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designer | developer

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I believe great experiences  
are created with empathy and  
personal indulgence.

## Skills

User Research  
Prototyping  
UX flows  
UI mockup  
User Centered Design  
Business Development

Photoshop  
InDesign  
InVision  
Arduino

Java  
Matlab  
Java Script  
jQuery, Node.js  
HTML & CSS  
Eclipse, Visual Studio

## Interests

Design Thinking  
Entrepreneurship  
Finance & VCs  
Product Management

## EXPERIENCE

May-Aug  
2015  
**Aalto University**  
Research Assistant

Worked with the User Interfaces Group on a project to measure the  
co-relation between color perception and aesthetics

May-July  
2015  
**Indian Institute of Technology Bombay**  
Design Intern

Design to improve the UX of Swarachakra Indic keyboard. Implemen-  
tation of few enhancement features on the Android platform

Aug-Aug  
2013-2015  
**Speridian Technologies Pvt. Ltd.**  
Associate Developer

Software developer responsible for design, fullstack development  
and deployment. Involved with requirement gathering, liaison with  
clients and cooperate with multiple teams to deliver effectively

## EDUCATION

2015-2017  
**EIT Digital Master School**  
Dual-Degree Master's in ICT Innovation  
Major: Human-Computer Interaction and Design  
Minor: Innovation and Entrepreneurship

2016-2017  
**KTH Royal Institute of Technology**  
MSc. Human-Computer Interaction and Design

2015-2017  
**Aalto University**  
MSc. Human-Computer Interaction and Design  
GPA: 4.1/5.0

2009-2013  
**Cochin University of Science and Technology**  
B. Tech Computer Science and Engineering

## HONORS

**EIT Digital Excellence Scholarship**  
Tuition waiver for duration of Master studies and monthly stipend to  
support studies for a duration of 24 months.