

# Adrian Garza

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## EDUCATION

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**Columbia University '18**, COMPUTER SCIENCE and CREATIVE WRITING double major

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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| SUMMER 2016 | <i>The Simon Wiesenthal Center Museum of Tolerance</i><br>Educated and worked with at-risk youth<br>Updated and maintained artifact archives<br>Assisted with survivor biographies and research projects  |
| SUMMER 2015 | <i>The Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles</i><br>Ghostwrote newsletters for CEO and edited press releases and video<br>Coordinated the first-ever hackathon at a public housing project<br>Overhauled the Housing Authority website while training staff<br>Created and maintained spreadsheets to track budget and survey data |
| SUMMER 2014 | <i>The Pasadena Weekly Newspaper</i><br>Wrote news and feature articles<br>Proofread and copy edited  |
| SUMMER 2013 | <i>Glendale Ascencia Homeless Shelter, volunteer</i><br>Maintained database and personal data records<br>Prepared and distributed food  |

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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| WINNER                 | Hispanic Scholarship Fund, 2016                         |
| THIRD PLACE            | Microsoft Puzzle Challenge at Columbia University, 2016 |
| BEST USE OF GOOGLE API | HackRutgers, 2015                                       |
| FINALIST               | Columbia Presidential Global Fellowship, 2015           |
| FINALIST               | Code2040 tech internship                                |
| WINNER                 | Republic Services scholarship                           |

## SKILLS

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| COMPUTER SCIENCE: | Front-end web development with back-end in C<br>Object-oriented and scripting languages<br>Linux, Unix and DOS environments |
| SOFTWARE SUITES:  | Microsoft Office (incl. Excel)<br>Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere, After Effects, Flash<br>Unity2D and Unreal Engine |
| MISCELLANEOUS:    | Graphic/interface design<br>Concept and character illustration<br>Creative and analytic writing                             |