# **Rachael Lam**

Data enthusiast with experience in product, operations, design and recruitment.

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### **EDUCATION**

# University of Toronto

Toronto, Canada Sept 2020 - Present

### Masters of Information - Human-Centred Data Science

Relevant Courses:

- Programming for Data Science
- Introduction to Statistics for Data Science
- Data Analytics: Introduction, Methods and Practical Approaches
- Experimental Design for Data Science
- Data Governance in a World of Big Data

# University of Toronto

Toronto, Canada 2019-2020

# Foundations of Business Analysis, Business Analysis Tools and Techniques

- Create an effective plan for BA work that includes the selection of the most appropriate techniques to address business needs and solution requirements.
- Communicate the value of BA work to stakeholders in terms of improved solution delivery, performance and risk.

#### **BrainStation**

Toronto, Canada 2019

# Data Analytics, Product Management, UX Design

- Data Analytics course outcomes: Data Foundations, Databases, Cleaning and Analyzing Data, Visualization and Presentation of Data, Tableau, MAMP, SQL, Excel
- PM course outcomes: Product Discovery, Minimal Viable Product, Scrum
- UX Design course outcomes: User Research, Information Architecture, Sketching & Wireframing, Prototyping

#### **Pitzer College**

Claremont, California 2011 – 2016

#### Bachelor of Arts - Africana Studies

- Senior Thesis: Emancipatory Beats, Rhythms and Rhymes: Music as a Contemporary and Historical Function of Resistance

#### RELATED EXPERIENCE

# **Studio Bupskee**

June 2019 – August 2020

#### **Product Manager**

- Innovated and executed design-focused, lean methodology in art production with low-budget, small size testing, which led to profitable and scalable MVPs.
- Created long term and short term roadmaps to document direction and progress of company and artist vision.
- Collaborated with artists to design and build e-commerce websites, rethinking and substituting traditional sales platforms such as galleries to increase profitability for the artists.
- Focused on art marketing and client building through the use of Google Analytics, integrated data collection and affiliate marketing programs.

# Lokafy

April 2017 – December 2018

# **Product and Operations Manager**

- Collaborated with operations, developers and the founder to ideate and create an automated bookings platform, which led to a decrease in cancellations by 40% and increased local guide network by 30%.
- Managed up to 10 team members at a time in 3 separate countries bringing in about \$1,000,000 in revenue.
- Led restructuring of the operations system and wrote internal process documents to ensure each team member had a defined role that catered to their unique skill set.
- Developed customer relationships (B2C) and established partnerships with GetYourGuide and Trip Advisor (B2B) and designed and produced client facing booking material including email templates and pre-tour questionnaires that improved customer satisfaction and streamlined internal workflow.

#### SKILLS

Technical

Python, R, R Studio, HTML, CSS, Tableau, SQL, Microsoft Azure, Django, Zepelin, UX Design, Wireframing

Interpersonal/Communi cation

Strategic Thinking, Leadership, Customer Success, Operations Management, Time Management, Content Writing, Social Media Management, Content Editor, Internal Business Communication, Business Development