

PRAVEER GANGWANI

FASHION DESIGNER, ARTIST & CREATIVE DIRECTOR

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CAREER SUMMARY

Multidisciplinary fashion designer and artisan with 7+ years of experience across garment construction, footwear, embroidery and screen-print production, production design for film, and props for theater. Founder of Gangwani Collection, with 60+ original looks shown at 7 runway presentations including New York Fashion Week. Combines hands-on craftsmanship in tailoring, Goodyear welting, upholstery, and fabrication with teaching experience and a BFA in Design & Production.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Design & Production, Concentration in Stage Properties

September 2019 – May 2023

University of North Carolina School of the Arts | GPA: 3.7

SKILLS

Garment & Textile

- Luxury tailoring, draping & custom pattern making
- Industrial, domestic & hand sewing (7+ years)
- Embroidery machine operation & screen printing
- Styling

Footwear & Leather

- Goodyear welting (270° & 360° storm, split, flat)
- Custom sneaker design
- Shoe repair & restoration
- Leatherwork, upholstery & millinery

Fabrication & Set Design

- Set dressing & prop fabrication
- Scenic painting (brush & spray), graffiti & foam carving
- Welding (MIG/TIG) & blacksmithing
- Carpentry & furniture design
- Conceptual & isometric drawing

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

EMBROIDERY & SCREEN PRINTING PRODUCTION

July 2026 – Present

Established Screens Ltd. / Bronx, NY

- Operates embroidery machinery to produce custom designs on hats, pants, jackets, shirts, bags, and other apparel.
- Performs screen printing production tasks including screen burning, cleaning, and preparation.
- Supports job setup, equipment preparation, and breakdown to keep production running efficiently.
- Applies quality control standards across garment decoration, production workflows, and equipment operation.

FASHION CLUB SPECIALIST

April 2026 – Present

Saya Academy RHHS / Queens, NY

- Developed and implements an original fashion curriculum for high school students covering foundational sewing, garment construction, and design.
- Leads hands-on workshops and creative projects that introduce students to real-world fashion industry practices.
- Guides students through the design process, encouraging experimentation, individuality, and personal style.
- Builds an inclusive classroom that develops self-expression, problem-solving, and confidence through fashion and design.

FOUNDER & CREATIVE DIRECTOR

May 2024 – Present

Gangwani Collection, LLC / Clemmons, NC & Brooklyn, NY

- Designs and constructs one-of-one garments merging streetwear with couture through freestyle creation and experimental craftsmanship.
- Upcycles denim, military surplus, and found materials into original pieces with close attention to detail.
- Has presented 60+ original looks across 7 runway shows, including New York Fashion Week, with features in ELLE, Harper's Bazaar CN, and FWO.

CONTRACT COBBLER

September 2023 – May 2025

Wyatt & Dad Shoe Repair Specialists / Winston-Salem, NC

- Repaired and restored footwear using traditional shoemaking techniques.
- Specialized in Goodyear welting, including 270° and 360° storm, split, and flat welts.
- Designed and hand-built custom wallabees, original Birkenstock-style footwear, and original sneaker silhouettes.

UPHOLSTERY APPRENTICE

June 2018 – 2024

AAA Upholstery / Winston-Salem, NC

- Performed industrial sewing, pattern development, and vinyl and leather upholstery.
- Worked on auto interiors, medical seating, and custom furniture.
- Built expertise in material behavior, precision cutting, and meeting client specifications.

FASHION PRESENTATIONS

Beauty in Black: The Fashion Experience – AuraModé NEXO NYC, New York, NY 13 looks	September 12, 2026
Pop Smoke Fashion Gala Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn, NY 4 looks	July 21, 2026
Who's Who Experience NYFW Pianos NYC, New York, NY 9 looks	February 15, 2026
New York Fashion Week – Flying Solo 22 Vanderbilt Rooftop, New York, NY 9 looks <i>NYFW debut collection</i>	September 14, 2025
Concord Fashion Week Concord, NC 10 looks	March 25, 2023
High Point Fashion Week Congdon Yards, High Point, NC 8 looks	October 25, 2022
Winston-Salem Fashion Week Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art (SECCA), Winston-Salem, NC 10 looks <i>Debut collection</i>	September 24, 2022

SELECTED PRESS & FEATURES

Harper's Bazaar CN – "Skyline: Flying Solo 2025 Spring/Summer Show"	October 2, 2025
ELLE – "Flying Solo Wins NYFW with Innovative Collections"	September 29, 2025
FWO – "Flying Solo's Designers Take NYFW by Storm with Global Talents"	September 22, 2025
CanvasRebel Magazine	August 2024 & December 2025
crEATe Magazine , Issue #5	January 2025
VoyageATL Magazine	December 2022 & February 2024
Live Art I & II – Creative Team & Artisan	February 2020; Aug 2020 – May 2021

FILM & THEATRICAL PRODUCTIONS

Perfect Find (ft. MAK) – Stylist & Creative	October 2025
Gangwani (ft. N3V4) – Creative Director, Production Designer, Fashion Designer, Stylist, Props Master, Set Dresser	August – October 2024
The Path – Production Designer, Props Master, Set Dresser & Extra	April 2023
Sweet Pea – Production Designer, Props Master, Set Dresser & Extra	February 2023
Guarded – Production Designer, Props Master, Set Dresser & Extra	December 2022
Sunday Morning – Production Designer, Props Master, Set Dresser	April 2022
Masterpiece – Production Designer, Props Master, Set Dresser & Extra	December 2021
The Loneliness of the Long Distance Runner – Head Artisan	August – September 2021
The Place of All Places – Props Master & Set Dresser	June 2021
French Opera Double Bill – Head Artisan	April 2021
The Miser – Artisan	March 2021
Salon Opera Double Bill – Artisan	October 2020 – February 2021
Sweat – Lead Artisan	August – November 2020
A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder – Artisan	February 2020
La Clemenza di Tito – Artisan	August 2019 – February 2020

REFERENCES

Available on request.