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SUMMARY

Recent Computer Science graduate with 13+ years experience in a purchasing/logistics role. A growth mindset learner, I'm a personable, passionate individual, who excels in building professional relationships and solving problems.

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 Developer Intern, Caravan Studios (2016 to current)

- Heuristic Evaluation, and end-to-end UI/UX redesign, of Caravan Studio's 4Bells app to improve app appearance and function, especially for seniors.
- Created personas, use model, and high fidelity UI prototypes.
- Incorporated WCAG accessibility guidelines to leverage access for a wider audience of users.
- Wrote scripts for, and conducted, user testing; incorporated feedback into the next iteration/prototype.

Front End Design, CitizensOrg (2016)

- Designed login, input forms, and dashboard to work with HTTP requests; made site responsive for all viewport sizes.
- Managed style for site; chose color palette and organized site design/appearance.
- Resolved problems with FOUC that occurred with Angular.

Product Manager/UI/UX design, SproutWare (2016)

- Developed a compelling ecommerce site that provided detailed, expert information to customers purchasing developmentally appropriate and educational toys.
- Created personas, use model, wireframe, high fidelity prototypes, and performed heuristic evaluation to

deliver a user friendly, attractive product.

- Facilitated user testing at wireframe and high fidelity stages of design; incorporated user feedback into designs.

Veritable Vegetable, Inc. (1997 to 2013)

- Forecasting for long and short-term buying with farmers, brokers, and wholesalers; purchased extensive line of organic, fresh produce that met company specifications for profit margin, quality, and quantity.
- 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 to connect workers with vendors through visits to farms/facilities.
- Regular contributor to company newsletter/website; provided product information updates, marketing information, 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)