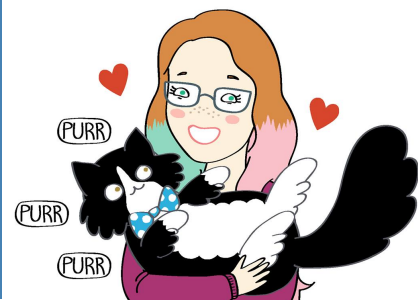


# Emilie Menard Barnard

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Cat lover and educator moving to Seattle in June 2018 (date is flexible)

## cat experience

### Feb 2017 - **CAT LOUNGE GREETER**

Sep 2017 *The Dancing Cat (San Jose, CA)*

Acted as the first point of contact for visitors and potential adopters, providing an overall positive experience and a welcoming environment

- Greeted and checked in visitors, and ensured all visitors treated cats properly
- Ran retail area
- Organized and cleaned main visiting area

### Aug 2014 - **SHIFT LEAD CAREGIVER**

Sep 2016 *Animal Shelter Assistance Program (Santa Barbara, CA)*

Led a team of approximately fifteen volunteers and managed most aspects of the cat shelter during my shifts

- Screened potential adopters, helped them find cats suited to their lifestyles, and processed adoptions
- Ensured all visitors treated cats properly
- Cared for “tiny lions,” sick cats, and other cats that were unadoptable at that time
- Organized volunteers to ensure adoptable cats were cared for and the shelter was cleaned properly
- Worked with county animal services to ensure all regulations were followed
- Assisted veterinary technicians with procedures when needed
- Ran retail area and managed phones
- 200+ yearly hours service award earned in the year 2015

### Aug 2014 - **MEMBER OF SOCIAL MEDIA, IT, & ADMINISTRATION TEAMS**

Sep 2016 *Animal Shelter Assistance Program (Santa Barbara, CA)*

Assisted various specialty shelter teams when needed

- Managed shelter social media accounts on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter
- Fixed technical issues on shelter computer equipment
- Helped with various administrative tasks such as data management

### Lifelong **CAT OWNER**

I have purroudly shared my life with the following kitties:

- Jemima (2011 - Present)
- Figaro (1996 - 2013)
- Snapper, Baby Face, & Puddy (1990s)

## teaching experience

### Sep 2017 - **ADJUNCT PROFESSOR**

Present *Foothill College (Los Altos Hills, CA)*

Organize and teach computer science courses

- Prepare and host class meetings
- Foster a learning environment that respects the diverse student population
- Assess students' academic performance
- Participate in mentorship programs and activities

### May 2017 - **SUMMER IMMERSION PROGRAM INSTRUCTOR**

Aug 2017 *Girls Who Code (Sunnyvale, CA)*

Led the GWC summer program classroom at Amazon Lab126

- Maintained an engaging and accessible classroom environment for a diverse group of 20 high school girls
- Managed Teaching Assistants

### June 2016 - **LECTURER IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Aug 2016 *University of California, Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara, CA)*

Taught lectures of UCSB's undergraduate introductory computer science course during summer sessions

- Prepared and hosted college lectures
- Organized Teaching Assistants
- Wrote and provided oversight in grading all assignments and exams

## education

June 2016    **MASTER OF SCIENCE - COMPUTER SCIENCE**  
*University of California, Santa Barbara    (Santa Barbara, CA)*  
4.0 GPA

June 2013    **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE - COMPUTER SCIENCE**  
**BACHENLOR OF ARTS - MATHEMATICS**  
*University of California, Santa Barbara    (Santa Barbara, CA)*  
with Honors

## projects

### **FIND MY FLUFFY**

*University of California, Santa Barbara & Animal Shelter Assistance Program*

I created this webservice intended to allow users to easily report lost and found cats. It generates potential lost/found matches based on database entries.

### **PUSHEEN PLUSHIES FACEBOOK GROUP**

I am the founder and administrator of this fan-made Facebook group dedicated to Pusheen plush animals. It currently has 13,000 members.

### **MEOWBOX AMBASSADOR PROGRAM**

I am one of the ten original social media ambassadors for Meowbox - a monthly subscription box for cats.