

# KADAMBARI KOMANDUR

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I believe that design should address the concerns of the user, at all scales. An explorer at heart, I bring this curiosity into my work and design process. I use design as a tool for critical thinking and believe that good design comes from an understanding of its broader context.

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## **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

 Masters in Information Design, National Institute of Design 2021-present.
HTW Berlin (exchange), 2022-23

2. **Bachelor of Architecture**, RV College of Architecture 2014–2019.

• Winner of the Proactis Award for Excellence in Design in 2015-16.

#### **SKILLS**

System thinking, user research, user experience design, human centred design, data visualisation, cartography, writing, information design, illustration

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

	2023	Eightfold.ai UX Intern
	2023	Centre for Pastoralism Information Design
	2023	HTW, Berlin Gamifying design thinking
	2022	INVOXEL Technologies Digital Museum Experience design
	2022	NoAh Collective Information Design
	2019 -21	Architect at Integrated Design Research, urban design & architecture
	2018	Intern at Hunnarshala Foundation Participatory design
	2016 -18	Intern at National Institute of Advanced Studies

#### **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

7	2023	Longlisted (Information is Beautiful)
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	2022	Bangalore Sustainability Forum grant awardee
	2021	Shortlisted for the CEPT Essay prize
	2018	Park Elle Decor competition nominee
5	2017	Finalist at the iDeA Place and Displacement Competition

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

0	2018	Finishing the unfinished: Conjectural restoration of the open mantapas at Badami"
9	2018	Interior design project, 'Hatta,' was published in Elle Décor India

### **WORKSHOPS**

0	2023	Vrishabhavati Story Project was exhibited in the Rivers of India exhibition
9	2017	Invited to present at NYU, at the iDeA symposium.