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Katherine is an artist, engineer, and designer working across a variety of mediums. A long time practitioner of the “maker” and DIY lifestyle, she has taught herself a wide variety of technical and artistic skills. In 2010, Katherine earned her BA in Psychology and began working as a professional clinical researcher studying mood disorders in young adults. In 2012, she earned a Fulbright grant for research in India. Her time there convinced her that engineers are best suited to make a positive impact on large numbers of people and that the field of healthcare is in desperate need of innovation. She works as a Design Engineer at Northwestern’s Innovations lab creating novel simulation devices for surgical training. She is passionate about using the design process to improve healthcare, and she is a co-founder of Unati - an app to help seniors get great care in their homes.

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STEAM Stories is a blog that features interdisciplinary industry, education, and hobby projects that focus on the cross-pollination of the science, technology, engineering, art, and math fields.

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Known as “CC” among her DFA peers, Catherine believes that human-centered design will bring innovation and sustainable growth to communities around the world. As a previous lead of DFA Northwestern studio, she aims to be an empathetic supporter to help studios achieve their potential to become change makers in their own way. Outside of her #DFAAMILY time, you can find her reading at a local cafe, playing music, and hanging out with her family and friends.

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