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Experience

Gallatin AI Product Design Intern Sep - Dec 2025 · LA	Partnering with co-founders and active-duty logisticians to prototype explainable AI interfaces to expose model reasoning for battlefield resupply forecasts. First intern.
Palantir Product Design Intern Jul - Sep 2025 · DC	Designed targeting workflow to surface dependencies across nodes for cascading effects analysis used in wargaming. Deployed to 2,000 users in active combat.
NASA JSC HCI Research, Contract Sep 2024 - May 2025	Designed and programmed simulation software for lunar navigation. Presented to astronauts and flight director. Raised \$20,000 in research funding and presented paper at the European Space Agency for MIT Space CHI .
Dispatch AI Co-founder & CPO Jun 2024 - Jan 2025	Solo designer. Built triage platform for non-emergency 911 calls with AI dispatch agents. \$68,000 in funding, incubated at Berkeley Skydeck, worked with dispatchers across the U.S.
Contrary Researcher Oct 2024 - Feb 2025 · SF	Wrote 4 startup investment memos for firm creating more than \$10 billion in value through companies like Ramp and Anduril. Published to over 100,000 subscribers .
UCI Designathon Director Oct 2023 - May 2025	Directed largest designathon in the U.S. Scaled from 1 person to a 40 member team. Raised \$20,000 in funding. Oversaw logistics for 100 volunteers and 600 national participants.

Educatuion

University of California, Irvine B.S. Computer Science (AI) & Cognitive Neuroscience 2023-Present	Relevant coursework Artificial Intelligence, Data Structures, Computational Neuroscience, Network Security, Probabilistic Models, Information Retrieval
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Publications

"NEREUS: Assistive Decision Support for Lunar EVA Navigation" | MIT Space CHI 2025 | First Author. Invited to present at the European Space Agency in Germany.

Selected Awards

- 8VC Fellowship** | 2025 | 1 of 5 design fellows selected for in-house mentorship from portfolio company founders, awarded \$3,500 in grants.
- Grand Prize, Berkeley AI Hackathon** | Jun 2024 | Won the largest AI Hackathon in the world and given \$50,000 in prizes, awarded by OpenAI and Intel.
- Finalists, NASA SUITS 2025 Challenge** | Oct 2024 | 1 of 10 technical design proposals selected by NASA JSC for simulation testing at the lunar facilities.
- 1st Place, Google AI Challenge** | Apr 2024 | 1st place out of 1,000 national participants. Won \$3,000. Built adaptive AI lecturer that turns lectures into a live conversational interface.