

Diane Yang

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EDUCATION	Harvard University <i>A.B. in Computer Science, expected May 2016</i> Coursework includes: Computational Photography (currently enrolled), Computer Graphics, Computational Fabrication, Systems Programming & Machine Organization, Data Structures & Algorithms, Linear Algebra, Multivariable Calculus
TECHNICAL SKILLS	Python, C/C++, CoffeeScript, JavaScript, MATLAB, OCaml, HTML, CSS, Django, Ember.js, Backbone.js, Git, OpenGL, OpenSCAD
PROJECTS	Mesh smoothing - Implemented half-edge mesh data structure and Laplacian mesh smoothing with cotangent weights. Written in C++. 4-bar linkage curve matching - Users draw desired path with Bezier splines. Genetic algorithm outputs linkage that traces similar path. Written in MATLAB. Collision simulator - Simulates dropping hundreds of cubes into a box. Uses grid data structure for $O(n)$ collision detection. Written in C++ with OpenGL. Harvard Food Finder - Bayesian classification algorithm trained to recognize emails that mention free food opportunities on campus, written in Python. Textify - Neural network for optical character recognition. Written in Python.
EXPERIENCE	Research Assistant MIT CSAIL - Computer Graphics Group Fall 2015 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work on physical-simulation-based project for computational fabrication. Software Engineering Intern Addepar Summer 2015 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Implement front-end features for wealth management platform using Ember.js.• Extended Ember Tables library to support pivot tables.• Built interface for exporting Addepar data into general ledger accounting software and integrated it with back-end API. Tech Board Member The Harvard Advocate Spring 2015 - Present <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use Django to build website for nation's oldest literary and arts magazine.• Built internal tool for customer relationship management. Enables users to sort through donors and subscribers and keep track of interactions. Software Engineering Intern HubSpot Summer 2014 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front-end developer for HubSpot's marketing-optimized publishing platform.• Improved performance of a suite of dashboards by rewriting them from server-side generated pages to static Backbone.js apps integrated with a RESTful API.• Project launched in August 2014 to over 5000 customer portals. Teaching Fellow Computer Science 51 (Abstraction and Design) Spring 2014 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught weekly 1.5-hour sections, held office hours, and graded assignments.• Course covers functional and object oriented programming, as well as good practices for writing readable and maintainable code. Exercises in OCaml. Software Engineering Intern HubSpot Summer 2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Refactored Selenium integration tests by implementing page objects design pattern, making integration tests more readable, maintainable, and easier to write.• Built end-to-end features for managing settings for HubSpot's publishing platform.
ART & DESIGN	Began formal art training at age 8. Portfolio available at dianeyang.carbonmade.com.