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EDUCATION

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) Media Lab

2018-2022

Doctor of Philosophy in Media Arts and Sciences

GPA: 5.0/5.0

Thesis: Context-aware and Closed-loop Behavior Change using Artificial Intelligence

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) Media Lab

2016-2018

Master of Science in Media Arts and Sciences

GPA: 5.0/5.0

Thesis: "Wonderland: Constructionist Science Learning in Mixed Reality"; Courses: How to Make (almost) Anything; How to Design almost Anything; Tools for well-being; Creative Learning; Human-Machine Symbiosis; Microfabricated Devices

Mount Holyoke College

2011-2015

B.A. in Mathematics, Physics & Computer Science (Magna Cum Laude)

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Courses: Machine Learning; Artificial Intelligence; Real Analysis; Complex Analysis; Quantum Mechanics (I, II); Algorithms; Differential Equations; Theory of Computation; Electromagnetic Theory; Fluid Mechanics; Electronics

EXPERIENCE

MIT Media Lab - Research Assistant, Fluid Interfaces group

Jun '16 - Jun '22

Researching technologies to support human health & cognition. Projects: Mathland and PAL

MIT Media Lab - Teaching Assistant

Jan - Apr '19

Course: Cognitive Enhancement

IDEO - Summer Research Fellow

Jun - Aug '17

Developed a Mixed Reality application for constructionist physics learning in the real world

Google - Software Engineer, Project Aura: Google Glass & Beyond

May '15 - May '16

Created contextually- and emotionally-aware personalized applications for wearable devices

Udacity - Course Manager

Jun '14 - Mar '15

Courses: Machine Learning; Web Programming; Android Development; Python Programming

MIT Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence Lab - Researcher, Robot Locomotion Lab

Jun - Aug '14

Implemented Gröbner bases algorithms to efficiently solve robot locomotion problems

Scanning Probe Microscopy Lab - Undergraduate Research Student, Mount Holyoke College

Jan '12 - Jun '14

Designed nanostructures to exponentially increase storage capacity of magnetic memory devices

Swarm Robotics Lab - Undergraduate Researcher/Developer, Mount Holyoke College

Jan '13 - Dec '14

Implemented multi-robot formations using rigidity graph theory for swarm robots

National Corporation for Atmospheric Research - Research Intern, High Altitude Laboratory

Jun - Aug '13

Used satellite data to parameterize auroral energy and joule heating in upper atmospheric models

Mount Holyoke College - Teaching Assistant

Jan '11 - Dec '14

Linear Algebra; Electromagnetism; Data Structures; Discrete Math; Quantum Mechanics; Real Analysis

PUBLICATIONS

Personalized & Privacy-preserving Egocentric Visual Context Detection using On-device Deep Learning
28th ACM Conference on User Modeling, Adaptation & Personalization (Under review). Khan, Mina, et al.

Privacy-preserving Audio, Visual, and Physiological Contexts for Wearable Behavior Change Support
HEALTHI Workshop, 2021 ACM Intelligent User Interfaces Conference (Under review). Khan, Mina, et al.

Tracking Diverse Feelings and Activities Encourages Self-guided Holistic Behavior Change
Extended Abstracts, 2021 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems. ACM, 2021 (Under review)
Khan, Mina, and Pattie Maes.

Changing Computer-Usage Behaviors: What Users Want, Use, and Experience
Extended Abstracts, 2021 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems. ACM, 2021 (Under review)
Khan, Mina, Kathryn Wantlin, Zeel Patel, Elena Glassman, and Pattie Maes.

PAL: Wearable & Personalized Habit-support Interventions in Visual & Physiological Contexts
2021 AH : Augmented Human International Conference. ACM, 2021. Khan, Mina, et al.

Users want Diverse, Multiple, and Personalized Behavior Change Support: Need-finding Survey
International Conference on Persuasive Technology, Springer, 2021. Khan, Mina, et al.

Improving Context-aware Habit-support Interventions using Egocentric Visual Contexts
International Conference on Persuasive Technology, Springer, 2021. Khan, Mina, et al.

PAL: A Wearable Platform for Real-time, Personalized, & Context-Aware Health & Cognition Support
arXiv preprint arXiv:1905.01352 (2019) Khan, Mina, G. Fernandes, U. Sarawgi, P. Rampey, and P. Maes.

Mathland: Constructionist Mathematical Learning in the Real World Using Immersive Mixed Reality
International Conference on Immersive Learning. Springer, Cham, 2018. Khan, Mina, F. Trujano, and P. Maes.

Mathland: Playful Mathematical Learning in Mixed Reality
Extended Abstracts, 2018 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems. ACM, 2018. Khan, M, et al.

ARPiano: Efficient Music Learning Using Augmented Reality (Best Paper Award)
International Conference on Innovative Technologies and Learning. Springer, 2018. F. Trujano, M. Khan, et al.

Towards Personalized Medicine: The Evolution of Imperceptible Healthcare Technologies
Foresight 2018. C Dagdeviren, Khan Mina, Sadraei A., et al.

TagAlong: Informal Learning from a Remote Companion with Mobile Perspective Sharing
Cognition and Exploratory Learning in Digital Age (CELDA) 2015. Greenwald, S., Khan, M, et al.

Enabling Human Micro-Presence Through Small-Screen Head-up Display Devices
Extended Abstracts of the 2015 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems. ACM, 2015.
Greenwald, S. W., Khan, M., & Maes, P.

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PUBLICATIONS

A Multi-level Single-bit Data Storage Device. *Journal of Applied Physics* 115.17 (2014): 17D511.

Bickel, Jessica E., **Mina Khan**, and Katherine E. Aidala

TALKS & EXHIBITS

Bees Of Science Exhibit 2019 (MIT Media Lab): LOVE: a flexible microfabricated breathing sensor tattoo

TEDxBeaconStreet 2017: Play, Power, & Passion: Falling in love with math

Ars Electronica 2017: Tangible AI: Physical Engagement with a social chatbot (Microsoft Zo)

AWARDS

FELLOWSHIPS & SCHOLARSHIPS

MIT Media Lab Learning Fellow (Full-year academic funding)	2018-2019
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LEGO Learning Fellow (Full-year academic funding)	2017-2018
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Google Anita Borg Scholar	2015
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Sarah Williston Scholar (Mount Holyoke College)	2014
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ACADEMIC HONORS

Magna Cum Laude (Mount Holyoke College)	2015
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Sarah Williston Prize for Academic Excellence (Mount Holyoke College)	2013, 2014, 2015
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Rogers Rusk Memorial Prize in Physics (Mount Holyoke College)	2015
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Fennema & Strahman Prize in Computer Science (Mount Holyoke College)	2015
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Mildred L Sanderson Prize for Excellence in Math (Mount Holyoke College)	2012
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Bennet Prize for Excellence in Physics (Mount Holyoke College)	2012
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Highest Achievement in A Level Mathematics (Cambridge International Examinations)	2011
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Highest Achievement in A Level Further Math (Cambridge International Examinations)	2011
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Highest Achievement in A Level Economics (Cambridge International Examinations)	2011
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COMPETITIONS

Microsoft Design Expo Winner Holobits: Interactive storytelling in Mixed Reality	2017
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Google Code Jam Winner	2014, 2015
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SKILLS

Software: Machine Learning (Tensorflow), Mixed Reality (Unity), Android and Web Development, Python.

Hardware: Microfabrication (cleanroom), Circuit design (Eagle), CNC milling, Laser cutting, & 3D design

Design: Adobe Creative Suite (Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Premiere)
