# Chaitrali Gharat

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# **Objective**

Seeking UX Internship opportunities for Summer 2016

## **Education**

**AUG 15 - MAY 17** 

Master of Science in Information (HCI specialization)

University of Michigan School of Information, Ann Arbor

**SEP 08 - MAY 12** 

**Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering** 

University of Mumbai, Mumbai

## **Experience**

**SEP 15 - PRESENT** 

**Design Apprentice II, UMSI Design Clinic** 

**JUL 12 - JUL 15** 

### Senior Software Engineer, Seclore Technology

- Developed server side component for company's Information Rights Management product.
- Simplified user on-boarding, login process for the product. Minimized drop rates when a new user interacted with the product. Enriched product interaction for an existing user.
- Localized UI and UX for the web portal across multiple languages.
- Led product release cycles and ran product development sprints in agile fashion.

### **Relevant Work**

**Explorify** - Mobile application that connects people offline

Designed from scratch, explored the problem space in detail. Iterated and designed the final prototypes, securing an 'A' in the course.

Smart Lid - Cooking for visually impaired

Developed idea and prototypes for CHI Design Competition 2016.

**Pix Up** - 'Uber for X' for deliveries

Researched feasibility, developed product idea, designed interactive prototypes and user tests.

**3M Littman® TeleSteth™ System** - Enabling doctors do remote checkups Redesigned to enable better user experience.

Amazon shopping app - Shopping app for casual browsing

Ideated and coined up ways to extend experience to encourage casual browsing among users.

MyNextMove - Dashboard for a to-do list

Developed final prototype of dashboard – through user research, iterative prototyping and user testing.

# **Activities & Organisations**

- Student Organization of Computer Human Interaction (SOCHI)
- Coursera: HCI with distinction
- 5k run in Puma Urban Stampede, Mumbai
- Students' Council, TCET. Creative head: Designed stage backdrop, invites for annual cultural festival.
- Computer Society of India, TCET: Working Committee head & Organizer Zephyr (Annual inter-college techinal festival)
- Volunteered at Ann Arbor District Library for MLK Service Day.

UX Design

**UI** Design

**Product Design** 

User Research

Coding

# **Prototyping**

Invision

Marvel

Balsamiq

Power point

Adobe Illustrator

Paper

# **Programming**

HTML

**CSS** 

JavaScript

jQuery

J2EE

Python

SQL

## **Project Management**

Agile

## Languages

English

Hindi

Marathi

German