# CYNTHIA YUE

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### **EDUCATION**

Cornell University
M.P.S. Information Science
2017 – Present

University of California, Irvine B.A. Anthropology and Economics 2007 – 2011

## **SKILLS & TOOLS**

Design: User Research, Storyboard Creation, Persona Development, User Testing, Wireframing, Prototyping Visual: Adobe Creative Suite CC, Sketch, Invision, Balsamig

Technical: Python, SAS, SQL, Javascript, HTML, CSS, Adobe Analytics

## **PROJECTS**

## Cornell Information Science M.P.S Project – User Research for Verizon

August 2017 - December 2017

- Worked with Verizon's Open Innovation team to conduct user research and help increase engagement and content discoverability on their video streaming platform.
- Collected qualitative data from over 200 participants through online surveys, interviews and user testing from which we derived actionable insights based on key findings concerning user goals and motivations.

# Human Computer Interaction – Composting Crowd App Design

August 2017 – December 2017

- Designed a mobile app that encourages composting on college campuses.
- Conducted user research to identify goals, motivations and behaviors of target audience.
- Developed 2 lo-fi prototypes which we user tested; final deliverables consisted of a report on user insights and a hi-fidelity prototype.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# UBM plc - Digital Marketing Manager

May 2014 - August 2017

- Spearheaded digital advertising efforts for a portfolio of 35 brands spanning across the technology, electronics, gaming, biotechnology and manufacturing industries.
- Demonstrated excellent leadership skills while collaborating directly with marketers, designers and engineers to develop and execute large budget campaigns from start to finish.
- Strategically applied several iterations of the conversion funnel redesign that ultimately achieved a 250% increase in conversions and a 14% decrease in costs.

### Quinstreet – Online Media Associate (Web Production)

July 2012 - May 2014

- Leveraged web metrics for a portfolio of insurance related affiliate websites collectively generating over 100K weekly unique visitors to drive business decisions pertaining to SEO and content creation.
- Created a systematic approach to content promotion that substantially increased social media engagement, backlink generation and website traffic.
- Oversaw A/B tests to improve website experience and help increase conversion rates.