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EDUCATION

Northeastern University, MA

September 2018—Present

Khoury College of Computer Sciences
BS Computer Science & Design
Graduating May 2022
Cumulative GPA: 3.7/4.0
Khoury College Dean's List

Butler University, IN

August 2016—May 2018

College of Communication
Web Design and Development
Cumulative GPA: 3.88/4.0
Academic Scholarship
College of Comm. Dean's List

RELATED COURSES

Design

Human-Computer Interaction | *In prog.*
Experience Design | *In progress*
Typography 2 | *In progress*

Graphic Design 1
Typography 1
5D Fundtls: Experience & Drawing
Design Process Context & Systems
Topics in Design

Computer Science

Database Design | *In progress*
Algorithms and Data Structures
Object Oriented Design
Programming Basics (for the Web)
Fundtls. of Computer Science 1 & 2
Discrete Structures

WORK EXPERIENCE

Emulate | Interaction Designer

Boston, MA, January - June 2020

- Designed and delivered a proposed UI system for a cell-culture lab instrument, including UI components, layout frameworks, detailed mockups, and user flow diagrams
- Conducted small-scale UX research through observation, contextual inquiry and surveys
- Created a semi-functional prototype of a lab instrument UI, and used it to conduct user testing
- Designed usability fixes and new features for Emulate's experiment management software by applying project goals and user feedback

Timberrise | Web & Graphic Designer

Boston, MA, March 2020—Present

- Designed marketing and informational brochures, memos, and documents for Timberrise, a real estate development company
- Designed and created websites with Squarespace, using custom HTML, CSS & JS
- Updated a static website with new content

Scout Studio | Designer

Boston, MA, January - April 2019

- Conducted UX research and design for IDEA—Northeastern's student-led venture accelerator
- Led user experience interviews, attended IDEA events, and held weekly client meetings to discuss deliverables and set project goals
- Designed a series of information booklets and how-to guides to make user journeys as accessible and smooth as possible by improving the quality and frequency of organizational communication

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages

Java, JavaScript, Python, HTML, CSS, MySQL

Software, Frameworks, Libraries

Sketch, React, Node.js, MySQL, Bootstrap, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, GitHub, Abstract