# Nicole Dahan

### **EDUCATION**

# **Tufts University**

Medford, MA | B.S. expected May 2015 Human Factors Engineering Biomedical Sciences GPA: 3.96

# **RELEVANT COURSES**

Engineering Graphics
Human Factors & Ergonomics
Engineering Psychology
Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences
Human Computer Interaction

# **SKILLS**

HTML, CSS, C++
Adobe Creative Suite
AutoCad, Inventor, SolidWorks
User-Centered Design
Low, Medium & High Fidelity Prototyping
Paper & Onscreen Prototyping
Usability Testing & Analysis

# **SELECTED AWARDS**

"Campus Celebrity" HerCampus Tufts Feb 2013

The House of Representatives Award for "Outstanding Accomplishments" *March 2011* 

Global Challenge Award for Exemplary Demonstration for Wind Turbine Design Apr 2011

Best Analysis Award for Wind Turbine Design June 2010

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### User Experience Design Intern | Red Hat

Westford, MA | May 2013 – Present
Working closely with designers and engine

Working closely with designers and engineers to design consistent user experience across all Red Hat products.

## **Research Assistant** | Mass. General Hospital

Boston, MA | April 2013 - Present

Conducting research for brain-controlled prosthetics under the guidance of Dr. Shelley Fried in his Lab for Neural Prosthetics.

## **Human Factors Intern** | The MITRE Corporation

Bedford, MA | June 2012 - August 2012

Designed & implemented departmental website. Designed air operations control center, conducted usability tests. Worked with engineers on health care related report.

### **Robotics Instructor** | Tufts University

Medford, MA I June 2012

Taught students how to build and program robots and how to use other technology, including video equipment to encourage science, technology, engineering and math (STEM).

## **Technical Intern** | The MITRE Corporation

Bedford, MA | June 2011 – August 2011 Programmed in HTML, CSS and JavaScript for the US Air Force with focus on user interaction.

# **ACTIVITES & LEADERSHIP**

#### **Tufts MAKE Team** | Co-Founder

Design and build assistive technology devices for local residents with physical limitations or disabilities.

**Tufts Hybrid Racing Team** I Human Factors Specialist Designed driver interface for international race car competition.

**ACCESS Uganda** I Co-Founder; Jr. Board Member Raised over \$10,000 to fund shipment of recycled US medical supplies to Ugandan hospital.