## **NOAH PICARD**

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### **EXPERIENCE**

**B12** New York NY . Summer 2018 RDV Academy Scholar / SWE Intern

Worked on Acquisition Team to improve user experience with AI generated websites. Redesigned theme selection, allowing users to preview generated versions of their site. Implemented mobile onboarding to customize experience for primary traffic source. Improved crowdsourcing system Orchestra to speed up workflows of designers and CSMs. A/B tested improvements to evaluate user impact.

**Nextdoor** San Francisco CA · Summer 2017 KPCB Engineering Fellow / SWE Intern

Worked on Web Core Experience Team to implement website redesign. Launched site nationally / internationally and responded to user issues. Developed internal Neighborhood Operatives tools to investigate and resolve user conflict. Adapted delivery system for engagement emails on agency platform. Extended Anti Racial Profiling system for alerts and improved coverage.

**Pinterest** San Francisco CA · July - Sept 2016 Software Engineering Contractor

Worked on the Growth Team, fixing new user experience issues on web. Developed content-focused new user emails while improving frameworks for selection algorithm testing. Wrote database crawler to convert system-specific new user signals to system agnostic signals for entire user database.

**Highlight** San Francisco CA . *May - July* **2016** *Software Engineering Intern* 

Improved image displays for user suggestions in iOS photo-sharing app. Open-sourced the lightweight iOS database framework, LightBase. Transitioned through acquisition of Highlight by Pinterest.

**Enphase Energy** Petaluma CA · Summer 2015 Software Embedded Intern

Developed internal tools for installing and maintaining microinverter settings and geo-profile information.

**Brown University CS** Providence RI . 2014-2016 Software Designer / Teaching Assistant / Researcher Constructed Spark Core models to simulate IoT software for CS classes. Taught algorithm / data structure design to groups of students. Published in CHI 2016 and ACM for research in IoT interfaces. Remote Sensing Systems Santa Rosa CA . Summer 2014 Software Engineering Intern

Built software to calibrate satellites and process meteorological data from satellites, IR devices, and buoys, for NASA, NOAA, and the general scientific community.

Picard Web Design Cotati CA . 2013 - 2016

Freelance Web Designer

Designed engaging company websites and apps for small businesses.

**Salazar Games** Rohnert Park CA · 2011 - 2014 *CEO / Lead Designer* 

Founded company and directed 8 game designers to build 20+ games for salazargames.com, with over 20,000 downloads.

#### **EDUCATION**

### **Brown University**

Sc. M Computer Science 2018 - 2019 Machine Learning Artificial Intelligence

# **Brown University**

Sc. B Comp Sci / Math 2014-2018 GPA: 3.83 Honors Magna Cum Laude Phi Beta Kappa

# **LANGUAGES**

 $\label{eq:continuous} \begin{tabular}{ll} Java . Python . Javascript . C . C++ . C# . Matlab . \\ Ruby . PHP . CSS . HTML . SQL . Fortran . IDL . \\ Lisp . Pyret . x86-Assembly \end{tabular}$ 

### **FRAMEWORKS**

React.js · Angular.js · Django · Meteor · Backbone. js · JQuery · Node.js · Maven · Jasmine · Ruby on Rails · Anaconda

# **PERSONAL SKILLS**

Applied Mathematician · Published Poet / Writer · Hip-Hop Dance Performer · Black Belt (Konsei / Aikido)

