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EXPERIENCE

President & CEO

Yahoo!

- 📅 July 2012 – Ongoing 📍 Sunnyvale, CA
- Led the \$5 billion acquisition of the company with Verizon – the entity which believed most in the immense value Yahoo! has created
 - Acquired Tumblr for \$1.1 billion and moved the company's blog there
 - Built Yahoo's mobile, video and social businesses from nothing in 2011 to \$1.6 billion in GAAP revenue in 2015
 - Tripled the company's mobile base to over 600 million monthly active users and generated over \$1 billion of mobile advertising revenue last year

Vice President of Location & Services

Google

- 📅 Oct 2010 – July 2012 📍 Palo Alto, CA
- Position Google Maps as the world leader in mobile apps and navigation
 - Oversaw 1000+ engineers and product managers working on Google Maps, Google Places and Google Earth

Vice President of Search Products & UX

Google

- 📅 2005 – 2010 📍 Palo Alto, CA

Product Manager & UI Lead

Google

- 📅 Oct 2001 – July 2005 📍 Palo Alto, CA
- Appointed by the founder Larry Page in 2001 to lead the Product Management and User Interaction teams
 - Optimized Google's homepage and A/B tested every minor detail to increase usability (incl. spacing between words, color schemes and pixel-by-pixel element alignment)

PROJECTS

LIFE PHILOSOPHY

"If you don't have any shadows, you're not standing in the light."

MOST PROUD OF

- 🏆

Courage I had
to take a sinking ship and try to make it float
- 💓

Persistence & Loyalty
I showed despite the hard moments and my willingness to stay with Yahoo after the acquisition
- 📈

Google's Growth
from a hundred thousand searches per day to over a billion
- 👤

Inspiring women in tech
Youngest CEO on Fortune's list of 50 most powerful women

STRENGTHS

- Hard-working (18/24) Persuasive
- Motivator & Leader
- UX Mobile Devices & Applications
- Product Management & Marketing

LANGUAGES

- English ●●●●●●
- Spanish ●●●●●●
- German ●●●●●●

EDUCATION

M.S. in Computer Science

Stanford University

📅 Sept 1997 – June 1999

B.S. in Symbolic Systems

Stanford University

📅 Sept 1993 – June 1997