

Chiara Manhas, a graduate of the University of Florida is an accomplished student and professional. Combining her passion for dance and design, she has explored the relationship of human scale and how the body occupies, engages, and moves through spatial compositions. In 2021, Chiara graduated with a bachelor's in interior design from the University of Florida's College of Design, Construction and Planning as well as an Undergraduate Certificate in Sports Management from the University of Florida's College of Health and Human Performance. Throughout her collegiate educational journey, she utilized her design skills to obtain leadership positions in various campus organizations such as ASID, Dance Marathon, Architrave (a student-run architectural publication), and DCP Ambassadors – representing her college. During her graduate studies, Chiara combined her love for football with her passion for design to investigate the potential spread of infectious diseases and risks associated with the typical college football game day in the University of Florida's very own Ben Hill Griffin Stadium – a stadium she spent many fall Saturdays in.