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WORK EXPERIENCE

Adobe UX Design Immersive Scholar   Jan 2021 – Apr 2021
General Assembly   *Remote*
- Received a full scholarship from Adobe after a competitive selection process with an acceptance rate of 13%.
- Immersive 12-week program with 400+ hours of instruction time.
- Learned UX design principles such as wireframing, prototyping, user flows, interaction design, visual design, accessibility, and UX best practices and standard conventions.

Summer Games Intern   Jul 2019– Aug 2019
Booz Allen Hamilton   *Virginia*
- Lead designer and developer, redesigned and coded a legacy beta interface for the NASA POWER app.
- Conducted user interviews, defined usability issues and addressed scalability problems. Presented an interactive mockup using Adobe.
- Coded a prototype using HTML, JS, and CSS, worked with an agile team to revise/test to better user experience.

Summer Intern   Jun 2017 – Aug 2017
NASA   *Virginia*
- Designed a GUI for old, proprietary NASA code that faced usability issues.
- Created everything from the product roadmap to mockups, wireframing, and final development in Java.
- Presented usability research and project to 40+ NASA branch employees with a 20% increase in usability.

EDUCATION

University of Virginia   Dec 2019
MCS Computer Science   *Virginia*
- 3.68/4.0 GPA

University of Virginia   May 2018
BA Computer Science, Minor: Studio Arts   *Virginia*
- Miller Arts Scholar, 3.52/4.0 GPA
- Studied abroad in Seoul, South Korea: Fall 2017 (Seoul National University), Summer 2016 (Korea University)
- Persian Cultural Society, K-Edge Dance Crew

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- **Skills:** User Interface Design, Wireframing, Prototyping, Sketching, Mockups, Usability Testing, Illustration, User Journey Mapping, Programming
- **Tools:** Figma, Adobe XD, Sketch, Invision, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere
- **Programming Languages:** Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Java, C++, MySQL, Machine Learning
- **Languages:** English (Native), Farsi (Native), Korean (Advanced)
- **Interests:** Linguistics, Running, Dance, Video Making, Nail polish, Drawing