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EDUCATION

University of Edinburgh, Scotland

2016- August 2017

MSc Design Informatics Candidate

Relevant Courses: Design for Informatics, Machine Learning Practical, Digital Crafting in Glass, Designing with Data

Northeastern University, Boston MA

2012-2016

BSc Information Science

Relevant Courses: Object Oriented Design, Computer Organization, HCI, Database Design, Systems and Networks, Empirical Research Methods, Cognition, Information Systems Design and Development

EXPERIENCE

Web Development Intern

May - Aug 2016

HapYak Interactive Video, Boston MA

Created custom interaction designs for clients and maintained code for HapYak's web app using EmberJS, HTML, CSS, Javascript and jQuery

LivCollege Project Lead

Jan - May 2016

SCOUT Design Studio, Boston MA

Led team and stakeholder meetings and defined project scope
Elicited requirements through stakeholder interviews, surveys, competitive analysis, user journeys, use cases, and paper prototyping
Created a high fidelity clickable prototype using InVision and Sketch

Web Development Co-op

July - Dec 2015

GSN Games, Boston MA

Implemented responsive web design and pleasant gaming UX for the Tetris game launch using HTML, CSS, and Javascript
Fixed full stack issues such as broken unsubscribe functionality for GSN marketing and gaming emails using Perl and Informix Database

End User Experience QA Co-op

Jan - Aug 2014

Brightcove, Boston MA

Tested web player experience on mobile and desktop devices for iOS, Android, and Windows on Chrome, Safari, Firefox, and IE browsers
Developed test plans and fixed bugs for weekly patch releases using VideoJS, Javascript, HTML, CSS, JIRA and Github
Collaborated with other test engineers to create an integration test framework to automate manual web player testing using Jasmine

TALK TO ME ABOUT

travel, doodling, yoga, interior decorating, or cooking

SKILLS

Research

Think Aloud
Surveys
Journey Maps
Guerrilla Research
Competitive Analysis

Design

Adobe Creative Suite
Sketch
InVision
Wireframing
Prototyping

Web

HTML5 / CSS3
Javascript
Python
Perl
Bootstrap
Ember
Node
Angular
React
Express
MongoDB
Git/Github

Product

Arduino / Processing
3D Printing

ACCOLADES

Dean's Merit Scholar

Northeastern University
2012-2016

**UK Finalists, Cisco IoT
Switch Up Challenge**

Feb 2017, Awarded 2nd
Place for refugee camp
security design at Cisco
headquarters in London