

# Ayse Hunt

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## Education

### **NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY**

*Master's in Learning Sciences, Sept. 2020 – June 2023*

### **UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND**

*B.S. in Computer Science and B.A. in Art History, Aug. 2015 – May 2019*

## Experience

### **NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY**

*Osmo Coding Research Assistant, Jan. 2021 – present*

- Conducted a mixed-methods analysis of children's collaboration while playing a computational game
- Systematically compared how two different interfaces influenced children's behavior
- Ran statistical analysis in Excel and Stata and synthesized quantitative findings for publication

*Street Code Jam Fest Research Assistant, Sept. 2020 – June 2021*

- Assisted in hiring and training 15 undergraduate students to teach after-school program
- Created and managed a Qualtrics consent form for parents of after-school students

### **ADLER PLANETARIUM**

*Visiting Researcher, Sept. 2021 – June 2022*

- Identified usability and accessibility issues of an interactive touch table in an existing museum exhibit
- Iterated on existing UI in order to align with reading comprehension of children aged 6-13
- Held feedback sessions with 25 middle school youth to refine exhibit prototypes

### **VULCAN, INC.**

*Arts & Entertainment Assistant, Sept. – Dec. 2019*

- Designed a Smartsheet dashboard to improve internal communication between 6 departments
- Facilitated the transition to the new calendar system utilizing principles of change management

*Living Computers: Museum + Labs Curatorial Intern, June – Aug. 2019*

- Designed a mixed-methods study to evaluate visitor experiences in an existing museum exhibit
- Achieved buy-in from key stakeholders to move forward with my proposed design recommendations

### **MUSEUM OF GLASS**

*Student lead and Android developer, Nov. 2018 – June 2019*

- Led a team of other 3 students in developing an Android application featuring museum artifacts
- Designed the front-end of the application based on data from my 2018 ethnographic study
- Collaborated with curators and exhibit designers to design a physical kiosk to house the application

### **UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND**

*Humanities Undergraduate Researcher, June 2018 – May 2019*

- Conducted an ethnographic study on the use of educational technology in art museums
- Paper accepted and presented at the 2018 Art Museum in the Digital Age conference in Vienna, Austria

*STEM Undergraduate Researcher, June 2017 – Dec. 2018*

- Built a computer program to study the habits of people learning to program
- Paper accepted and presented at the 2018 Koli Calling International Conference on Computer Science Education

## Experience continued

### MARRIOTT RESIDENCE INN, SOUTH LAKE UNION SEATTLE

*Front Desk Associate, June 2016 – Aug. 2016*

- Direct customer service experience within the front desk and concierge team
- Assisted 70+ guests daily with check-ins, check-outs, cashiering, and concierge needs
- Facilitated communication between housekeeping, operations, and front desk team

## Skills

**Methods** Survey studies, interview studies, interaction analysis, co-design sessions, quantitative analysis

**Applications** Qualtrics, Smartsheet, Tableau, G Suite, Microsoft Office, SharePoint, SurveyMonkey

**Conference Presentations** Please see [tinyurl.com/aysehunt](https://tinyurl.com/aysehunt)