Shayna Kothari

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Education

University of California, Berkeley
Aug 17 – Dec 20; GPA: 3.76/4
B.S. Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, minor in Human Rights
***Relevant coursework*:**
- Machine Learning – *CS 189*
- Computer Security – *CS 161*
- Efficient Algorithms and Intractable Problems – *CS 170*
- Operating Systems – *CS 162*
- Principles and Techniques of Data Science – *CS C100*
- Artificial Intelligence – *CS 188*
- Data Structures - *CS 61B*
- Machine Structures - *CS 61C*
- Discrete Math and Probability Theory - *CS 70*

Computer Science Mentors, EnableTech, Berkeley Model United Nations, Opportunity Through Data

Skills

Python	**SQL**
JavaScript	**Pandas**
NumPy	C
Java	React Native
jQuery	Flask
Django	ReactJS
Golang	*Swift*

Advanced, Intermediate, *Beginner*

Awards/Honors

Regents' and Chancellor's Scholarship
Awarded highest academic honor granted to incoming students at UC Berkeley, granted to <2% of students.

Jacobs Innovation Catalyst Grant
Won Jacobs Innovation Catalyst grants of $2000 for JARL (Just Another Robotic Limb) in Spring 2018 and Fall 2018 to continue developing project.

Big Ideas Winner
Won $6000 in Big Ideas competition, a competition to provide funding to social ventures, for Opportunity Through Data.

GLOBE Ambassador
Selected to represent UC Berkeley Engineering on a trip to the Philippines and Singapore; learned about research and industry in the areas.

Experience

Software Engineering Intern | Facebook May 20 – Aug 20
Languages/Frameworks: JavaScript, Hack, Python, Presto
- Developed & designed indicator signals and added to signal collection infrastructure to detect browser automation and prevent scraping of user data on Facebook.
- Validated 100M+ indicators to determine the precision of browser automation indicators and used results to inform usage of signals.

Software Engineering Intern | Khan Academy May 19 – Aug 19
Languages/Frameworks: React Native, JavaScript, Java, Swift, Flow
- Developed a curriculum-switching function for both iOS and Android apps, allowing users to choose the language and content they learn with.
- Added IP address detection to iOS app for more accurate curriculum selection.
- Added page performance analytics to the mobile app.

Software Engineering Intern | Moody's Analytics Jun 18 – Aug 18
Languages/Frameworks: Java, Spark, Hadoop, SQL, ANTLR
- Restructured backend of stress-testing product to be reliant on Spark and Hadoop.
- Optimized product to use cluster computing, improving read/write speeds for large amounts of data.

Teaching

Undergraduate Student Instructor | Berkeley EECS Aug 19 - Present
Course Tutor Aug 18 – Dec 19; **Academic Intern** Jan 18 – May 18
Languages/Frameworks: Python, SQL, Scheme
- Teaches discussion sections and labs for CS61A, a course with over 1800 students per semester taught in Python, SQL, and Scheme.
- Assists students with projects, homework, etc. during office hours and provides feedback on students' assignments.
- Course tutor for CS370, Adaptive Instruction Methods in Computer Science, during Fall 2019 semester; managed course of 120+ and taught pedagogy.

Organizations

Berkeley Model United Nations Sep 17 – Present
USG of Technology Apr 19 – Apr 20; **Head Chair** Apr 20 – Present
github.com/bmun/huxley • huxley.bmun.org
Languages/Frameworks: Python, ReactJS, Django
- As Undersecretary General of Technology for the 68th session of BMUN, led a team of developers to create new, full-stack features for open-source Model United Nations software used by 2000+ every year.
- Head of the Internet Governance Forum for the 69th session, leading 70+ high school students to learn and debate about internet policy in a mock simulation.

Opportunity Through Data Oct 17 – Present
Director of Technology Oct 17 – Present
otd.berkeley.edu • otd.gitbook.io/book
Languages/Frameworks: Python, Pandas, NumPy
- Expanding data science education to underserved high school students and incarcerated women; pilot program running in Fall 2020.
- In charge of curriculum design, including the creation of a textbook and interactive activities, teaching, and other technical considerations.

EnableTech Sep 17 – May 19
Languages/Frameworks: Autodesk Fusion 360
- Worked on JARL (Just Another Robotic Limb), a wheelchair attachment for people with limited hand mobility & won grants for development.
- Implemented design of a linear actuating base for z-axis movement, belt drive for arm motion, and a universal wheelchair mounting system.