Danielle Cruz

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Designer, developer, and educator interested in applications of tech that make experiences more equitable and more accessible — particularly for learners and Disabled people.

Education

Stanford University

MS in Computer Science, Human-Computer Interaction (exp 2023) BS in Symbolic Systems (exp 2023) Minor in Portuguese

Experience

Software Engineering Intern · GoSchoolBox

GoSchoolBox is a tutoring management platform. Developed a data visualization dashboard to help teachers and district administrators better track students' progress in academics and social-emotional learning overtime. Coded in React.js, MongoDB, GraphQL.

Summer 2021 · Remote

Learning Engineering Fellow · Schmidt Futures

One of 30 fellows selected to an ed-tech talent outreach program for students with backgrounds in both CS and education. Team awarded \$25,000 (1st place) for Guia, our Chrome extension in language education.

Winter 2021 - Summer 2021 · Remote

Product Designer · SoundSight

Designed a visualization engine to create better representations of background music and environmental sounds in video content for Deaf and Hard of Hearing users.

Spring 2021 · Remote

UX Engineer · ALTogether

Designed and developed an extension to promote non-visual accessibility and encourage sighted users to include alt text on their photos. Conducted interviews with blind and visually-impaired users, prototyped in Figma, coded in React Native.

Winter 2021 · Remote

Product Designer · Buildagram

Designed an ed-tech product that empowers learners to develop spatial reasoning skills through 2D to 3D relations. Published research in the 2020 Interaction Design and Children Conference.

Winter 2020 - Summer 2020 · Stanford, CA

Skills + Interests

| React | HTML/CSS | Figma |
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| JavaScript | MongoDB | Needfinding |
| Python | GraphQL | Prototyping |