# KAYA THOMAS

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#### LINKS

github.com/kmt901
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### AWARDS

College Women of The Year

Glamour Magazine 2016

M.A.D. Girl Award Black Girls Rock! 2015

**Young Futurist**The Root 2015

# LEADERSHIP

Technical Volunteer Mentor

Black Girls Code

Co-Founder, Organizer
HackDartmouth

**President**Women in Computer
Science

#### **EDUCATION**

# **Dartmouth College**

Bachelor of Arts, major in Computer Science GPA 3.43 / 4.0 Expected Graduation June 2017

# SKILLS

# **PROGRAMMING**

- Objective C
- Swift
- Python

#### PUBLISHED WRITING

- TechCrunch
- Model View Culture
- LinkedIn Pulse

# **EXPERIENCE**

**Apple | Cupertino, CA | June 2016-Present** *Software Engineering Intern* 

Accessibility and Frameworks OS team.

# Intuit | Menlo Park, CA | June 2015 - Sept 2015 Software Engineering Intern

- Chosen to be a CODE2040 fellow, one of 35 out of 400+ applications.
- Implemented a local notification service that leads millions of users to Weekly Summary page every week on the Mint iOS application.

# **PROJECTS**

# We Read Too

Mobile Application

- Developed and designed book resource iOS app which features over 600 childrens and teen books written by authors of color.
- Implemented features which allow the users to search the directory, suggest books to be added, and discover random books depending on genre.
- Maintaining backend with MLabs and Heroku.
- Currently over 5,000 user downloads.