

QUEK YU TONG

Fashion Design Student



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Languages

English

Chinese

Korean

About Me

I am a Singaporean fashion design student with a bold vision and a deep-rooted passion for the arts and design. Specializing in creative fashion cutting and styling, I thrive on exploring colours and composition, while pushing creative boundaries. With a keen eye for detail and craftsmanship, I believe in hard work, perseverance, and the power of creativity to turn dreams into reality.

Experience

- Fashion Stylist (Freelance)** Jul 2025 - Present
- Styling for brands, commercial, and editorial test shoots.
- Editorial Assistant Intern** May 2025 - Jul 2025
Heart Media - Esquire Singapore
- Assisted the Style Director and Photographer during editorial photoshoots.
 - Attended events and tasting for content research and brand coverage.
 - Wrote and published editorial articles across fashion, food, and lifestyle beats.
- Fashion Designer (Part-time)** Jun 2024 - Jun 2024
Studio Vetyver
- Assisted in creating Vetyver's capsule '003 Sodium' collection by sewing sample toiles, draping, and drafting.
 - Styled basic garments by deconstructing and upcycling into new looks.
- Styling Assistant (Part-time)** Mar 2024 - Mar 2024
Mediacorp Pte Ltd
- Assisted in styling for a family lifestyle photoshoot.
 - Worked in a fast paced environment.
- Vogue Singapore Designer Feature** Sep 2023 - Sep 2023
- Diploma Graduate work featured on Vogue Singapore September 2023 Issue.
 - Assisted in the shoot.
- Fashion Design Intern** Aug 2022 - Nov 2022
Decks Pte Ltd
- Managed multiple brands under Decks such as Island Shop, Surfers Paradise, Mphosis, HangTen, Santa Barbara.
 - Designed multiple brands collections, graphic T-shirt designs, poster, banner, and packaging designs. (My designs for Surfers Paradise CNY 2023 T-shirt collection were fully sold out)
 - Sourced fabric and created technical packs for each collection and brand.
 - Styled, scouted locations, and assisted in studio and outdoor photoshoots.

Education

- BA (Hons) Fashion Design and Textiles** Aug 2023 - Aug 2026
LASALLE College of the Arts
- Inside LVMH Certificate** Jul 2024
Issued by LVMH
- Completed the course with a specialization in Creation and Branding, and Operations and Supply Chain.
- Diploma in Fashion Design** Aug 2020 - Aug 2023
Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts
- Best Graduate 2023
- O Levels & N Levels** Jan 2015 - Jan 2019
Edgefield Secondary School

Skills

Professional Skills

Fashion Illustration
Creative Pattern Cutting
Art Direction
Styling
Advanced Draping
Bespoke Tailoring
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Lightroom
WordPress
Social Media Content Creation
Inshot & Capcut Video Editor
Procreate
Clo3D
Technical Flats & Specs Sheets
Fashion Forecasting
Fashion History
Microsoft Office

Personal Skills

Time management
Creative thinker & problem solver
Inquisitive
Responsible & adaptable
Open-minded & sociable
Detail-oriented
Easygoing
Effective team player & leader
Quick learner in fast-paced environments
Multitasking
High emotional intelligence
Critical thinker

Projects

Cross Pollination: Fashion Diasporas Exhibition at LASALLE

Jan 2025 - Mar 2025

- Selected as one of the student designers to showcase garments from my collection, '出家: Tying the Knot'.

Coldwear x LASALLE

Jan 2024 - Apr 2024

- Upcycled coldwear down jackets and transforming into a new contemporary modular garment.

NEFFUL International x NAFA

Dec 2023 - Mar 2024

- Had a fashion show to showcase my final year collection of 5 looks made in NEFFUL's knit fabric.
- Collaborated with the seamstress on production.

Laos Fashion Week

Sep 2023 - Sep 2023

- Selected as one of 2 designers to represent NAFA and Singapore, to showcase my diploma final year collection of 3 looks on the runway as part of Laos Fashion Week 2023, in Vientiane.
- Styled and dressed models while working in a fast paced environment backstage.

Batik Kita Exhibition NAFA x Asian Civilisations Museum Singapore

Dec 2021 - Aug 2022

- Collaborated with BIN House and designed a menswear collection using Batik fabrics.
- The collection was showcased at the Asian Civilisations Museum as part of the Batik Kita exhibition.

Awards

Best Graduate Award

Sep 2023

- A prestigious award given to students with strong academic performance throughout their studies in NAFA as well as students who are responsible and display good attributes such as discipline and leadership qualities.

Diploma with Distinction

Sep 2023

Wu Tsung Kan Book Prize

Jul 2023

Best Collection Award

Jun 2023

Best Studentship Award

Jun 2023

Dean's List Award

Mar 2023

Dean's List Award

Aug 2022

Dean's List Award

Jan 2022

Dean's List Award

Jul 2021

Luzerne Tableware Decal Design Competition (3rd Place)

Feb 2021

NAFA Entry Merit Award

May 2020

Dean's List Award (NAFA Foundation)

Jan 2020

Faber Castell Colouring Competition (2nd Place)

Dec 2016