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Education

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

Class of 2015

A.B. Candidate in Computer Science, Secondary in Global Health and Health Policy.

Thesis on data mining online forums to for interactions in drugs used for autism (in progress).

Coursework in human-computer interaction, machine learning, economics/computation, multiagent systems, data science, systems, and sociology, anthropology, biology, and political economy of health in the developing world.

Work Experience

NYU Abu Dhabi, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

5/2014-9/2014

Visiting researcher with Professors Jay Chen and Azza Abouzied of the Design Technology Lab.

- Design tangible user interfaces with visual and computational feedback for low-resource settings.
- Conduct needs assessment and usability testing with health and microfinance institutions in Accra.
- Develop printr, a system for organizations to automatically generate tools from data presentation tasks.
- Presentation of "Printing Paper Technology for Development" at **ACM Dev 2014** conference as first-author (12/2014) and accepted paper as co-author to **ACM ICTD 2015** (5/2015).

Harvard University School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Cambridge, MA 9/2013-2/2014

Research assistant to Professor Barbara Grosz in Care Augmenting Software Partners (CASPERs) Group

- Design and prototype Your Organizer for Doctors Appointments (YODA) to help children with complex conditions log their concerns before a doctors appointment (hcs.harvard.edu/~jming/yoda).
- Prototype application patients and doctors manage care plans. (hcs.harvard.edu/~jming/goalkeeper).

Google, New York, NY 5/2013-8/2013

Engineering Practicum Intern on Corporate Engineering Team

- Add capabilities to internal staffing applications using Google Web Toolkit and Java on AppEngine.
- Improve interviewer calibration by enabling sharing and review of colleague feedback.
- Create dynamic, data-defined UI to enable richer data structures on feedbacks.

Raxa JSS EMR, New Delhi, India

5/2012-9/2012

Summer Front-End Intern and Volunteer Developer

- Research workflow of community health workers in organization of patients, visit scheduling, inventory tracking, and resource access by interviewing administrators and health workers in rural Chhattisgarh.
- Design screens, code front-end using Sencha Touch to link OpenMRS backend with REST calls in smartphone application for CHW module of health information system.

Leadership and Teaching

- Cofounder of Harvard College Developers for Development (Winter 2012).
- Teaching Fellow for Data Science (Fall 2014); Introduction to Programming (Fall 2012).
- Teaching Volunteer for Digital Literacy Project (Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015) and board member.
- Teaching Volunteer for **Chinatown ESL** (Fall 2011, Spring 2013, Fall 2013).

Awards and Honors

- Panelist at "Doing Good with Technology" presentation at Grace Hopper Conference (10/2014).
- Finalist J.P. Morgan Code for Good Challenge (10/2013).
- Featured article "Autism in China" in Journal of Global Health Spring 2012 edition (5/2012).
- Finalist for US Imagine Cup and Semifinalist for MIT \$100K Competition for Remindavax (3/2012).
- Semifinalist in Microsoft's Big App on Campus and featured on radio of SXSW for Jar of Joy (12/2011).

Skills and Interests

Skills in Python, C, Web development (HTML/CSS/Javascript), Java.