

# **KADAMBARI KOMANDUR**

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I am a product designer and data visualizer passionate about solving complex problems and advancing a more equitable future. With expertise in both quantitative and qualitative approaches, I leverage research and professional practice as tools for strategic, critical thinking. I believe effective solutions arise from holistically understanding people and their broader contexts.

# PORTFOLIO: LINK

# EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

## 1. Masters in Information Design,

National Institute of Design 2021-24

HTW Berlin (exchange), 2022-23

#### 2. Bachelor of Architecture,

RV College of Architecture 2014-19

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, writing, information design

# PROFESSIONAL RECORD

#### 2023 Eightfold.ai

-25 Product design and User research

Owned the design of five 0 to 1 products features. This includes ownership over discovery, user research, problem definition and design

Involved in strategic planning and design for Al integration in the product

Achieved 50% + user adoption for shipped features through effective problem understanding and design

#### 2023 Centre for Pastoralism

-25 Research and Curation

Studied pastoral livelihoods in urban, periurban and rural contexts of Bangalore through both quantitative and qualitative research – Curated an exhibit at Living lightly 2025

- 2022 INVOXEL Technologies Information design
- 2019 Integrated Design -21 Research & design
- 2019 Intern at Hunnarshala Foundation Participatory design
- 2016 Research at National Institute of -18 Advanced Studies

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

- 2025, Longlisted (Information is Beautiful)
  2023,
  2022
  - 2022 Bangalore Sustainability Forum grant awardee
  - 2021 Shortlisted for the CEPT Essay prize
  - 2018 Park Elle Decor competition nominee
- 2017 Finalist at the iDeA Place and Displacement Competition

# WORKSHOPS

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