# Carolina Luz Hadad

Contact Information Work Experience

# Google Argentina

Senior Solutions Consultant

Nov 2017 - Feb 2020

gTech Professional Services for Publishers team makes sure that our external partners are able to grow their business with the full support of Google's products. Publisher Solution Consultants are advertising and technology mavericks who serve as liaisons between our biggest partners and Google's Sales, Product, and Engineering teams.

I advice over 100 different partners in LATAM and the US with proactive and reactive projects, events, talks and custom code.

Diversity Ambassador

July 2019 – Feb 2020

Due to my work as a part of the leadership team of the Women@ ERG and for my work to support new parents at the office I received this role as a Buenos Aires Diversity Ambassador. I'm a trained facilitator for DEI programs in our office, I facilitated courses for teammates and managers, both local and internationally.

#### Chicas en Tecnología

Co-founder

March 2015 - present

Chicas en Tecnología is a non-profit organization that seeks to motivate, empower and increase the knowledge and enthusiasm of young women for technology. Thoug the years I had several roles including Team Manager, curricula leader and Program Manager.

- We have expanded our programs to all Argentina: We have presence in 14 provinces and employ 5 people full time.
- +2,000 teenage girls, +100 technical mentors and +500 teachers and parents are part of our programs
- We have an active research area with publications funded by partners such as IDB.

## Fundación Huesped

Consultant / Program Manager

**December 2016 - March 2017** 

Fundación Huesped is an Argentine organization that works in the public health field focusing on HIV/AIDS, STIs, as well as sexual and reproductive health.

I did a 3-months consulting job to help coordinating Fundación Huesped's technical projects implemented by external providers.

Gobierno Abierto, Argentina Government

May 2015 – August 2016

# ■ Subsecreataría de Innovación Pública y Gobierno Abierto, Argentina Government

Team Manager

Our team was in charge of creating, obtaining, publishing and generating products and visualizations with Open Data.

I coordinated a team of 8 programmers, devops and UX designers in the Open Data office in the Argentina Government.

# ■ Laboratorio de Gobierno, Buenos Aires City Government

Digital Innovation Manager

Our team was in charge developing products, data visualization and internal tools that generate and use open data.

I coordinated a team of three programmers and one UX designer.

# Google, Mountain View, USA

Software Engineering Intern

December 2013 - February 2014

Internship hosted by the engEDU team called CS Academy. This team designs and runs all the global educational program inside and outside Google. I coded mostly in Python with App Engine.

# Manas Technology Solutions - InSTEDD iLab Latam

Full Stack Developer

February 2009 – May 2015

Manas is company partnered with InSTEDD, an NGO specialized in building integral solutions for health, humanitarian and educational purposes which targets users in Africa, Southeast Asia and Latin America. Coded: Webapps in Ruby on Rails + Knokout.js, Android and iPhone apps and infrastructure projects using C#.

EDUCATION

# Web Accessibility #a11y

Feb 2020

4 weeks introductory course hosted by Women Who Code Community in Buenos Aires with content facilitated by eSSENTIAL Accessibility. Topics include: screen readers, WCAG, local and international legislation.

Universidad de Buenos Aires, Faculty of Social Sciences starting on March 2020 I was admitted to a 1-year post graduate in Scientific Communications.

#### Recurse Center, New York

Mar 2017 - May 2017

The Recurse Center is a full-time, self-directed, educational retreat for people who want to get better at programming, whether they've been coding for three decades or three months.

# University of California, Berkeley

Dec 2016 – April 2017

Innovation for Equality Fellow

#### University of Buenos Aires UBA, Faculty of Exact and Natural Sciences

Bachelor in Computer Science

2007 - 2012

LANGUAGES

■ Spanish: Native Speaker

• English: Highly proficient in spoken and written English

■ Portuguese: Basic communication skills

#### Volunteering

#### Global Shaper - Chosen by the World Economic Forum

June 2014 – May 2017

Member of the Buenos Aires hub

The Global Shapers Community is an interdisciplinary network of hubs developed and led by young working to a make a contribution to their communities.

■ World Economic Forum, Davos, Switzerland

Jan 2016

I was one of the 50 Global Shapers in the world chosen to participate in the World Ecnomic Forum in Switzerland.

## Latinity Conference Chile & Perú

Nov 2015 & Aug 2017

Scholarship Chair

Latinity is the first latin american conference about Women in Computing with thousands of women technologist attendant. I designed the strategy, rubric and coordinated the selection of the 50 scholarship recipients in over 500 international applications..

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

# Programá tu Futuro

January 2015 – December 2015

Technical Mentor

• Programá tu Futuro is an innitiative of the Buenos Aires City Government to teach programming for free in the city's public libraries. I was one of the mentors in charge of the Palermo Club.

University of Buenos Aires, Computer Science Department.
Science Popularizer

March 2011 - Dec 2012

University of Buenos Aires, Computer Science Department.

March 2012 - Jul 2012

Teaching Assistant

- Course: Algorithms and Data Structures I
- Topics include Specification, Basic Data Structures, Recursion and Introduction to Algorithms.

#### Personal Work

# Writing

- Personal Blog I write about maternity, women in tech and other random thoughts
- Monthly column about technology in La Nación One of the biggest Argentina newspapers.
- Columnist at Intrepidas Magazine for girls aged 6 to 12 about science, art and technology.

#### AWARDS

• Women Tech Founders 2018 I won this prize after 3 rounds which included nomination, public vote (over 3K votes), and final selection by jurors.

# Speaker & Conferences

- Emprender Mujer Santiago del Estero, Argentina
- Julio 2019

• Conectados BA - Buenos Aires, Argentina

Feb 2019

Talk about programming with social impact to over 3K teenagers.

• TEDx Córdoba, Argentina

Oct 2015

My talk about Technology with a Social Impact has over 15K views **Programar con Impacto Social**.

• Meetup.js in Buenos Aires

Aug 2017

I did a talk about Firebase + React.js. more-info

• Open Viz Conf, Boston, USA

Mar 2017

I received a full scholarship awarded by the conference to be able to attend.

• Coach @ Rails Girls Buenos Aires

Nov 2016

 $\bullet\,$  Google Developers Summit, Quito, Ecuador

Jul 2016

- I was invited to give a presentation about tools that can be used in emergency contexts for humanitarian issues.
- Latinity Santiago de Chile Oct 2015
- Hosted Hackaton @ Grace Hopper Conference Phoenix Arizona, USA

Oct 2014

• First Prize @ Hackathon: Desarrollando América Latina

Mar 2013

We coded a platform for games for children with autism and got the first prize in Argentina.