

PERSONAL STATEMENT	Through my degree in cognitive science I've developed a passion for human interaction and cognition, which has led me to pursue a career in UX design and user research. I enjoy studying the brain and how people interact, and I'm dedicated to creating solutions that improve lives. In the future, I aim to design adaptive systems that help people achieve their goals.	
EDUCATION		
2024 - Present	ArtCenter College of Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>MDes in Interaction Design</li><li>Gaining hands-on expertise in creating accessible, appealing and user-oriented digital spaces</li><li>Studying data visualization, interface design, human-computer interaction and ethical research practices</li></ul>
2022 - 2023	Google UX Design Specialization Certification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Completed seven courses structured to train for practical application of UX Design</li><li>Learned about introductory roles in UX, and how to complete a design process</li><li>Created web based applications utilizing UX Design principles in Adobe XD and Figma</li><li>Developed skills in user research, product development and the ideation of design solutions</li></ul>
2021 - 2024	University of California, Davis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Degree in Cognitive Science, minor in Psychology</li><li>3.75 GPA</li><li>Dean's Honors List in 2023 and 2024</li><li>Officer positions in the Linguistics and Esports club</li><li>Fellowship in Design Interactive club</li></ul>
EXPERIENCE		
June, 2024 - August, 2024	BioMarin Pharmaceutical	Novato, CA
	UX Design Intern	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Conducted voice of the customer interviews with senior leadership teams to establish understanding of projects and user needs</li><li>Created wireframes, drafts and mockups to showcase design philosophy and gain feedback on design development</li><li>Took initiative to problem solve features and generate solutions to roadblocks</li><li>Utilized user testing and insights to iterate and develop design concepts for the intranet site</li><li>Executed the rollout of a finalized website that suited the needs of the end user</li><li>Standardized internal network across manufacturing sites through aligning design philosophies and conducted training sessions with peers</li><li>Ensured sustainability of internal network through creation of user guides and peer training sessions</li></ul>	
2020 - 2024	Camp K-9	Corte Madera, CA
	Senior Handler	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Worked as a senior employee caring for dogs at a prestigious dog kennel and boarding</li><li>Entrusted with animals' safety and comfort, cleaning, maintenance and intake, interacting with dogs and customers daily</li><li>Trained and taught new employees and was responsible for running opening and closing shifts</li></ul>	
SKILLS		
Design & Presentation	Responsive Web Design, User Research, Storyboarding, Usability Testing, Wireframing, Rapid Prototyping, Visual Design	
Tools	Figma, Adobe XD, InDesign, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Illustrator, After Effects, Blender, Unreal Engine, Unity	
Development	Familiar with CSS, JavaScript, and HTML	
PERSONAL INTERESTS	Video/Content Creation, Storytelling, Esports, Soccer, Football, Reading, History, Hiking, Design, Psychology	