# Mojica Nikkole

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#### **Education**

#### M.S. Public Relations

S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications

#### M.A. International Relations

Maxwell School of Citizenship & Public Affairs

Syracuse University, Jul 2015-Dec 2016

#### **B.A.** International Relations

Political Science, Maxwell School of Citizenship & Public Affairs

Syracuse University, Aug 2011-Aug 2015

#### **Skills**

Exhibition & Fair Mngmnt
Brand Architecture
Public Art Installations
Creative Direction
Comms Design & Copywriting
Cross-Cultural Comms.
Event Planning
Visual Diplomacy
Strategic Partnerships

### Software/Platforms

Adobe Id, II, Ps, & Pr - Interm. Asana, Slack, Figma Google Workspace Microsoft Office Notion

#### Languages

Advanced Italian Fluent Spanish Intermediate Turkish

#### Arts | Culture | Communications

### Contemporary Istanbul | Art Director & Exhibitor Relations | Istanbul, TR | May 2024 - Present

- Shaping the fair's artistic vision, ensuring a cohesive experience for exhibitors, partners, sponsors, & visitors, through conceptual ideation & curation
- Manage fair operations; advise booth curation & fair layout. Participation of international galleries; contracts, transport, & on-site logistics
  - CI 19th Edition, Oct 2024
  - CI Bloom, April 2025
- Direct outdoor sculpture exhibition (gallery proposals, curator, venue logistics, install/ production, deinstall)
- Collab w/ Comms Team in the strategic development of messaging & deliverables;
   PR, social media campaigns, print

#### Mojica Consulting LLC | Lead | International

- Consult artists, galleries, & architecture studios on planning, curation, & execution of programs, exhibits, & unique activations
- Provide strategic comms support; written & visual, art direction, & brand engagement

#### Matsuyama Studio | Senior Project Manager | March 2024 - May 2024

 Lead/assist in coordination of artist's Venice Biennale 2024 exhibition as related to comms, event planning, logistics & venue setup

### ATÖLYE | Senior Communications Associate | Istanbul, TR | Jan 2023 - Feb 2024

- Owned end-to-end execution of creative briefs, long-form content, case studies, & campaign ideas into public-facing comms, & elevated the quality of a range of copywriting assets
- Creatively translating ATÖLYE's VP & brand into impactful copy that drove performance for growth efforts
- · Writing, editing, curating thought leadership
- Project management; work w/ designers & clients on visual branding narratives
- Streamlining/creating new workflows

#### KIMM Agency | Copywriter & Creative Director | Istanbul, TR | Mar 2022 - Sep 2022

 Creative direction & lead copywriter on brand marketing projects (pharma & tech clients in USC & UAE)

## Hudson Yards Hell's Kitchen Alliance | Director of Communications & Cultural Engagement | NY, NY | May 2019 - May 2022

• Curator of public art installations & cultural

programming in Bella Abzug Park, NYC;

- Armory Off-Site, 2021
- BIG APPLE, 2021
- King Nyani, 2020
- Vinyl Nights 2019-2021
- Commissioned seven murals in partnership w/ The Port Authority of NY/NJ
- Managed artists, producers, & fabricators to execute unique outdoor activations
- Built project timelines & budgets; experience creating & tracking proposals

#### + Marketing & Programming Manager | NY, NY | Sep 2017 - May 2019

- Directed BID's rebranding, implemented creative marketing solutions (small business outreach program, promotion of BID services, & vendor relations)
- Developed & executed comms, digital content strategy, sponsorship programs, strategic partnerships, & community outreach
- Introduced BID's first organics drop-off program w/ DSNY
- Administrative assistant to co-chairs of the NYC BID Association

#### Arthur W. Page Society | Communications Intern | NY, NY | June 2017 - Aug 2017

- Analyzed & interpreted digital campaign data
- Recommended/executed content distribution strategy while helping manage online platforms

### American-Turkish Council | Research Intern | Washington, DC | Feb 2017 - May 2017

- Led Twitter for the 36th Annual Conference
- Designed/executed research consultancy; led to the implementation of a new branding strategy

## Meridian International Center | Cultural Programs

Intern | Washington, DC | Jan 2017 - May 2017

- Designed exhibition/program materials for global programs, & contractor meetings
- R&D for programs, exhibitions, grant proposals
- Contributed content to all digital platforms

#### U.S. Dept. of State Educational & Cultural Affairs Bureau | Public Affairs & Strategic Communications Intern | Washington, DC | Jan 2017 - May 2017

• Graphic designer on host campaign branding

#### Bahcesehir University International Academic Affairs Office | Intern | Istanbul, Turkey | Jan 2015 - Jun 2015

- Researched funding opportunities & new education modules for the university
- Created an extensive pre-approved course list for BAU & its partner institutions