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SKILLS

Software

Photoshop
Premiere
XD
Sketch
InDesign
InVision
Figma
Trello
Notion
ZenDesk
Clubhouse
AirTable

Design

Design Research
User Interface
Visual Design
Data Visualization
Rapid Prototyping
Usability Testing
Wireframing
Video Editing

Programming

C++
R
SQL
SPSS
HTML/CSS

Other

G Suite
American Sign Language
French
Digital Marketing
Event Planning

EXPERIENCE

- May 2019 | **PRODUCEPAY** | Los Angeles, CA
Dec. 2019 | *User Experience Designer*
- Support development of product roadmap and OKRs for MVP for Q4
 - Create LoFi/HiFi wireframes and interface elements/features
 - Create and maintain product and training documents (design system, project plan, etc.)
 - Determine, review, and report MVP key performance indicators
 - Create and maintain investor deck via Microsoft PowerPoint
 - Create support and training documents related to processes, assets, etc.
 - Determine clients' needs by developing and conducting relevant UX activities (surveys, interviews, personas, use-cases, jobs to be done, ethnographies, etc.)
 - Maintain and update marketing website via WordPress
- Apr. 2019 | **GALLAUDET UNIVERSITY** | Washington, D.C.
Aug. 2019 | *Accessible Information & Communications Technology Program Graduate Research Assistant*
- Provide administrative and research support to the primary investigators
 - Independently supervise and train three intern teams in research procedure and methodology
 - Conduct user research studies full-lifecycle including fielding research requests, proposing methods, planning research, piloting, executing tests, analyzing findings analysis, synthesizing insights and recommendations, cross-functional collaboration, and compelling communication of results
- Jan. 2019 | **UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION OF NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA** | Washington, D.C.
June 2019 | *Graduate Fellow - Recognized with Distinction*
- Analyzed strategic challenges and strengths of the UN's global approaches in policy and procedure through qualitative case study methodology
 - Served as an ambassador for the United Nations and the United Nations Association

RELEVANT PROJECTS

- June 2019 | **ACCESSIBLE VOICE ASSISTANTS** | Evaluative Research Project
Accessible Information and Communications Technology Program
- June 2019 | **HEARING ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY** | Generative Research Project
Accessible Information and Communications Technology Program
- June 2019 | **SPEECH-TO-TEXT CAPTION PHONES** | Evaluative Research Project
Accessible Information and Communications Technology Program
- Apr. 2019 | **INSIDE OUTSIDE** | Genderqueer/Trans-friendly Style Subscription Service
3rd place, HackOut LGBTQ+ Hackathon
- Dec. 2018 | **UPLIFTED** | Cannabis Culture and Service Mobile Application
General Assembly Immersive Course
- June 2018 | **SOCIAL JUSTICE EDUCATION OF ASL INTERPRETERS** | Master Research Paper
University of California, Los Angeles | Master in Social Sciences

EDUCATION

- Dec. 2018 | **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
Dec. 2018 | *User Experience Design Immersive Course*
- Sept. 2017 | **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES** | Los Angeles, CA
June 2018 | *MA, Social Sciences | GPA: 3.9*
- Sept. 2011 | **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES** | Los Angeles, CA
June 2016 | *BA, Gender Studies | GPA: 3.5 | Highest Departmental Honors*