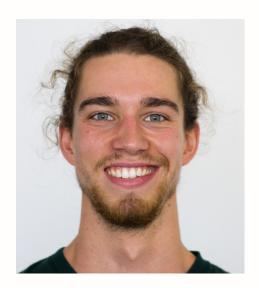# CURRICULUM VITAE

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Hi! I am Sander van der Zwan and I am fascinated with imagining, building, and researching possible future practices by connecting philosophical work with concrete design experiments. I love learning from the people that I am designing with / for. In the past, I have been working with a variety of different people and challenges. From people suffering from dementia to primary schools and from designing for citizen participation in municipal practices to supporting Rijkswaterstaat (the executive agency of the Dutch Ministry of Infrastructure and Water Management) in imagining their future. I always combine this social design work with (academic) research by means of which I hope to reflect on my projects and share usefull insights.

WORK EXPERIENCE

> Have a look at my design projects on:
> www.sandervanderzwan.nl

Student coach
Maart 2022 - Present
TU/e, Eindhoven

After half a year of only working on my own social design projects I joined Industrial design again as a coach for both bachelor and master students for two days a week.

Design researcher and student coach
June 2019 - August 2021
TU/e, Eindhoven

I worked as a design researcher in the transforming practices group of prof. Caroline Hummels on designing for societal transformations. During this time I also coached both bachelor and master students of Industrial Design in completing their design projects.

Concept developer, digital designer and personal trainer
August 2017 - Present
The Fit Zone, Amersfoort

I helped initiate a personal training studio in the center of Amersfoort, the fit zone, together with a couple of friends. The studio provides coaching in physical exercise, vitality, nutrition and recovery (https://thefitzone.nl/).

ZZP Social Designer
September 2016 - Present
Daydreamer, Utrecht

I established a sole trader in which I have been working as a designer for several different clients. One project I worked for that I would like to highlight is MijnWijkplan, which is a platform designed for municipalities to facilitate citizen participation (https://nijmegen.mijnwijkplan.nl/).

Internship
September 2016 - Februari 2016
Design Innovation Group, Utrecht

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EDUCATION

MSc. Industrial design
Achieved - 2016 - 2018
TU/e, Eindhoven

Philosophy certificate
Achieved - 2017 - 2018
TU/e, Eindhoven

BSc. Industrial Design
Achieved - 2013 - 2016
TU/e, Eindhoven

Entrepreneurship certificate
Achieved - 2014 - 2015
TU/e, Eindhoven

Fitvak A
Achieved - 2014 - 2015
EFAA

Propedeutic dipl. product design
Achieved - 2012 - 2013
HvA, Amsterdam

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming | SKETCHING THEORY Introducing the pictorial format | *in Journal of Human Technology Relations*

10 - 07 - 2023 | Art Critique by Other Means | *in Proceedings of the 2023 ACM Designing Interactive Systems Conference*

06 - 12 - 2021 | Think Outside the Box: A Case Study for Citizen Participation as Exploration | *at Congress of the International Association of Societies of Design Research*

21 - 10 - 2021 | Designing for Transforming Practices: Maps and Journeys | *at TU/e*

19 - 04 - 2021 | Non-discursive philosophy by imagining new practices through design | *in SAGE journals: adaptive behavior*

17 - 02 - 2021 | Scaffolding shared imagination with tangible design | *in Conference on Tangible, Embedded, and Embodied interaction 2021*

14 - 08 - 2020 | Philosophy at Work: Postphenomenology as a Generative Lens in Design Research and Practice | *in DRS2020*

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
SolidWorks
Procreate
Adobe Primiere pro
Adobe Photoshop
Photography
Academic writing
HTML & CSS
PHP
Java
Wood work
Ceramics
3D printing

TALKS

2023 | Art critique by other means |
at Designing Interative Systems

2022 | Design Philosophy Panel |
at philosophy of human-technology relations

2020 | Design Philosophy Correspondence Panel |
at philosophy of human-technology relations

LANGUAGES

Dutch & English