

# Jacob Elias

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## EDUCATION

**University of Washington** Seattle, WA  
BDes in Interaction Design Class of 2020  
3.68 GPA, 6 Quarter Dean's List, Varsity UW Climbing Team, Arts + Entertainment Volunteer, Founder of Waterski + Wakeboard at UW.

**Glenbrook North High School** Northbrook, IL  
High School Diploma Class of 2016  
3.85 GPA, Member of National Honors Society and an Illinois State Scholar. Varsity Public Forum Debate Team and Captain of the Men's Gymnastics Team.

## SKILLS

**Proficient in** Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Premiere Pro, Sketch, HTML & CSS, Interface Design, Product Design, Branding, and Typography

**Working knowledge of** Photography, After Effects, Origami, Principle, and Javascript

**Confident** Waterskier, Snowboarder, Rock Climber

**Aspiring** Film Maker, Adventurer, Creator, Storyteller, Photographer, and Writer

## EXPERIENCE

**Google Daydream AR/VR**  
Student Researcher

January 2019 – Present

Seattle, WA

Year-long, sponsored design project with Google LLC, Mountain View. Led by Prof. Axel Roesler. Design of a new line of sight interaction model for head-mounted devices to provide visual affordances for direct interaction in the field of view.

**IDEO CoLab**  
CoLab Fellow

March 2019

Cambridge, MA

Worked in an interdisciplinary team to build prototypes exploring developing technologies and future experiences.

**Husky Creative**  
Designer

September 2018 – March 2019

Seattle, WA

Collaborated with a creative marketing team to design for a variety of clients. Designed illustrations, logos, and websites with clear communication to ensure strong deliverables.

**Waterski + Wakeboard at UW**  
President & Founder

December 2016 – October 2018

Seattle, WA

Established trust with coaches and sponsors to acquire access to boats and equipment for practice and events.

Collaborated with club officers and advisers to establish official registered student organization status. Responsible for organizing social events, information sessions, and waterskiing practice for club members.