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## **EXPERIENCE**

## Senior UX Researcher

March 2022 - Present

Austin, TX

CrowdStrike

- Conducted high-impact B2B cybersecurity research on products at all life cycle stages
- Leveraged both qualitative and quantitative methods to inform design and business decisions
- Managed cross-functional partnerships with designers, researchers, engineers, and product managers
- Streamlined and automated participant recruitment efforts to accelerate research and data collection
- ❖ Defined and owned research roadmaps that prioritized research needs and outlined key deliverables

**UX Manager** 

June 2021 - January 2022

Root Insurance

Columbus, OH

- Developed and administered 15+ large-scale Qualtrics surveys to assess customer attitudes
- ❖ Led multi-phase research efforts while fostering professional development of mid-level UX researchers
- Scoped research efforts with Carvana and Root stakeholders for an in-app integrated insurance offer
- Communicated research insights through presentations, artifacts, data visualizations, and reports
- Translated business objectives of product, design, and marketing teams to define research efforts

**Director of Research** 

April 2020 – May 2021

**Electronic Caregiver** 

Las Cruces, NM

- ❖ Led a team of healthcare professionals, writers, and designers to conduct user research for older adults
- Established a 2-week UX research sprint cycle and developed reliable participant recruitment pipelines
- Spearheaded a partnership with Paracelsus Medical University Salzburg to conduct telehealth research

**Product Researcher** 

March 2019 - March 2020

**Electronic Caregiver** 

Las Cruces, NM

- Recommended UX improvements to leadership based on in-depth interviews and usability studies
- Democratized research practice through mentorship of designers and front-end developers
- Wrote Python scripts to analyze healthcare data and create statistical models using AWS SageMaker

## **UX Researcher – Summer Internship**

May 2018 - August 2018

John Deere

Moline, IL

- Conducted 30 semi-structured interviews with subject-matter experts to inform user interface decisions
- Collaborated with designers, engineers, and developers to implement combine automation research

## **Quantitative Researcher**

August 2017 – May 2020

Hearing Enhancement and Augmented Reality Laboratory

Las Cruces, NM

- Executed 20+ human factors and augmented reality research studies for an NIH Grant (\$865,000)
- Programmed experiments and analyzed behavioral data using Python, MATLAB, and SPSS

## **Research Assistant**

September 2014 – May 2015

The University of Iowa/U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

Iowa City, IA

Organized and supported healthcare research in alleviating post-surgical pain under an NIH grant

## **EDUCATION**

# **New Mexico State University**

August 2015 - May 2020

**Ph.D.**, Experimental Psychology – GPA: 3.9/4.0; **M.A.**, Experimental Psychology – GPA: 3.9/4.0 Dissertation: *Eye Movements and Machine Learning: Predicting User Search* 

## The University of Iowa

August 2010 - May 2014

**B.A.**, Psychology and German – GPA: 3.3/4.0

# **SKILLS**

- ❖ Quantitative/Qualitative Research ❖ Experimental Design ❖ Statistics ❖ UX ❖ Python ❖ Data Visualization
- ❖ Qualtrics ❖ Technical Writing ❖ Figma ❖ Public Speaking ❖ Leadership ❖ AWS Certified ❖ UserTesting