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# **EXPERIENCE**

# NASA JPL | Graduate Product Designer

Help the Mars 2020 mission team understand the impact of dust on rover instruments to reduce planning time.

#### Pasadena, Apr 2019 - Present

- Translate research insights into design requirements that guide concept development, interaction design, and feature selection.
- Develop competitive assessment metrics that help the team perform a non-biased and consistent analysis.
- Storyboard, sketch, and create wireframes to test interations and validate design concepts.

# **Premera Blue Cross** | Graduate Product Designer

Seattle, Sep - Dec 2018

- Led interaction design, information architecture, and visual design for an app that helps dads navigate the postpartum journey.
- Took ownership in creating a style guide and component library that accelerated wireframe development and enhanced workflow.

## Freelance Product Designer | tylerla.com

Boston, May - Aug 2018

- Designed a web client management for a client's coaching product.
- Built a clickable prototype in InVision, created a component library, and provided design specifications to the engineering team.

## **Iron Mountain** | Product Management Intern

Boston, Jun - Aug 2017

- Aggregated data and created an Excel VBA script that helped identify and renew 200+ expired contracts (over \$1 mil in revenue).
- Performed market research, competitive assessment, and pricing analysis that were implemented for 3 cloud archive products.

# **Suffolk University** | Market Research Co-op

Boston, Sep 2015 - May 2017

- Designed surveys, created metrics, and ran statistical analysis in R and SPSS that helped uncover purchasing behaviors and trends.
- Industry sponsors: Comcast (2017), 7RUCKS, La Bicicleta Verde (2016), Boston Red Sox (2015).

#### **EDUCATION**

## Master of Human-Computer Interaction + Design

University of Washington, Seattle, Graduating Aug 2019

## **B.S.B.A Marketing & Big Data Analytics**

Suffolk University, Boston, Sep 2013 - May 2017

#### **SKILLS**

| Design             | Research             |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| Info. architecture | Usability testing    |
| Wireframing        | User interview       |
| Storyboarding      | Contextual inquiry   |
| Sketching          | Competitive analysis |
| Visual design      | Participatory design |
| Design system      | Market research      |
| Rapid prototyping  | Surveys & metrics    |
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#### **TOOLS**

| Design        | Analytics       |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Sketch        | SPSS            |
| Figma         | R Studio        |
| Photoshop     | Excel / VBA     |
| Illustrator   | Programming     |
| After Effects | HTML / CSS / JS |
| Premiere Pro  | Arduino         |
| InVision      |                 |

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

## **Suffolk University**

Boston, May 2017
Student Commencement Speaker
Outstanding Student of the Year

#### **LEADERSHIP**

#### **Boston Mayor's Office** | *Ambassador*

Boston, Jan 2013 - May 2016

Served as the ambassador for 3 tax seasons to help low-income families and local immigrants receive over \$200k tax credit.

## **AIESEC Boston** | Co-founder

Boston, Oct 2015 - Dec 2016

Led 25+ members. In one year, AIESEC Boston became top 10 chapters nationally.