# Farida Sabry

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#### **EDUCATION**

Smith College, Northampton, MA

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B.S. in Engineering & B.A. in Computer Science, GPA 3.7

- → Relevant Courses: Data Structures, Graphics, Algorithms, Web Programming
- → Activities: Founder of Maker Space, Tech & Design Chair of Smithies in CS, SWE member

#### **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Python, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript and Java Technologies: Bootstrap, React JS, RiveScript, Blender, AutoCAD, Photoshop, and Git

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Teacher Assistant**, Computer Science Department, Smith College

Jan 2016—present

- Hold drop-in sessions to address questions about the Intro to Computer Science and Graphics courses, clarify homework assignments and help debug code (Python, JavaScript, webGL)
- Assist professor with making quizzes, conducting surveys, and writing scripts to assess style

## Front-end Developer, doc AI, NASA Ames Research Center

Jul—Aug 2016

- Developed the pre-launch web page for doc AI, an early stage startup that's currently developing a medical intelligent agent
- Built a chatbot prototype using RiveScript that informs patients about their blood results and responds to questions relating to flags in their data and how they can improve their health

## **Learning Assistant**, Physics Department, Smith College

Sep 2016—Jan 2016

Set up labs and assisted the professor during the introductory physics classes by clarifying concepts, guiding students' thinking and bolstering their problem solving skills

**Intern**, Summer Science & Engineering Program, Smith College

Jun—Aug 2015

- Assisted in teaching 'Designing Intelligent Robots', a class where students constructed LEGO robots and built simple web pages to serve as daily documenting tools
- Developed a static page using HTML and CSS that was used as a demonstration for the students

#### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

**Teacher Assistant**, Girls Who Code, Smith College Chapter

2016—present

Facilitate learning and assist instructors in creating an environment that's both fun & instructive for the students

**Instructor**, Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day, SWE

Feb 2016

Led a workshop on Scratch programming, where 16 girls produced involved team projects

Mentor, Girl Scouts' First Lego League Team, Smith College

Ian—Dec 2015

Met with the team regularly to teach them the intricacies of LEGO robotics and help them prepare for the FLL regional competition

### **AWARDS**

GHC Scholar, Anita Borg Institute for Women in Technology NeXXt Scholar, New York Science Foundation MEPI Scholar, US Department of State

2016 2014—present 2008-2014