

MEGHNA MEHTA

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EDUCATION

Barnard College, Columbia University

B.A. Computer Science (Track: Urban Science), GPA: 3.80/4.00

New York, NY

Expected May 2021

- Relevant Coursework: User Interface Design, Agile Project Management, Databases, Advanced Programming, Computer Science Theory, Data Structures, Discrete Mathematics, Linear Algebra, Calculus I-III, GIS for Sustainable Development, Neighborhood Development
- Programming Skills: Java, Python, C, C++, Javascript, Node.js, HTML, CSS, SQL, Git, Docker, Bootstrap, Flask, Heroku, Unit Testing
- Honors: AnitaB.org Grace Hopper Celebration Scholar (2017/2019), Out For Undergrad Technology Conference (2019), Dean's List

EXPERIENCE

Marcus by Goldman Sachs

Incoming Product Management Summer Analyst (Apple Card Team)

New York, NY

Summer 2020

Salesforce

Software Engineering Intern (Social Studio Team)

San Francisco, CA; New York, NY

Summer 2019

- Acted as the product owner for a file upload feature and collaborated with engineering, design, legal, and security teams to ship it
- Wrote epics to further define product vision, worked with designers to create effective user flows, and participated in customer onboarding
- Designed and built a feature that resizes uploaded images if they do not meet a social media platform's aspect ratio requirements
- Represented the firm in discussions with API partners and communicated feature work to senior stakeholders in user experience meetings

Software Engineering Intern (Omni-Channel Team)

Summer 2018

- Prioritized work on the quality assurance roadmap by analyzing 280+ tests and presented new features at engineering town halls
- Enabled product managers to take a more data-driven approach to roadmap development by building a feature engagement dashboard
- Implemented a publicly released feature that allows customer service agents to escalate their cases to their supervisors in Omni-Channel

Columbia University

User Experience Designer

New York, NY

Summer 2020

- Conducted library technology research for Professors Lydia Chilton, Mark Hansen and Laura Kurgan's Public Interest Technology Lab
- Designed an application for library staff to manage their social services network and provide verified recommendations to patrons in need

Makerspace Assistant

Spring 2020 - Present

- Hosted power tools and electronics trainings, conducted weekly orientations, and serviced machines in the Barnard College Design Center
- Provided one-on-one support for student projects, designed marketing materials, and created online tutorials to support remote students

Teaching Assistant

Fall 2018 - Present

- Assigned to Professor Paul Blaer's Data Structures (COMS W3134) and Introduction to Computer Science (COMS W1004) courses
- Hosted office hours and recitations, graded assignments, and maintained a positive classroom environment for 300 students each semester

Girls Who Code

Teaching Assistant

Morristown, NJ

Summer 2017

- Taught computer science fundamentals and Scratch to disadvantaged middle school girls at a pilot study of Girls Who Code Campus
- Empowered young girls to seek careers in engineering by facilitating daily roundtable discussions about female technology leaders

CAMPUS LEADERSHIP

Barnard-Columbia Design for America

Senior Advisor

New York, NY

Spring 2020 - Present

- Roles: Team Lead (Fall 2019 - Present), External Relations Lead (Spring 2018 - Spring 2020), and Consultant (Spring 2018 - Spring 2019)
- Ran new member recruitment for four semesters, organized corporate-sponsored workshops, and marketed an urban innovation hackathon
- Led the design of an exhibit highlighting NYPD's racist enforcement of loitering laws and usability tested a nonprofit's court monitoring app
- Initiated three campus renovations, updated housing policy to promote communal space use, and facilitated community visioning events

Alpha Kappa Psi

Vice President of Communications

New York, NY

Spring 2019 - Fall 2019

- Planned Spring and Fall 2019 recruitment, coordinated a four stage application process, and improved new member applications by 34%
- Trained 55 fraternity members on best hiring practices, created media assets for marketing campaigns, and tracked member engagement

180 Degrees Consulting

Team Leader

New York, NY

Fall 2018

- Guided two teams to redesign the marketing strategy, website, and fundraising initiatives of the Pathways PA family shelter network
- Conducted case studies and formulated classroom surveys to assess the impact of Teach for America - Bay Area on educational outcomes