# anusha narayan

# human-centred design engineer

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# profile

Fourth year design engineering student at Imperial College London with a passion for designing data-driven, human-centred solutions for enhancing the health and wellbeing of vulnerable populations. I have extensive experience of tackling complex, user-centric issues that require systemic level interventions. A dedicated and motivated team player, I am capable of driving projects from initial conception to final product.

#### education

# Imperial College London - MEng Design Engineering

2020 - 2024

- · predicted a First Class Honours
- · courses in: human-centred design, sustainable design, design for behavioural change, machine learning, data science, python, javascript, matlab, fea, solid mechanics, electronics
- Thesis: Improving the Mental Health Outcomes of Premature Babies by Promoting Positive Sensory Experiences during the Early Stages of Development

#### The Henrietta Barnett School - A Levels

2013 - 2020

3 A\* in Product Design, Mathematics and Further Mathematics, 1 A in History

# experience

### MathWorks - UX Design Intern

April 2023 - September 2023

- · supported the Text Analytics and Al Verification & Validation teams
- · sole UX representative to Text Analytics team, working to design new features to enhance data preprocessing
- · in charge of redesign of instructional diagrams how to implement Al into safety critical systems

### MathWorks - UX Design Intern

July 2022 - September 2022

- · worked on redesign of MATLAB interface
- · designed new features for the Parallel Computing Toolbox
- · extended accessibility support for MATLAB online

# projects

#### Pulmo

October 2022 - March 2023

- group project as part of a Design Engineering Futures module
- · aimed to solve the problem that respiratory health will worsen in urban centres over the next 20 years
- · designed a wearable patch that monitors a variety of data points to detect and generate a preliminary diagnosis for lung disease

#### U Me

January 2022 - June 2022

- · group project as part of an Industrial Design module
- · aimed to improve communication between severely autistic, non-verbal children and their parents
- · designed a two-way communication device for the child, so that they can inform parents of their essential needs, paired with an app so that parents could set instructions for the child

#### The Period Product Steriliser

July 2021 - September 2021

- personal project
- aimed to alleviate the effects of period poverty in developing countries
- designed a period product steriliser, which women and girls could use to sterilise period products, so that they
  become reusable, creating a long-lasting, hygienic supply of period products