TONY JIN

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WORK

UX Design Intern

May 2018 - Aug. 2018

The Home Depot

- Designed and evaluated a centralized dashboard to help the Home Depot developers troubleshoot cloud deployments, which would save around 20% of developers' time.
- Led kick-off meetings, interviews, design studios, and user testings.
- Advocated for the importance of User Experience and engaged the core team and stakeholders throughout the design process.

Oratory Coach

Jan. 2014 - Dec. 2014

Middlebury Oratory Now

 Designed public speaking workshops and coached over 100 students for public speaking events, including TEDx competition and student symposium.

PROJECTS

UX Design & Research Lead

Jan. 2018 - Oct. 2018

Eatxplore - Breaking the Cultural Barriers of Food

- Led the research, design, and evaluation of an app that helps international students order in ethnic restaurants. Advocated for User Experience and engaged engineers throughout the process.
- Iterated on the design after the group project ended.

VR Designer & Developer

Sept. 2018 - Present

Thriller VR - Dancing/Imitation Experience in Oculus Rift

- Designing, prototyping, and evaluating a VR experience that encourages interactors to dance by the invitation of a virtual character.
- Reflecting on design conventions in VR to compensate for the platform's constraints and guide interactors' actions through narratives.

UX Designer

Sept. 2017 - Dec. 2017

Mirror Mirror - Increasing Mindfulness in Personal Finance

- Identified emerging adults' need to form good spending habits through expert interviews, user interviews, and surveys.
- Designed and evaluated a mobile app that encourages users to reflect on past purchases and provides them with spending suggestions.

EDUCATION

Georgia Institute of Technology

M.S. Human-Computer InteractionAug. 2017 - May 2019 4.0

Middlebury College

B.A. Computer Science & PsychologyAug. 2013 - May 2017 3.97

SKILLS

Design

Sketch Framer X
InVision Studio Principle
Axure Paper Prototype
Photoshop Illustrator

Research

Surveys Contextual Inquiry
Interviews Affinity Mapping
Persona Usability Testing

Development

Java/Android Swift/iOS HTML/CSS/JS Bootstrap React.js D3.js

Python Unity (VR/AR)

Communication

Critical Writing Storytelling

AWARDS

Bestfolios.com - Design portfolio featured as Editor's Pick

NetImpact - Tech for Good Fellowship

HackRPI - Best Mobile Hack & Best Use of TripAdvisor's API

The New York Times - College Essay Competition Winner