# **Brad Orego**

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#### Overview

- University of Rochester c/o '11 B.S. Computer Science, B.A. Psychology, Minors in Spanish, Dance
- Helping dozens of early stage startups design and build products since 2011
- Company member with Kanopy Dance Company since 2013
- Mentor with 3-Day Startup, Startup Weekend, and TechStars Patriot Bootcamp

## Design

#### Founder @ MelioraLabs, 2014 - Present

- Product design, usability research, and education for companies early stage to Fortune 500 Product Lead @ MobileIgniter, 2015-2016
- Internet-of-Things product development consultancy with a usability research branch Member, Mentor @ 100state, 2013 - Present
- Wisconsin's largest coworking space and entrepreneurial network

UX Lead @ Nextt, 2013-2014

- Collaborative social planning tool startup

Digital Designer @ ZebraDog Studios, 2012-2013

- Interactive media installations using Kinect, WebGL, and large format multitouch devices

# † Dance

### Kanopy Dance Company (2013 - Present)

- Training in Martha Graham technique and contemporary ballet
- Performed original works by directors Lisa Andrea Thurrell and Robert Cleary, as well as master works such as Pascal Rioult's "Wien", Charles Weidman's "Lynchtown", Anna Sokolow's "Lyric Suite", and several works by corporeal mime masters Steve Wasson and Corrine Soum
- Choreographed an original work for the company that debuted in April 2016

#### Madison Contemporary Vision Dance (2013 - 2014)

- Choreographed two original works for the 2013 and 2014 seasons

# Miscellany

2015 American Advertising Award, TransformMilwaukee.com Madison Curling Club, Member 2012-2017 Madison Homebrewers & Tasters Guild, Member 2013 - Present Madison Mastodon Ultimate, Member (2014 - 2017), B-Team Captain (2015) University of Rochester Take 5 Scholar - Granted a tuition-free 5th year to study Art Cognition

> Helping companies build better, more engaging products by leveraging Psychology and User-Centered Design.

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