# NICOLE CALACE

#### **EDUCATION**

**Cornell University** Majoring in Information Science with a focus on User Experience.

Sphinx Head Senior Honor Society - 125th tapping class.

Ithaca, NY · Aug 2012 - May 2016 (expected)

National ARISTA Honors Society Inductee. **Bronx High School of Science** 

AP Scholar with Distinction.

Bronx, NY · Sept 2009 - June 2012

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

**Product Design Intern** 

Facebook

Designed two modules to help advertisers better understand their target audiences, as a part of the Ads Targeting team.

Menlo Park, CA · Aug '15 - Nov '15

**Program Manager Intern** 

Microsoft

Speced out a new feature for the Windows Photos app. Spent one week designing with the Internet of Things team, and one week designing with the Analog team (Hololens).

Redmond, WA · May '15 - Aug '15

**User Experience Design Intern** 

LinkedIn

Worked on motion graphics, interaction design, visual design and UX research for LinkedIn's multi-platform search experience, as one third of the search design team.

Mountain View, CA · May '14 - Aug '14

**User Experience Design Intern** 

Amazon Lab126

Worked on interaction and visual design of the FireTV. Designed a future feature for the

product as a self-governed intern project. Cupertino, CA · June '13 - Aug '13

IT Intern

Foursquare

Fixed computers, organized inventory, and helped employees use company

technology.

New York, NY · June '12 - Aug '12, Dec '12 - Jan '12

#### **ACADEMIA**

**Teaching Assistant** 

Cornell University

Taught weekly recitation classes for INFO/CS 1300: Introduction to Web Design and

Programming. Held office hours to help students with projects.

Ithaca, NY · Aug '14 - Dec '14

Research Assistant & Designer

Interaction Design Lab

Designed an iPhone app to control a hardware add-on that reads blood samples. Designed an Android app used to collect data from an ambient lighting system.

Ithaca, NY · Aug '14 - May '15

Research Assistant & Designer

Reimagination Lab

Designed a goal-tracking platform used to explore the effects of social media on goal

completion. The project was accepted to CHI 2014 as a work in progress.

Ithaca, NY · Aug '13 - Dec '13

## **EXTRACURRICULARS**

**Creative Director** 

**CUAppDev Project Team** 

Led and mentored a team of six junior designers as a part a project team that strives to develop one iOS application a semester.

Ithaca, NY · Jan '15 - May '15

**President** 

User Experience Design Club

Organized speaker events, skill builders, and design studios to teach students about user experience design.

Ithaca, NY · Aug '13 - Aug '14

**Corporate Relations Co-Chair** 

Scheduled company information sessions, and skill-building workshops to connect

Information Science Student Assoc Information Science students with the industry.

Ithaca, NY · Aug '14 - May '15

Manager

POPSHOP Co-working Space

Organized events and classes aimed at bringing together students interested in entrepreneurship and technology.

Ithaca, NY · April '13 - Present

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Sketch, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Quartz Composer+Origami, HTML5, CSS3, PHP, JQuery