Emily Fuhrman

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Education

Columbia University

2016, MA, Department of English & Comparative Literature (expected)

Northwestern University

2014, MS, Predictive Analytics

The College of William & Mary

2010, BA, English, Philosophy, summa cum laude

Employment

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03 2015 -

Independent, multidisciplinary practice focused on visualization, mapping, and the design and development of datadriven graphics. Past engagements have encompassed academic research, data journalism, workshops, and creative collaboration. Selected Clients: Chromat, Columbia University, Simons Foundation.

Huge

04 2014 - 03 2015, Data Visualization Analyst

Owner of new data visualization capability at Huge. Responsible for partnering with analytics, technology, design, and user experience teams to develop visual analytical applications. Worked closely with clients to design visualization concepts for both print and web. Selected clients: Google.

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04 2012 - 04 2014, Data Artist / UX Developer

Responsible for designing the user interface of a dynamic analytics visualization terminal, from concept to production. Provided aesthetic and technical input on interactive visualizations throughout. Implemented static designs and visualization ideas in JavaScript. Acquired strong proficiency building interactive visualizations in D3.js.

Booz Allen Hamilton

07 2010 - 08 2012, Advanced Analytics Consultant

Responsible for designing and constructing interactive Flash-based data visualization tools. Created mockups and visualization concepts for lifecycle management platform and acquisition dashboard. Acquired self-taught skills in HTML, CSS, and Adobe Creative Suite. Selected clients: Air National Guard, U.S. Air Force, U.S. Navy.

Booz Allen Hamilton

06 2009 - 08 2009, Intern: Modeling, Simulation, Wargaming, & Analysis

Honors and awards

2010 Phi Beta Kappa Prize (William & Mary Department of English)

2009 Phi Beta Kappa Society

William & Mary Concerto Competition (First place, piano)

2006 James Monroe Scholar

Fellowships and research programs

James Monroe Scholarship Program: Summer Research Project Stockholm, Sweden
William & Mary University of Cambridge Summer Program Cambridge, England

Exhibitions and residencies

2011 Tokamak Art Residency, Helsinki International Artist Programme Helsinki, Finland

Talks

Columbia University Studio@Butler. "Introduction to D3.js." Workshop.Columbia University Digital Social Science Center. "Visualizing Geographic Data." Lecture.

Collaborations and research groups

Columbia University Group for Experimental Methods in the Humanities

Research Fellow. Collaborative engagement in efforts dedicated to mapping, data visualization, and rapid prototyping. Moderators: Manan Ahmed, Alex Gil, Dennis Tenen, & Grant Wythoff.

Teaching experience

HIST G8945, Borderlands Seminar (Prof. Manan Ahmed, S2015, Columbia University)

Co-teacher. Responsible for guiding and helping students with Leaflet and QGIS.

Technical skills and proficiencies

Languages

jQuery, JavaScript (D3.js), Processing. Working knowledge of: Python, R

Markup languages

HTML5, CSS. Working knowledge of: SASS

Frameworks

WordPress, Jekyll

Software

Adobe Creative Suite CS6 (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign)

GIS

Leaflet. Working knowledge of: QGIS

Natural languages

English, native; French, intermediate