## Bio



R.Simaitis@gmail.com www.linkedin.com/in/rksim www.rksim.com Login: rksim PW: portfolio2024! Rimas Simaitis is an artist, producer, and entrepreneur who currently lives in Menlo Park, CA. He began his career in the music industry where he founded an artist management company that promoted musical artists alongside environmental organizations through producing concerts and events. He eventually pivoted his career to the visual arts industry, and in 2012 he founded a boutique production studio in Los Angeles that provided design & production services to L.A.'s contemporary art & design industry. His studio and team produced worldclass projects and exhibitions that were exhibited at the Guggenheim Museum in Spain, the Museum of Contemporary Art in L.A., and the Getty Institute's Pacific Standard Time initiative.

Rimas relocated to the Bay Area in 2019 to serve as the Special Projects Manager at an experiential production agency where he led the design and production of brand experiences for Google, Amazon, Waymo, and numerous other Bay Area companies. In 2022 he was recruited to work for Marcom at Apple where he helped lead the design and development of retail experiences and store designs that are currently deployed across the globe.

Rimas is an avid adventurer and grew up camping, fishing, and scouting in the wilderness of North Idaho. He is an Eagle Scout, and holds a BA in Management & Leadership along with a BA in Music from Seattle University. He was awarded a graduate fellowship to attend UC Santa Barbara, where in-between building surfboards and catching waves, he earned his MFA in Spatial Studies & New Media. His art work has been exhibited in museums and galleries across the country, and he has been awarded residencies at the Ox-Bow School of Art, the Indianapolis Museum of Art, and at Wave Farm in Acra, NY.

