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Education

Stanford University

Stanford, CA

Ph.D. Computer Science (in progress)

September 2014 – present

University of California, Irvine

Irvine, CA

B.A. Anthropology, B.S. Informatics, Phi Beta Kappa

August 2012 - June 2014

- Informatics specialization: Human-Computer Interaction

- Anthropology honors thesis: The Culture of Quantified Self (Advisor: Tom Boellstorff)

Research Experience

Microsoft Research

Redmond, WA

FUSE Labs

June 2015 - September 2015

- Conducted study of piecemeal (or gig) workers

- Designed front-end for worker-centric labor market platform

Stanford University

Stanford, CA

Human-Computer Interaction Group

June 2014 - September 2014

- Explored collective research of online communities

- Prototyped online collective action platform

University of California, Irvine

Irvine, CA

Evoke Laboratory & Studio

April 2014 - June 2014

Ethnographic research of values in design

- Assembled guide for data co-ownership

University of California, Irvine

Irvine, CA

Honors Program in Anthropology

September 2013 - June 2014

- Senior research and thesis on Quantified Self

University of California, Irvine

Irvine, CA

Multidisciplinary Design Program

January 2013 - June 2013

- Studied use of space on campus grounds

Brainstormed changes to sociofugal spaces to promote sociopetality

Foothill College & Columbia University

Cangahua, Ecuador June 2012 – July 2012

Pambamarca Archaeological Project

- Mentored 20 students in ethnographic methods

- Administered lab artifact database consisting of more than 8000 entries

Publications

Skills

Languages: Python, JavaScript, PHP, LATEX, Java, Bash, Ruby, R, HTML, CSS, SQL

Frameworks: Ruby on Rails, Node.js, AngularJS