# EDUCATION

## STEPHEN SIC CHEN

#### **DESIGNER & DEVELOPER**

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### **B.A.** Cognitive Science, Minor in Computer Science

2012 - 2017

University of Southern California

Los Angeles, CA

Select coursework:

- Design Fundamentals
- Typography
- Human Computer Interface Design
- Cognitive Processes
- Data Structures and Object Oriented Design
- Discrete Methods in Computer Science

### HONORS AND AWARDS

#### **Finalist**

UXSC Designathon
April 2015

### **Best Leap Motion Hack**

HackGT Hackathon September 2014

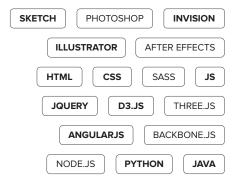
## 2nd Place

IBM Watson Case Competition
April 2014

#### 3rd Place, Best Education App

AT&T "IoT" Hackathon November 2013

## TOOLS



### **EXPERIENCE**

### UI/UX, Software Engineer

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Mar 2015 - Aug 2015

Santa Monica, CA

Designed **mockups**, **interactions**, and **graphics** for iOS and conducted **usability testing**. Developed a **continuous delivery pipeline** (Docker, Ansible, Jenkins, AWS) to build and orchestrate API deploys.

## **UI Developer Intern**

Sony Network Entertainment Int'l

May 2014 - Aug 2014

Los Angeles, CA

Spearheaded an overhaul of the web **user interface**. Refactored Backbone.js router code, resulting in **load time improvements**. Gained experience with SCRUM-based **agile software development**.

## **LEADERSHIP**

## Director of Graphic Design, Cofounder

May 2015 - Present Los Angeles, CA

USC Hackers

Constructed the logo design and brand identity for USC Hackers (posters, banners, apparel, web).

Oversaw other designers in the production of marketing collateral within brand guidelines.

## **Director of Technology, Cofounder**

April 2014 - Present

Spark SC

Los Angeles, CA

Built websites and software tools for several Spark SC initiatives. Planned and executed large scale (1000+ attendance) programs on campus, including 1000 Pitches and Startup Career Fair.

## **Project Manager**

April 2014 - Present

TechLA

Los Angeles, CA

Led a team of six to secure a **strategic partnership** and **raise capital** from Upfront Ventures. Obtained **25% growth** in registered accounts (2000 to 2500) during our first semester of operation.