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POSITIONS HELD

Researcher 2022-Present

Fitness app (personal project) – New York, NY

- Prototyping a fitness app to get women in menopause to lift weights

Senior User Experience Researcher 2019-2021

Pear Therapeutics – San Francisco, CA

- Led product research for 4 cognitive behavioral therapy apps (substance use disorder, insomnia, schizophrenia, chronic migraines)

User Experience Researcher 2018-2019

Verily Life Sciences – South San Francisco, CA

- Product research for Project Baseline (digital clinical trials) and Verb Surgical (robotic surgery)

User Experience Researcher 2017-2017

Pandia Health – Sunnyvale, CA

- Product research for online birth control prescription and delivery

Product Manager 2016-2017

Healthloop – Mountain View, CA

- Remote monitoring tools for clinicians and patients after surgery

Software Engineer 2015-2016

Gilead Sciences – Foster City, CA

- Internal tools for running clinical trials

EDUCATION

MA Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences, 2021-2022.

Columbia University – New York, NY

User Research Methods, 2017.

UC Berkeley Extension – San Francisco, CA

BS Computer Science, Minor Cognitive Science, 2010-2015.

UC San Diego – La Jolla, CA

PUBLIC WRITING AND RESEARCH

[Design better.](#) I publish my self-funded research about exercise habits and other topics on my blog.