

# DENISE M. DEKKER

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## SUMMARY

To secure an entry-level Product Manager, UX, or Developer position that combines my technical and design skills.

## EDUCATION

B.A. in Computer Science, Mills College, Oakland, CA.

May, 2017

GPA: 3.87

Dean's Scholar (since 2015)

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society (since 2014)

## TECHNOLOGY SUMMARY

*[Familiar]:* HTML5, CSS, Jade, Bootstrap, Java, Cloud 9, GitHub, Eclipse IDE, Brackets, Axure, MS Office, Adobe XD, Heroku.

*[Learning]:* JavaScript, MEAN Stack, Android, JQuery, Adobe Creative Suite.

## EXPERIENCE

*Product Manager/Developer Intern (2016 to current)*

- End-to-end redesign of Caravan Studio's 4Bells app.
- Heuristic Evaluation.
- Created personas, use model, and high fidelity UI prototypes.
- Redesign incorporated WCAG accessibility guidelines.
- Write scripts for, and conduct, user testing.
- Tools: Adobe XD, Axure.

*Front End Design, CitizensOrg (2016)*

- Front end developer for project.
- Designed login, input forms, and dashboard to work with HTTP requests.
- Worked with formatting to make site responsive for all viewport sizes.
- Managed style for site; chose color palette and organized site design/appearance.
- Tools: MEAN stack, Bootstrap.

*UI/UX design, SproutWare (2016)*

- Developed a compelling ecommerce site that provided detailed, expert information to customers who want to purchase developmentally appropriate and educational toys for children [individuals] aged 99.
- Heuristic evaluation.
- Created personas, use model, wireframe, and high fidelity prototype.

- Facilitated user testing at wireframe and high fidelity stages of design; incorporated user feedback into designs.
- Tools: Axure, Google Forms, Google draw-io, NinjaMock.

#### *Front End Design, SisterWeb (2016)*

- Front End lead for project; responsible for design and pushing project through deadlines.
- Styled site; chose design elements and images.
- Tools: Ruby on Rails, CSS, HAML, Cloud 9, Pivotal Tracker, Piazza, and Heroku.

#### *Veritable Vegetable, Inc. (1997 to 2013)*

- Purchased extensive line of organic, fresh produce.
- Forecasting for long and short-term buying.
- Managed department deadlines for in-house fleet of trucks; liaised with Trucking Department dispatcher to inform route planning and allocation.
- Co-director of Farm and Field Program, an in-house program that connected workers with vendors.
- Regular contributor to company website; provided product information updates and buying guide for customers.

## **RELEVANT COURSEWORK**

Web Programming (MEAN stack)

Android Mobile Development (Java, Android Studio)

Programming Languages (Scheme, Haskell, Go)

Design Thinking (IDEO)

Visual Design (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, and Animate)

Software Engineering (Ruby On Rails, HTML5, HAML, and CSS)

UX Design (Use Model, Wireframe, Prototype, Adobe XD)

Visible Language (Typography)

Data Structures and Algorithms (Java)

Computer Concepts and Intermediate Programming (Java) Introduction to Programming (Python, Java, JavaScript)