# UX, HCI

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## **OBJECTIVE**

I am currently seeking a fulltime position in UX design, applied HCI research, or software development for Summer 2018.

# **SKILLS**

## **RESEARCH, ANALYSIS**

- Hierarchical task analysis
- Surveys, questionnaires
- Interviews, focus groups, contextual inquiry
- Usability testing, heuristic evaluation
- Affinity diagramming, journey mapping
- Scenarios, user personas
- Descriptive and inferential statistics

## **DESIGN, PROTOTYPING**

- Sketching, storyboarding
- Paper prototyping
- Wireframing (Visio)
- Interactive prototyping (Axure)
- 3D modeling (Fusion 360)

## **IMPLEMENTATION**

- C++, Python, Lua
- HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- SQL, data modeling
- Info Vis (d3.js)

## **OTHER TOOLS**

- Issue-tracking systems (Visual Studio Online, JIRA, Zendesk)
- CRM/marketing automation (Salesforce, Hubspot, Infusionsoft)

## **EXPERIENCE**

## **GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT • GEORGIA TECH RESEARCH INSTITUTE**

Fall 2016 - Present

- Conducted hierarchical task analysis and used Visio to generate task sequence diagrams for US Navy Air mission planning.
- Generated wireframes demonstrating how interface design concepts could translate from desktop to mobile/tablet.
- Developed a modular framework for simulating task network models, incorporating agent-based modeling features.

## **SALESFORCE ADMINISTRATOR • COCOUNSELOR**

Fall 2014 - Summer 2016

- Provided training and technical support to end users of a cloud-based law practice management solution.
- Implemented a knowledge base and issue-tracking system.
- Leveraged Salesforce's declarative development suite to deliver custom solutions to preferred clients.
- Prototyped alternative information architecture schemas.
- Managed the deployment of patch updates and bugfixes.

## **RESEARCH ASSISTANT • UNC SOMATOSENSORY RESEARCH LAB**

Fall 2012 - Spring 2013

- Coordinated experimental research on the neural relationship between pain and the sensation of heat, using human subjects.
- Used statistical methods to analyze the collected data, and interpreted the results into research findings.

## **EDUCATION**

## M.S. HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION • GEORGIA TECH

Fall 2016 - Spring 2018

## **B.S. PSYCHOLOGY, B.A. HISTORY • UNC CHAPEL HILL**

Fall 2009 - Spring 2013

# **INTERESTS**

- Human systems integration
- Modeling and simulation
- Educational software
- Information architecture
- Cognitive science

- GIS/digital mapping
- World history
- Game design
- Football (soccer)
- Music







