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EDUCATION

Ithaca, NY Fall 15 – [Winter 18]

Cornell University

Bachelor of Science in Information Science Concentration in User Experience Design Semester Abroad Exchange in UC Dublin GPA: 3.79 / 4.00

[Magna Cumme Laude] Dean's List

SKILLS

Technical Languages

Java C# / .NET Ruby on Rails

Python PHP SOL

Front-end

HTML CSS / SASS

JavaScript / JQuery

Bootstrap / UIKit

Angular.js React.js D3.js

Design

Sketch

Adobe Lightroom
AutoDesk Inventor

Tools

Git

Grunt

Gulp

Heroku

AWS

PROJECTS

MosqueBuddy

(mosquebuddy.com)

Web app that allows mosques to keep communities in the loop

SpoilerBlock

(crunchyroll spoilerblock)

Chrome extension to block video thumbnails and titles

DecomprEssay

(decompressay.com)

Web tool that artificially increases essay word count

EXPERIENCE

Westlake, TX Summer 17

Fidelity Investments — Full Stack SWE Intern

- · Constructed data access layers with C# and Angular.js
- Designed and implemented user interface with Sketch and Materialize
- Nominated as Fidelity Investments Intern of the Summer

Syracuse, NY Fall 17 — Now

Luck Studio — Designer & Web Developer

- Designed and deveoped company websites for several startups
- Held user focus groups to make informed decisions about projects
- Consulted clients on technical and design questions

Ithaca, NY Fall 15 — Winter 16

StartupTree — Front-end Engineer Intern

- · Created event management system with Django and Maps API
- Developed company landing page with HTML/CSS and JavaScript
- Recruited engineering interns and mentored front-end team

RESEARCH

Ithaca, NY Fall 17 — Spring 18

UX Research (https://sparkresume.com)

- Conducted user testing on university students to expose failures in UI
- Researched effects on user engagement from button design
- Made adjustments to system UI and retested until pain points dissolved

Ithaca, NY Spring 18

HCI Research (https://calcucafe.com)

- Dissected user experience difficulties in existing C#/.NET system
- Created MS Excel crawler with Python to flatten backend formulas
- Developed front-end coffee production calculation with JavaScript

LEADERSHIP

Ithaca, NY Fall 17 — Spring 18

Cornell University — Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

- · Led weekly seminars for intermediate level web development
- Taught students how to use PHP and MySQL to build robust web apps
- · Critiqued and graded assignment and assessment projects

Ithaca, NY Summer 16

Life Changing Labs — Web Dev Course Instructor

- Designed and led three-week web development program for students
- Facilitated curriculum built around creating company website
- · Coordinated seminars on design trends and best practices