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EXPERIENCE

Graduate Student Instructor University of Michigan

Fall 2019 - Winter 2020

Ann Arbor, MI

- Teach 40 students to explore psychology literature, design and run a research project, perform statistical analyses, and write up their findings in APA format
- Help students develop skills with Qualtrics, Amazon Mechanical Turk, and R software
- Develop students' sense of good research design and analysis so they can become critical, responsible consumers of scientific research in any career

Summer Research Intern Culturally Situated Design Tools

Ann Arbor, MI

- Modify interface with JS and Snap to add new functionality to logarithmic graffiti software
- Contribute to working update to main site for usability improvement

Graduate Research Assistant

University of Rochester

Fall 2014 -2017

Rochester, NY

- Designed and directed research on the effects of social perception on language processing
- Designed experimental interfaces in Qualtrics and HTML/JavaScript

CONSULTING

Usability Consulting

uLead Network

🛗 January - Mary 2019

- Led class team in analysis of public education resource website
- Conducted interviews with stakeholders and users, performed heuristic and research-based analyses of usability
- Developed and presented short and long-term solutions to client (writeup available on website)

Contextual Inquiry Consulting

University of Michigan Center for Sustainable Systems

September - December 2018

- Led class team in audit of UMich CSS shared drive and data practices
- Conducted interviews, wrote affinity notes, constructed affinity wall
- Performed formal analysis to develop recommendations, presented and wrote them up for client (writeup available on website)

EDUCATION

Masters of Science in Information University of Michigan

PhD work in Brain & Cognitive Sciences

University of Rochester

2014-2017

Rochester, NY

B.A., Honors: Linguistics; Biopsychology, Cognition, and Neuroscience

University of Michigan

2014

Ann Arbor, MI

COURSEWORK

computational methods

graphic design

applied machine learning

UI design

mobile app development

PROGRAMMING

Python, R, HTML, CSS, JS

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MATLAB, React Native

SQL, LaTeX

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DESIGN DEVELOPMENT

competitive analysis

prototyping

wireframing

storyboarding

RESEARCH

contextual inquiry usability testing experimental design affinity walls qualitative analysis mechanical turk quantitative analysis

SOFTWARE

Adobe Creative Suite

InVision