

# Megan Z. Louie

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Eat Together

Seattle, WA

Social dining startup by UW Students for UW Students, connecting strangers through meals — like Tinder for friendships.

*Project Manager*

*December 2024 – Present*

- **Agile Leadership:** Led Agile development of a community-focused dining app with 400+ users, managing 4 designers and 4 engineers using Figma, React Native, and Firebase.
- **Product Planning:** Created 12 product requirements for chat, notification, and user interaction features, documented in JIRA (project management tool for Agile development).
- **User Research:** Conducted 10 user surveys to identify usability pain points, directly influencing new feature additions to the product roadmap.
- **UX Design Management:** Oversaw a 3-month design lifecycle, collaborating weekly with UX designers across 5 design iterations and managing 30+ design requirements.
- **Impact-Driven Iteration:** Facilitated research that resulted in 85% positive user feedback, helping uncover blockers and inform UX improvements.

### UW Information Technology

Seattle, WA

University of Washington's central IT organization supporting 3 campuses and UW Medicine, serving over 170,000 students, faculty, staff, and medical professionals.

*Technical Project Manager*

*October 2024 – Present*

- **System Integration Leadership:** Led integration of ServiceNow ticketing platforms between UW IT and UW Medicine, improving resolution rate of tickets by 90% and enhancing cross-organizational communication across 10,000 employees.
- **Insight-Driven Reporting:** Built 5 Power BI dashboards for key IT divisions streamlining incident reporting and enabling data-driven decision-making for leadership and sponsors.
- **Cross-Team Facilitation:** Facilitated weekly Agile syncs with 4–5 engineers, accelerating project timelines and enabling transitions between engineering phases.
- **Quality Assurance & Adoption:** Authored 2 detailed test scripts and 20 use cases to support internal adoption and socialization of new IT initiatives.
- **Operational Efficiency:** Tracked 10–15 purchase orders simultaneously with the Network Project Management sector, increasing throughput by 40% through improved coordination and lifecycle execution.

*IT Network Analyst / Network Project Manager Intern*

*June 2023 – June 2024*

- **Statewide Infrastructure Delivery:** Managed IT hardware refresh and switch/router upgrades for the K20 Education Network, improving reliability across 400+ schools and 30 libraries and reducing network outages by 10%.
- **Compliance Enablement:** Partnered with Technical PMs to draft internal IT compliance documentation and security strategies, leading to improved staff training and successful cross-team alignment with University of Washington standards.
- **Network Design Support:** Assisted in designing and documenting scalable network upgrades, ensuring adherence to internal security protocols across multiple school and library systems.
- **Resilience Through Data:** Analyzed 5,000+ Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) devices, uncovering lifecycle patterns and proposing a proactive maintenance program to reduce system failure rates.
- **Efficiency Optimization:** Conducted analysis on 10,000+ switch ports using Power BI and Excel dashboards, decommissioning underutilized ports and maximizing network efficiency across key locations.

### Ernst & Young

Seattle, WA

Global professional services firm with 300,000+ employees, offering assurance, consulting, and risk advisory services across 150+ countries.

*Technology Risk Assurance Consultant Intern*

*June 2024 – Aug 2024*

- **Control Auditing:** Audited 60+ IT general and automated controls to assess compliance with financial reporting and data security standards.

- **Process Automation:** Streamlined control testing by using Alteryx (data automation platform), reducing manual workload and increasing testing efficiency.
- **Data Visualization:** Built interactive Power BI dashboards to present audit findings and support risk-based decision-making for internal teams and clients.
- **Risk Mitigation:** Conducted IT system audits and risk assessments, identifying vulnerabilities and recommending actionable remediation strategies

## Broadmark Realty Capital

Seattle, WA

Publicly traded real estate finance company specializing in short-term loans for commercial and residential development.

*Sales and Marketing Intern*

*July 2022 – Sept 2022*

- **Marketing Analytics:** Analyzed ROI and KPIs across 5,000+ contacts, tracking clicks, impressions, and conversions to refine and optimize advertising campaign performance.
- **Competitive Intelligence:** Evaluated competitor customer data using Excel and visualization tools to identify and segment 150 high-potential regional leads for sales targeting.
- **Strategy Development:** Supported the creation of data-driven marketing strategies by translating behavioral insights and lead trends into actionable engagement tactics.

## EDUCATION

**University of Washington, Michael G. Foster School of Business**

Seattle, WA

*Master of Science in Information Systems, MSIS Merit Scholarship*

June 2025

**University of Washington, Michael G. Foster School of Business**

Seattle, WA

*B.A. in Business Administration, (Information Systems, Operations and Supply Chain Management)*

June 2024

*Magna Cum Laude, Quarterly Dean's List 2021-2024, Albert V. Rossi (Merit) Scholarship*

**Relevant Coursework:** Business Data Analysis, Artificial Intelligence Innovation, Machine Learning, Cybersecurity Risk Management, Cloud Computing, Digital Transformation, Decision Models, Advanced Business Data Mining

## PM RELATED PROJECTS

**Best Tech Award @ Master of Science in Information Systems Demo Day, [EngageAI](#)**

- Developed AI-powered learning analytics platform improving virtual education with real-time sentiment, facial expression tracking, and GenAI-based transcription
- Designed engagement metric dashboards for instructors and integrated ResNet50/MobileNetV2 into a FERPA-compliant web platform
- Emphasized user privacy through no data persistence, API protection, and complete session wipe

**1<sup>st</sup> Place @ University of Washington Consulting Association Unify Case Competition, [Accenture Costco AR/VR Integration](#)**

- Developed a comprehensive AR strategy for Costco, enhancing customer experience and operational efficiency through immersive retail solutions that highlighted practicality and innovation.
- Led market research, business modeling, and technology integration planning, delivering a winning pitch that outperformed 20 competing teams.

**Team Leader @ Boeing Northwest Case Competition, [Boeing Autonomous Air Taxis \(Team Leader\)](#)**

- Led a cross-functional team of 4 in designing an autonomous air taxi strategy, focusing on market viability, regulatory compliance, and technological feasibility.
- Developed a business model and go-to-market strategy, presenting a compelling case that demonstrated scalability and commercial potential.

## SKILLS

**Technical:** Proficiency in Python, SQL, and R; Microsoft Office Suite (Advanced Excel), CRM Software, Agile Project Management (Scrum/Kanban), Statistical Data Analysis, Cisco Networking (TCP/IP, DNS, Hardware), AI/ML

**Soft Skills:** cross-functional leadership, product roadmap development & execution, client management, agile development

**Certificates:** Foster Microsoft Excel Credential, Microsoft Certified Azure Fundamentals