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GOAL **Experienced psychology researcher** seeking position in user experience design.

EDUCATION **Master of Sciences Candidate, Human Centered Design and Engineering**
University of Washington, Seattle, WA
Coursework start date: fall 2015. Expected graduation: 2017

Bachelor of Sciences, Psychology
University of Washington, Seattle, WA
Graduated 2013 cum laude. GPA: 3.85
Coursework: Cognitive psychology, Health psychology, Developmental psychology, Biopsychology, Neurobehavioral lab, Clinical psychology, Statistics

WORK EXPERIENCE **Department of Veterans Affairs, VA Puget Sound Health Care System, Seattle, WA**

Research Coordinator. *Evaluation of Web-Based CBT for Women Veterans with PTSD.* PI: K. Lehavot, PhD. Oct. 2014 – present
Coordinated qualitative study of a web-based PTSD intervention. Recruited subjects and conducted user interviews. Analyzed data and made concrete changes to website content and design based on user feedback. Collaborated with web programmers and designers.

Research Coordinator. *A Trial of Loving-Kindness Meditation and Cognitive Processing Therapy for PTSD.* PI: D. Kearney, MD, T. Simpson, PhD. Feb. 2014 – April 2015
Coordinated quantitative study. Recruited subjects and collected data.

Research Assistant. *Qualitative Assessment of the Veteran Experience of MBSR.* PI: D. Kearney, MD, T. Simpson, PhD. Feb. 2014 - Sept. 2014
Coded and analyzed user interviews. Drove creation of veteran-specific MBSR teacher resource. Implemented modifications in participant workbook.

ACTIVITIES **Vehicle Infotainment UI/UX Design**
Part of University of Washington team for national EcoCAR3 competition to convert Chevrolet Camaro into advanced hybrid electric vehicle. Sep. 2015 – present

Front-End Web Development
In-person course through General Assembly. Completion: August 2015

Design Kit: Human Centered Design for Social Innovation
Online course through +Acumen/IDEO. Statement of Accomplishment: Dec. 2014

Introduction to the Design of Everyday Things
Online course through Udacity. Certificate of Completion: Sept. 2014