# Sarah Tencher

#### **EDUCATION**

2013 - 2017

University of California, Berkeley

Intended Bachelor of Arts, Cognitive Science Minor, Computer Science Expected May 2017

#### **EXPERIENCE**

2016 - 2017

#### **Market Researcher**

Meanwise, San Francisco, CA

- Performed market research on workplace culture, millennials footprint, and social media trends to aid in the development of the application
- Presented research to software engineers to drive design decisions for the application

2015 - 2016

# **Undergraduate Research Assistant**

Gopnik Cognitive Development Lab, Berkeley, CA

- Successfully executed cognitive development experiments involving causal learning
- Recruited and interacted extensively with participants
- Operationalized participants' verbal and non-verbal responses into quantitative data

## 2013 – present Counselor, Committee Member

Camp Kesem Berkeley, Berkeley, CA

- Supervised 12-year-old children at camp to ensure a safe and carefree environment, teaching me the importance of putting the needs of others first
- Raised funds for an annual weeklong summer camp for over 200 kids affected by a parent's cancer

#### **PROJECTS**

Spring 2017

#### Chewsie

- Explored user needs to iteratively design a mobile app to connect users with desired restaurants on their current route
- Detected the lack of social networks in restaurant finding apps, which inspired features to determine convenient and desirable meeting points between connected users, providing a more social meal finding experience

Fall 2016

#### **Offspring** (JavaScript)

- Used prototyping tools and conducted user tests and research to iteratively design and implement a companion app used to interact with a wearable watch device to help parents communicate with their children to ensure their safety

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## **PORTFOLIO**

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# COURSEWORK

- UI Design and Development
- Web Design
- Human-Centered Design
- Cognitive Science
- Psychology
- Brain, Mind, and Behavior
- Psychological Anthropology
- The Structure and Interpretation of Computer **Programs**
- Elementary Statistics

### **SKILLS**

#### **UI/UX**

- Contextual Inquiry
- Task Analysis
- Card Sorting
- Personas
- Scenarios
- Wireframes
- Prototypes
- Cognitive Walkthrough
- Usability Test
- Usability Study

#### Design

- InVision
- Figma

#### **Programming**

- JavaScript
- HTML5
- CSS
- Python
- Java