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EDUCATION

Stanford University

Foundations in Computer Science Certificate, in progress, GPA: 4.0

6/2017-present

- Current coursework: Mathematical Foundations of Computing (CS103)
- Completed coursework: Programming Abstractions in C++ (CS106b) and Client-Side Internet Technologies (CS193c)

UC Berkeley 1/2011-5/2015

B.A. South Asian Languages and Literatures, minor in History, with high honors

- Chair's Book Prize, for submitting the top honors thesis in the department
- Departmental Collegiate Commencement Speaker
- Recipient of 6 other merit-based scholarships, fellowships, and awards, amounting to \$60,000+

TECHNICAL SKILLS

C++ • Ruby • Rails • JavaScript • React • Redux • SQL • Git • HTML/CSS

PROJECTS

Gulp | nkhem-gulp.herokuapp.com

4/2017

A full-stack, Yelp-inspired web application for finding and reviewing drinks-related businesses in SF. Uses a PostgreSQL database, Ruby on Rails, and React/Redux

- Implements secure account creation and authentication through BCrypt and session tokens
- Allows users to create, edit, and delete reviews of businesses based on their login credentials

Planarity Knot | nkhem.com/planarity-knot

5/2017

An interactive mathematical brainteaser written in vanilla JavaScript, HTML, and CSS

- Generates unique planar graphs of increasing complexity at the beginning of each level
- Dynamically tracks and displays current nodes and edges based on mouse interaction

EXPERIENCE

Co-Director of Field Operations

Recall Judge Persky Campaign, Santa Clara County, CA

8/2017-present

- Organize and give speeches at fundraising events that have raised >\$65k in a single event
- Design, implement, and maintain an events calendar and volunteer signup system for coordinating hundreds of volunteers at dozens of events
- Train, mobilize, and serve as primary point of contact for hundreds of volunteers

Urdu Language Fellow

Berkeley-AIPS Urdu Language Program, Lahore, Pakistan American Institute of Indian Studies, Lucknow, India 8/2016-12/2016

9/2015-4/2016

• Fully-funded merit-based awards to study Hindi and Urdu intensively in South Asia

Research Intern 9/2015-4/2016

Association for Advocacy and Legal Initiatives (AALI), Lucknow, India

- Conducted research on legislation affecting women in India and summarized research findings for lay audiences, primarily on the topics of forced marriage and violence against women
- Single-handedly overhauled AALI's Wordpress site after taking initiative to learn HTML & CSS

Skills and Workforce Development Summer Intern

6/2016 - 8/2016

Policy and Advocacy Team, National Immigration Forum, Washington, D.C.

• Drafted, proofread, and copy-edited news bulletins, outreach communications, letters to policymakers, blog posts, and other written products