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Education

	Stanford University	Stanford, CA
Sep 2014 to present	<i>Ph.D. Computer Science</i> (in progress) (Advisor: Michael Bernstein)	
	University of California, Irvine	Irvine, CA
Aug 2012 to Jun 2014	<i>B.A. Anthropology</i> Honors thesis: “Quantified Self: Ethnography of a Digital Culture” (Advisor: Tom Boellstorff) <i>B.S. Informatics</i> Specialization: Human-Computer Interaction <i>Phi Beta Kappa</i>	

Research Experience

	Microsoft Research	Redmond, WA
Jun 2015 to Sep 2015	<i>FUSE Labs</i> Conducted study of piecework (or gig) workers Designed front-end for worker-centric labor market platform	
	University of California, Irvine	Irvine, CA
Apr 2014 to Jun 2014	<i>Evoke Laboratory & Studio</i> Ethnographic research of values in design Assembled guide for data co-ownership	
Jan 2013 to Jun 2013	<i>Multidisciplinary Design Program</i> Studied use of space on campus grounds Brainstormed changes to sociofugal spaces to promote sociopetality	
	Foothill College & Columbia University	Cangahua, Ecuador
Jun 2012 to Aug 2012	<i>Pambamarca Archaeological Project</i> Mentored 20 students in ethnographic methods Administered lab artifact database consisting of more than 8000 entries	

Publications

2019 Best Paper	Ali Alkhatib and Michael S. Bernstein. “Street-Level Algorithms: A Theory At The Gaps Between Policy and Decisions”. In: <i>Proceedings of the 2019 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems</i> . CHI '19. Glasgow, Scotland: ACM, 2019
2017 Honorable Mention	Ali Alkhatib , Michael S. Bernstein, and Margaret Levi. “Examining Crowd Work and Gig Work Through The Historical Lens of Piecework”. In: <i>Proceedings of the 2017 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems</i> (Denver, Colorado, USA). CHI '17. Denver, Colorado, USA: ACM, 2017, pp. 4599–4616. ISBN: 978-1-4503-4655-9. DOI: 10.1145/3025453.3025974 . URL: http://doi.acm.org/10.1145/3025453.3025974

2015 Honorable Mention	Niloufar Salehi, Lilly C. Irani, Michael S. Bernstein, Ali Alkhatib , Eva Ogbe, Kristy Milland, and Clickhappier. “We Are Dynamo: Overcoming Stalling and Friction in Collective Action for Crowd Workers”. In: <i>Proceedings of the 33rd Annual ACM Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems</i> . CHI ’15. ACM, 2015, pp. 1621–1630. ISBN: 978-1-4503-3145-6. DOI: 10.1145/2702123.2702508 . URL: http://doi.acm.org/10.1145/2702123.2702508
2014	Ali Alkhatib and Tom Boellstorff. “Quantified Self: Ethnography of a Digital Culture”. In: <i>UC Irvine Undergraduate Research Symposium</i> (University of California, Irvine, USA). UC Irvine Undergraduate Research Symposium. 2014. URL: https://ali-alkhatib.com/media/papers/quantified_self.pdf
2013	Erin Costino, Ali Alkhatib , Fady Barsoum, Ian Brown, Wendy Yang, Geoffrey Bowker, Judith Gregory, and Sanjay Mazumdar. “Values in Design: Designing for Hesitation and Presence”. In: <i>UC Irvine Undergraduate Research Symposium</i> (University of California, Irvine, USA). UC Irvine Undergraduate Research Symposium. 2013

Presentations

2017	“Examining Crowd Work and Gig Work Through The Historical Lens of Piecework” — <i>CHI ’17</i> . Denver, Colorado, USA
2015	“Designing Worker-Centric Labor Markets” — <i>Platform Cooperativism</i> . New York, NY
2014	“Quantified Self: Ethnography of a Digital Culture” — <i>UC Irvine Undergraduate Research Symposium</i> . University of California, Irvine, USA

Service

2018	Reviewed for CHI.	<i>Glasgow, Scotland</i>
2017	Reviewed for CSCW.	<i>New York, New York</i>
2017	Reviewed for CHI.	<i>Montreal, Canada</i>
2017	Reviewed for DIS.	
2016	Lunch@CHI co-chair — CHI 2016.	<i>San Jose, CA</i>
2015	Student Volunteer — CHI 2016 Program Committee Meeting.	<i>San Jose, CA</i>

Skills

- **Languages:** Python, JavaScript, PHP, \LaTeX , Java, Bash, Ruby, R, HTML, CSS, SQL
- **Frameworks:** Ruby on Rails, Node.js, AngularJS, Express