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Education

New York University - 2017
 Masters Candidate at Interactive Telecommunications Program
 Focus on Privacy, Surveillance and Networks

New York University - 2012
 BA in Political Science: Alexander Hamilton Certificate for Political Economy

Selected Work Experience

• Freelance Date Reporter (current)

Published with: Gizmodo, Motherboard, Vox

Stories: The House that Spied on Me, How Google Earth Stopped Mapping this Military Installation
Upcoming: Thwarting Tech Giants via Kashmir Hill, Deaths Linked To A Dangerous Goodyear RV Tire via Ryan Felton

• Eyebeam (2017 - 2018)

Role: Artist in Residence

Projects: Othernet, Defense. Fishing, Internal Use Only.

ACLU: Speech, Privacy, Technology Project (2017)

Role: Intern / Researcher

Technology: Postgres, Docker, Shell Scripting, Web Scraping, Python, Technical Documentation

ACLU - The ACLU's Project on Speech, Privacy, and Technology (SPT) is dedicated to protecting and expanding the First Amendment freedoms of expression. Example work: Criminalization of Private Debt, CBP-Forensics

NYU Courant :: Saycel (2015 - 2018)

Role: Network Engineer / Research Technician

Technology: Software Defined Radio, OpenBTS, Docker, Node.js, Automated Testing, Network Management

<u>Saycel</u> - Saycel is a UNICEF Innovation Lab funded project that builds open source community run cellular infrastructure in rural and autonomous regions. Currently operating in Bluefields Nicaragua and Ole-Kassasi, Kenya.

Selected Work from <u>The Mechanism</u> (2013-2015)

Role: Backend/Frontend Developer

Technology: Ruby, Node.js, Postgres, Continuous Integration

NYCVotes- Funded by the Campaign Finance Board of New York, this Ruby application allows voters to search candidates, polling places and ballot measures.

Crisis Cleanup (2013-2014)

Role: Backend/Frontend Developer Technology: Ruby

<u>Crisis Cleanup</u>- A free, open source Ruby on Rails application that connects disaster recovery organizations with the people who need help. We've already connected 40,000+ volunteers from 230+ organizations with 10,000 families in 17 states and 20 disasters in 4 countries, creating more than \$26 million in impact.

Press

• Business Insider, Quartz (op ed), Afrotech, Vox, Technical IV, Mozilla,