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EDUCATION

| M.S. in Information Studies The University of Texas, Austin | 2022 |
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| Ph.D. in Experimental Psychology University of Nevada, Las Vegas | 2015 |

EXPERIENCE

Q2 Software

UX Researcher II

June 2022 – Current

- Led 15+ research projects and moderated 100+ remote research sessions.
- Collaborated with product teams across the company through regular meetings to ensure projects delivered on stakeholder needs. Created collaborative documentation to facilitate knowledge-sharing.
- Employed multiple research methods, including qualitative and quantitative usability testing, accessibility testing, user interviews, surveys, and card sorting, to inform design work at various stages.
- Developed research plans, recruitment screeners, surveys, moderator guides, and other materials.
- Conducted qualitative analysis using affinity mapping and thematic analysis in Dovetail. Skilled in quantitative analysis using statistical tools such as SPSS and Excel.
- Presented UX recommendations that directly impacted product road mapping. Skilled in using Figma to create effective research presentations.
- Developed personas using quantitative (i.e., dimension reduction and cluster analysis of survey data) and qualitative methods to inform product design.

UX Research Intern

- Developed a research repository, a thematic tag taxonomy, and a metadata library.
- Established qualitative analysis and research reporting practices that helped democratize and expand the visibility of UX research throughout the company.
- Successfully proposed the purchase of Dovetail at \$2,400 annually to the VP of Product and Development.

Texas State University

University Lecturer

- Taught 300+ students, primarily junior- and senior-level, across 30+ course sections.
- Developed curriculum for writing-intensive experimental and cognitive psychology courses, including Research Methods, Sensation and Perception, and Learning and Memory.
- Department's 2020 nominee for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Teaching.

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Ph.D. Researcher

- Studied human perception as a Ph.D. candidate in an auditory cognitive neuroscience lab.
- Analyzed behavioral and electrophysiological data in SPSS, MATLAB, and Excel.
- 300+ citations across 11 scholarly articles published in top peer-reviewed journals.
- Rewarded \$27,000+ in scholarships and a competitive, one-year fellowship.

2009 - 2015

June 2021 – June 2022

2016 - 2021