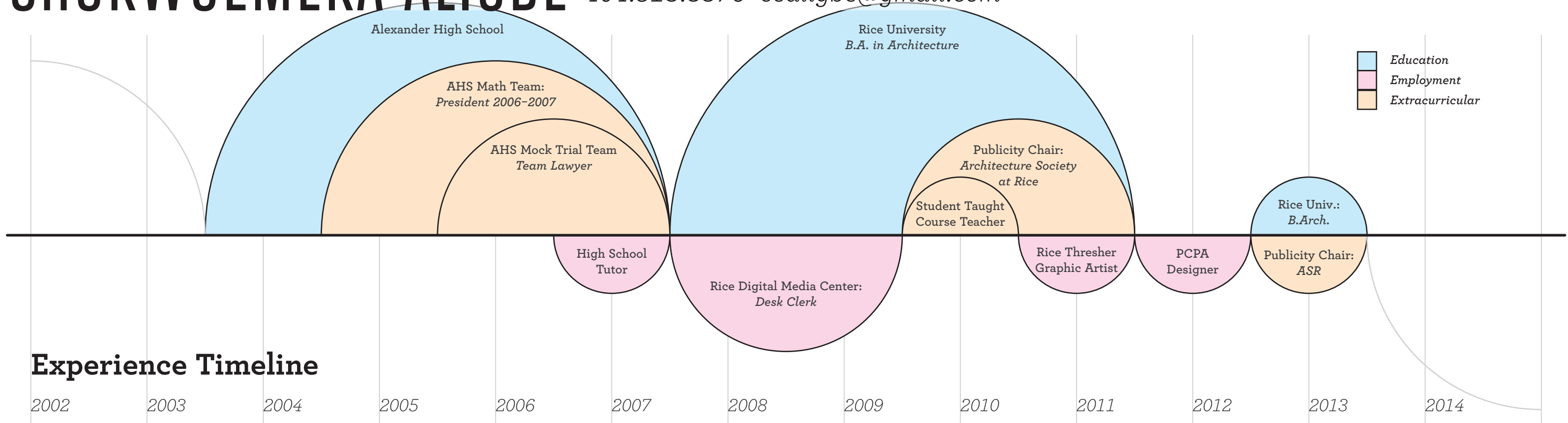


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Experience Timeline

2002

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Education

Professional Degree

Rice University 2012-2013 Bachelor's of Architecture

University

Rice University 2007-2011 B.A. in Architecture GPA 3.2

High School

Alexander High School 2003-2007 GPA 4.0

Experience

Rice University Digital Media Center 2007-2009

Media Assistant

Responsible for the distribution of digital recording and electronic equipment

Responsible for aiding patrons to the DMC with digital audiovisual and publishing projects

Freelance Web Designer 2009-present

Re:Dzgn [<http://redzgn.com>]

Head designer for start-up web design and developing service, Re:Dzgn

Rice Thresher Newspaper 2010-2011

Infographic and Visual Designer

Responsible for designing graphics and information visuals for the Rice University campus-wide newspaper

Rice University Statistics Department 2010-2011

ggplot2 Manual Graphic Designer

Responsible for designing the graphics for the ggplot2 statistic modeling software package

Pelli Clarke Pelli Architects 2011-2012

Designer

Responsible for architectural design and design tasks at PCPA

Skills

Architectural and Digital Design

Adobe Creative Suite, ArchiCAD, AutoCAD, Autodesk Revit, Rhinoceros 3D, Grasshopper, Google Sketchup, Maxwell Render, V-Ray Render, Artlantis Render, Brazil Render

Web Design

Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Flash, HTML, CSS, HTML5, JavaScript, PHP, Python, ActionScript, Ruby

Manual Skills

Model Building, Simple Manual Construction, Hand-drafting and Drawing, Laser Cutting, Photography

Language Skills

Have Technical Proficiency in: French, Japanese

Have Passing Knowledge of: Italian

Organizations and Awards

Architecture Society of Rice

Member: 2007-2011

Publicity Chair: 2009-2011, 2012-2013

Responsible for the design of advertising for events and programs sponsored by the ASR

Rice University Student Taught Courses

Teacher, The Art of Graphic Design: Spring Semester 2010

Created and headed a student taught course about the theory, history, and practice of graphic design

American Mensa

Member: 2005-present

Member of the American Mensa Society

Alpha Chi Rho Medal

Awarded by the Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity of Architects For leadership, merit and service in architecture

2014 Ima Hogg Poster Design Competition

Winner of Houston Symphony Ima Hogg Poster Design Competition.

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Chukwuemeka "Chuck" Aligbe is a graduate and young architect-in-training from Rice University. His education over six years has led him to an interest in sustainable, prefabricated architecture and hyperfunctional design, which he has explored in his various studio projects. Beyond his architectural learning, Chuck has delved into fields of study such as industrial design, graphic and web design, and computer programming. His interests and experiences have allowed for a comprehensive portfolio targeted in creating intelligent design.

Experience: Chuck has varied work experience from his college years. He worked as a Desk Clerk at the Rice Digital Media Center, assisting students and faculty in using the digital production resources at the Center. His work as a graphic designer for the Rice Thresher newspaper included many information graphics and data visualizations explaining the news of the day. He was able to learn effective graphic communication as the manual designer of the ggplot2 statistical software. During his preceptorship, Chuck practiced from 2011 to 2012 at Pelli Clarke Pelli Architects in New Haven, Connecticut.

Extracurricular: Chuck has engaged in extracurricular activities that add to his study of design. He has been the Publicity Chair of the Architectural Society at Rice, the student organization of the Rice School of Architecture, since 2009. In fall of 2009, he also taught a student-taught course called Introduction to the Art of Graphic Design. He has participated in many university design competitions while at Rice, such as the Rice Philanthropic Society Legacy Competition in 2009.

Honors: Chuck was awarded the Alpha Rho Chi Fraternity of Architects Medal for leadership, merit, and service in architecture. He has also recently won the 2014 Ima Hogg Poster Design Competition, a graphic design competition held by the Houston Symphony to create a poster for the upcoming Ima Hogg Music Competition.

Academic: Chuck has earned his Bachelors of Art in Architecture in 2011 and his Bachelors of Architecture in 2013.

Interests: Chuck's personal interests go beyond his architectural pursuits. He is a graphic artist, and a web developer with his own personal portfolio website at www.redzgn.com. As an avid Go and chess player, Chuck has an understanding of deliberate action in the face of many choices. He also enjoys to play tennis, swim, draw, and cook various cuisines.

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Skills Acquisition Timeline

Skills arranged by year first undertaken

