

# Monica Xu

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## EDUCATION

### University of Waterloo

Bachelor of Computer Science

Statistics Minor

Business Minor

September 2016 – April 2021

## SKILLS

**Tools:** Jira, Gitlab, Asana, Figma, Google Analytics, Photoshop, Salesforce Marketing Cloud

**Tech:** Samza, Kafka, Spring, HBase, AWS, Android Studio, Bigtable, Flask

**Languages:** Java, Python, C/C++, SQL, R, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Racket

## AWARDS

**Bev Marshman Scholarship** ..... 2019  
*University of Waterloo, Faculty of Math*

**Hack the North Winner** ..... 2018  
Top 12 of 240+ project submissions.

**Square Code Camp Finalist** ..... 2018  
Granted to 20 of 600+ North American female applicants. All expenses tech enrichment program at Square HQ.

**UW WiCS GHC Scholar** ..... 2018  
Granted to 40 female students pursuing a technical degree at UW. Full scholarship to attend the Grace Hopper Conference.

**Google GHC Travel Grant** ..... 2018  
Full scholarship to attend Grace Hopper.

**Top Scholar** ..... 2018  
Top Canadian graduating GPA (100%).

**Kalbfleish National Scholar** ..... 2018  
*University of Waterloo, Faculty of Math*  
For excellence in academics, contests, and extracurriculars. Valued at \$14,000— the third largest scholarship at UW.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Associate Product Manager Intern** ..... May 2020 – Aug. 2020  
Google | Docs Assisted Writing and Reading

- Collaborated with UI/UX/ENG to develop product requirements and plan for grammar/style suggestions
- Synthesized metrics from surveys, logs, external teams, and external sources to make data-driven decisions related to user need and design
- Facilitated cross-functional presentations and meetings to align team and upper management with project goals

**Forward Deployed Engineer Intern** ..... Jan 2020 – Mar. 2020  
Palantir Technologies | Palantir Foundry (EMEA Commercial)

- Collaborated with client to identify, evaluate, and scope customer use cases and technical solutions
- Built and iterated on a tool to visualize performance metrics and improve global business decision-making

**Software Engineering Intern** ..... May 2019 – Aug. 2019  
LinkedIn | Notifications Backend Infrastructure

- Simulated congestion control algorithms using Python and Samza to validate business value of a dynamic rate limiter
- Implemented dynamic rate limiter library to more intelligently use QPS in notifications ingestion workflow

**Engineering Practicum Intern** ..... May. 2018 – Aug. 2018  
Google | Display Ads – Engineering Productivity

- Designed and implemented an interactive dashboard for release metrics, allowing engineers to easily provide test feedback and analyze statistics
- Created detailed design doc with project goals, timelines, UI mocks, and architecture diagrams to foster project understanding and velocity

**Software Engineering Intern** ..... Jan. 2018 – Apr. 2018  
Oath Inc. | Yahoo Mail Metadata & Search

- Built a log filtering tool in Java, reducing log storage by 60% and enhancing developer debugging capabilities

**Full-Stack Developer Intern** ..... May 2017 – Sept. 2017  
Loblaw Digital | Click and Collect Online Grocery Shopping

- Optimized customer email subscription journeys through integration of Salesforce Marketing Cloud
- Designed and implemented an intuitive user interface for website content customizability, enabling easier, dynamic updates of text/images