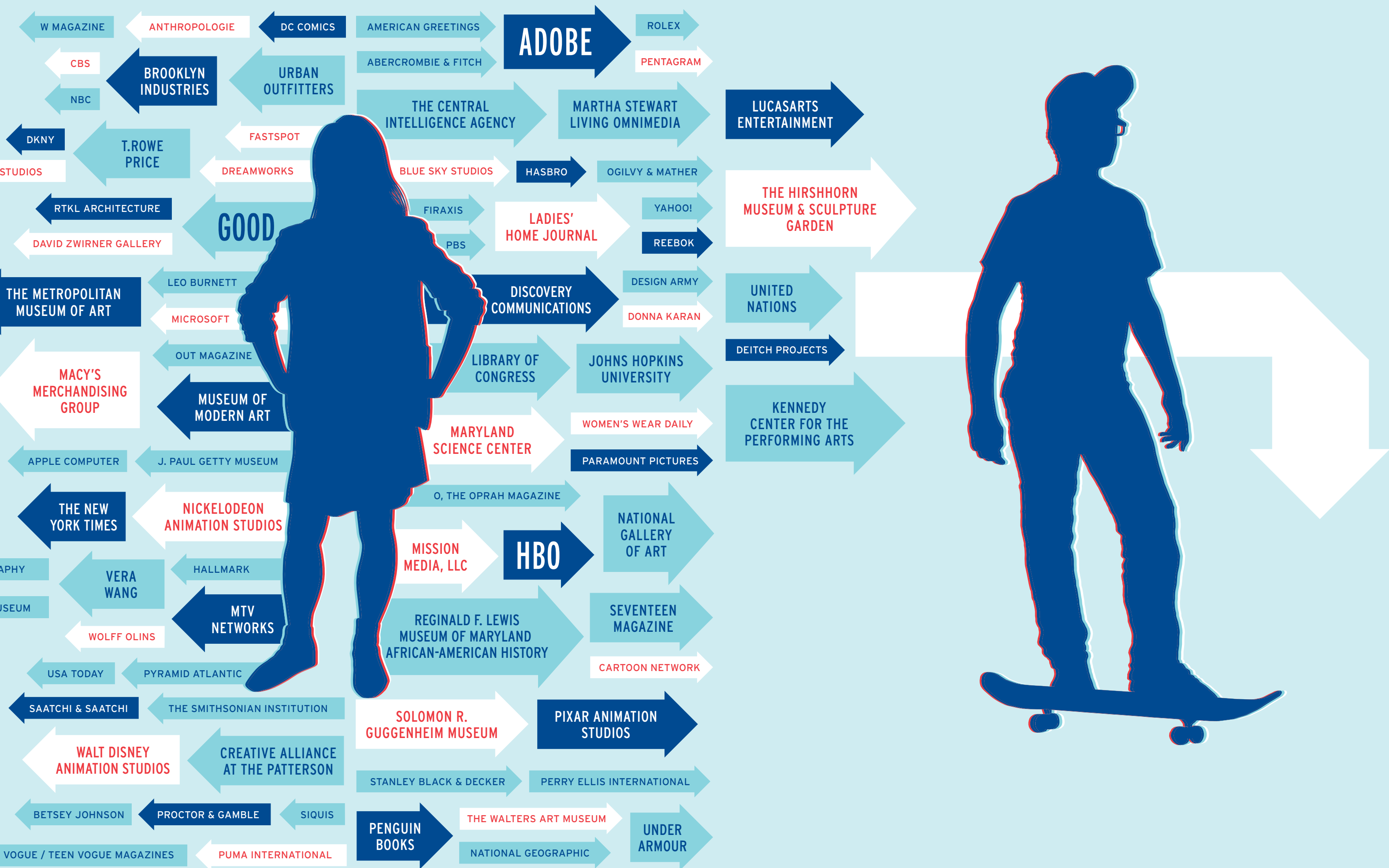
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MICA ALUMNI WORK WORLDWIDE



WHO HAS WORKED WITH MICA STUDENTS AND ALUMNI?

MICA students have interned and been hired at nationally and internationally recognized organizations, including:



**"OUR INTERNS WORK ON REAL PROJECTS
WITH REAL DEADLINES.**

The collaboration is rewarding for both the interns and our studio:

THE STUDENTS OFFER FRESH PERSPECTIVES

while gaining experience working on client-based projects."

- PENTAGRAM/BALTIMORE

**"MICA GROOMS A
HIGH CALIBRE
STUDENT, WITH
DESIGN INTEGRITY
AND FORWARD
THINKING.**

At Under Armour we rely heavily on the emerging talents coming out of MICA."

- UNDER ARMOUR

"THE WORK WAS SPECTACULAR

and the students were as serious as could be about it."

**- ILLUSTRATOR'S CLUB OF
WASHINGTON DC, MARYLAND
AND VIRGINIA**

**"MICA STUDENTS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC,
WELL-PREPARED, AND DEDICATED TO
THEIR INTERNSHIP PROJECTS.**

They have all been wonderful and I know that they will succeed in the art and museum worlds!"

- THE WALTERS ART MUSEUM

"THEIR PORTFOLIOS WERE BREATHTAKING!

I must say I was amazed at the variety of expression in each student. I indeed found some great candidates."

- DISCOVERY COMMUNICATIONS



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THE JOSEPH MEYERHOFF CENTER FOR CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Our mission is to foster the professional growth of MICA students and alumni, and to help them succeed in their chosen career paths by offering a variety of programs, services, and resources.

HOURS

Monday through Friday, 9am – 5pm

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