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### OBJECTIVE

A current graduate student in the Mind, Brain, and Behavior master's program at San Francisco State University seeking work experience in User Experience design. I hope to flesh out my creative ideas to optimize user experience of web applications.

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### SKILLS

Programming languages: MATLAB, Python, R, HTML, CSS, JavaScript  
Invision, Balsamiq, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe XD, Adobe Premier Pro, Inkscape, Qualtrics  
Microsoft Office  
Behavioral coding/Cognitive Ethnography  
Literature Reviews  
Project management  
IACUC and NIH Certified  
Video composition and editing

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### REFERENCES

Available upon request.

## EXPERIENCE

### GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT TO DR. DAVID MATSUMOTO

August 2018 – Current

- Completed literature reviews on independent and team projects
- Assisted lab members with their independent projects
- Consolidated standard psychology and demographic surveys
- Prepared presentations on current research

### ASSISTANT LAB MANAGER, COMPARATIVE COGNITION LAB

January 2018 – March 2018

- Trained incoming research assistants to perform behavioral coding and input information
- Supervised lab members to ensure lab ran efficiently
- Assisted lab members with their respective research
- Completed and organized lab documentation

### VOLUNTEER RESEARCH ASSISTANT TO DR. FEDERICO ROSSANO

May 2016 – March 2018

- Performed behavioral coding of data collected from the San Diego Zoo and Leipzig Zoo
- Collected data on baby primates at the San Diego Zoo
- Wrote literature reviews on bonobos and dogs
- Prepared research presentations to inform other research assistants on the current projects
- Edited videos for a project on children and accounting.

## PROJECTS

### FOOD BANK | USER EXPERIENCE DESIGNER & RESEARCHER

August 2017

Designed a fully functioning website aimed at diverting excess food from restaurants and grocers to those in need.

## EDUCATION

**San Francisco State University, 2020**

Master's student in the Mind, Brain, & Behavior program

**UC San Diego, Graduated 2018**

B.S. in Cognitive Science w/ a specialization in Neuroscience and minor in Theatre