

# daniell yang

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## Experience

### Square - Product Design Intern

May 2020 - Present, New York NY

Building retail POS solutions to empower small business owners in this time of crisis and prepare them for the future of retail in a post-pandemic world

### Shopify - UX Research & Design Intern

Sep 2019 - Dec 2019, Ottawa ON

Championed the user research and design of core features for the ground-up rebuild of a new online store website builder for 1,000,000+ businesses

### Shopify - Product Design Intern

Jan 2019 - May 2019, Toronto ON

Designed and shipped new visual and interaction patterns to the Polaris design system, scaling 3rd party app integration within Marketing by 150%

### Pound & Grain - Design Intern

May 2018 - Aug 2019, Toronto ON

Directed Weight Watchers' and Viacom's 2018 marketing campaigns resulting in YoY subscription growth of 26% and social engagement by 40%

## Leadership

### UW/UX - Community Lead

May 2019 - Present, Waterloo ON

Fostering the student design community at the University of Waterloo by organizing events with industry professionals, leading workshops and curating informative online resources

## Projects

### Synthly - Designer

Nov 2018, Menlo Park CA

Developed an application that maps audio to hand gestures, allowing anyone and everyone with a basic laptop and web-cam to be a DJ

Won **1st Place** for the Facebook Hackathon Demo and invited to the **Facebook Global Hackathon** to represent Team Canada

## Education

### University of Waterloo

BA Computer Science & Finance  
Expected graduation April 2022

## Skills

Product strategy, User research  
Usability testing, Prototyping  
Systems design, Web design  
Mobile design, Content strategy

Figma, Sketch  
Origami Studio, InVision  
Abstract, Photoshop  
Illustrator, InDesign

HTML, CSS  
Javascript, React  
C++, Python

## Awards

### Facebook Global Hackathon

Team Canada Representative

### Hack the North

Facebook Demo Winner

### HackWestern4

Best Use of AI/ML

## Interests

Singing terrible karaoke  
Playing badminton  
Gambling Investing in stocks