

# Nikhil Pai

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## Experience

### SLACK | Frontend-Engineering Intern

June 2015 - Sept 2015 // San Francisco, CA  
Developed client side feature allowing for the creation of custom handles for subsets of team members. Assisted product manager in designing and speccing features for enterprise customers.

### DESIGNWORKS | Chief Technology Officer

Jan 2015~ // Evanston, IL  
Setup a student run design firm, taking commissions from academic depts, student groups and Chicago businesses. Generated \$4000+ of revenue in the first quarter of operations.

### KNIGHT LAB | Technology Student Fellow

Sept 2014 - April 2015 // Evanston, IL  
Developed a JS plugin to display a side bar containing context information for long form articles. Wrote quarterly blog post about current technology trends in journalism community.

### GROUPON | Software Developer Intern

June 2014 - Aug 2014 // Chicago, IL  
Redesigned homepage hero deal and developed "recently viewed" widget that generated 2 million dollars in marginal monthly revenue.

## Projects

### BARLIFT | Dynamic pricing for local bars

January 2015 - June 2015 // Evanston, IL  
Founded a business to allow bars to push deals to students through an app to create additional lift on off nights. Reached 2000 downloads in NU and signed up 10 local bars.

### WILDHACKS | Northwestern's first hackathon

Nov 2014 // Evanston, IL  
Setup Northwestern's first intercollegiate hackthon, attended by over 450 students from across the midwest. Raised \$37000 from 35 sponsors, including SpaceX, Microsoft and Paypal.

### PULSAR | Haptic navigational wristband

Jan 2014 - April 2014 // Chicago, IL  
Developed Android app and haptic wristband with a team 4 undergraduates to give users navigational cues. Pitched project to Motorola executives and awarded 2nd place.

## Education

### NORTHWESTERN U.

Class of 2016 // Evanston, IL  
BS in Computer Science  
Segal Design Certificate  
Entrepreneurship Certificate  
**GPA: 3.64/4.00**

## Coursework

Data Structure and Algorithms  
Artificial Intelligence  
Machine Learning  
Computational Photography  
Computer Networking  
Network Security

## Leadership

HackNU - Co President  
Wildhacks 2014 - Co-Chair  
EECS 111/214 - TA  
A&O Productions - Marketing  
Northwestern Student Holdings

## Awards

2015: Winter/Spring High Honors  
2014: Fall Deans List  
2014: 1<sup>st</sup> MST Coding Challenge  
2014: 2<sup>nd</sup> Breaking Mobile Limits  
2013: Fall/Spring Deans list

## Links

Github:// nikhilpi  
Website:// nikhilpi.com  
Linkedin:// nikhilpi

## Skills

### Languages:

JS • HTML/CSS • Python • Racket  
• Java • Matlab • English • Thai • French

### Frameworks/libraries:

Angular • Meteor • Node • jQuery  
• Sass • Adobe Creative Suite