## Samantha Kuo

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#### **EDUCATION**

## YALE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

New Haven, CT

2026

- **Master of Business Administration**
- Dean's Scholarship/Forté MBA Fellowship
- Fellow, InSITE 2023-2024
- Healthcare Team, Turner MIINT Competition in Impact Investing
- First-Year Lead, Healthcare + Life Sciences Club
- First-Year Lead, Arts and Culture Club

#### YALE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

New Haven, CT

2026

Master of Public Health, Health Care Management

- Student Fellow, Solomon Center for Health Law and Policy
- Conference Chair, Yale Conference on Mental Illness 2025

### UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

Charlottesville, VA

Bachelor of Arts, Economics and Media Studies (Concentration: Policy/Ethics) / Architecture

2020

- Founder and Editor-In-Chief, Scratch Zine, Arts Publication
- Managing Director, Head of HR, Strategist and Designer, Radical, For-Profit Creative Agency

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# THE SYMMETRY INITIATIVE (Nonprofit for Mental Health)

New Haven, CT

**Founder and Director** 

June 2023 – Present

- Collaborated with community partners and licensed providers to identify serious stigmatized mental issues
- Provided support and resources to New Haven mental health patients from stigmatized communities

#### **SYLVAIN**

New York, NY

Strategist

March 2022 – June 2023

- Created brand experiences from consumer and category research for TilePix, a photo framing company
- Conducted research on competitive set and culture insights for Viacom CBS news Brand Positioning

#### Previous Roles

BRAY & CO

Palm Springs, CA

**Strategic Consultant** 

**December 2021 – February 2022** 

CODE AND THEORY

New York, NY

**Junior Creative Strategist** 

**March 2021 - October 2021** 

HORIZON NEXT Assistant Strategist New York, NY

September 2020 – December 2020

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Languages: Cantonese (Native), Mandarin (Native)
- Skills: Excel, Stata, R, Adobe Creative Suite, Google Analytics, Google Trends, Simmons, ComScore
- Interest: Wakesurfing, Skiing, Snowboarding, Surfing, Cooking, Chess, Sudoku, Tetris, Road Tripping