

# Sophie Berger

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## Skills

**Proficient:** Python, Java, Swift, SwiftUI, Firebase, ARKit, React, HTML, CSS, SQL  
**Familiar:** C, C++, Kotlin, JavaScript, Tensorflow, Numpy, SKLearn

## Education

University of British Columbia  
BSc Computer Science  
09/ 2018 – 12/ 2022  
+ Master of Management  
09/ 2018 – 12/ 2023  
• Average = 83.5%, Dean's honor list

## Involvement

nwPlus Engagement Coord.  
04/ 2020- Present  
• Marketing for three hackathons, including Western Canada's largest hackathon ("nwHacks")

## Microsoft Student Partner

09/2019 - Present  
• Hold workshops about technology & Microsoft products

"Strength Insight Report" (from Gallup / CliftonStrengths): Achiever, Strategic, Learner, Futuristic, Focus

## Work Experience

HCI Undergraduate Researcher 03/ 2020 – 08/ 2020

- **Grounded-theory research** for technology support systems for elderly during COVID-19
- Supervised by Prof. Dongwook Yoon

Founding iOS engineer of "Mindset" startup 10/ 2019 – Present  
(<https://mindsetapp.co.uk/>)

- Top 5 health apps on UK app store, Featured on BBC and Sky News
- Front-end development on AI dementia screening iOS app using **Swift/SwiftUI**
- Implemented number recognition OCR dementia test, using **Swift/SwiftUI**
- Validated the collected user data and prepared it for ML use

Tailored Apps 05/ 2019 – 07/ 2019

iOS Software Developer Intern

- Built proof-of-concept for €30,000 project deal & helped CTO estimate project feasibility/pricing
- Developed **Swift** project to rank images & determine the "best" image
- Converted "Image Assessment" models to **TensorFlow Lite** in **Python**
- Implemented **Firebase** authentication/Cloud Functions
- Added **AR** functionalities & object recognition using **ARKit**

## Selected Projects

Microsoft Imagine Cup Americas Regional Finalist 05/ 2019  
([devpost.com/software/nekotap](http://devpost.com/software/nekotap)) ([bit.ly/imaginenekotap](http://bit.ly/imaginenekotap))

- In top 12 teams out 30,000+ participants & Presented at Microsoft Build
- 1<sup>st</sup> place at Western Canada's largest Hackathon (1000+ participants)
- Android app for improved drug adherence using **NFC** technology
- Designed accessibility animations using Lottie library, implemented Android front-end using **Java**

"Central: Parking Search" 05/2020

Published iOS app in Apple App Store  
(<https://apple.co/2WixQEL>)

- Featured 1500+ times in "Navigation" category & Ranked 87<sup>th</sup> best "Navigation" app in Austria
- Finds best parking location given a collection of destinations
- Built with **Swift/SwiftUI**, **MapKit** & **CoreLocation**

Soil TopARgraphy 10/ 2018 – 09/2019

Android & Unity Developer for UBC Launchpad  
([eml.ubc.ca/projects/soil-topargraphy/](http://eml.ubc.ca/projects/soil-topargraphy/))

- Presented at UBC "MURC" Conference
- Android **AR** app for Dr. Maja Krzic's APBI200 class (250+ students)
- Implemented Google Maps Android SDK for location using **Kotlin** & **Java**