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#### Education

# **ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

Bachelor of Science in Digital Humanities. GPA: 4.0 Specializations: Game Design, Philosophy Dean's List: Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022 Relevant Coursework: Global Product Development, Human Computer Interaction, Philosophy and Big Data

### STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Summer quarter visiting student. GPA: 4.0 August 2021 Coursework in leadership development, corporate social responsibility, ethics in the workplace.

## Experience

# **ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

#### **Undergraduate Researcher**

- Selected to be part of a multidisciplinary team of 5 on a project funded by the National Science Foundation
- Performed textual analysis and conducted qualitative research on the history of the Games for Girls movement
- Conducted interviews, transcribed over 20 interviews following Chicago style conventions, copy edited transcriptions, prepared materials for submission to the external project archival partner

# **ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

#### **Graphic Designer**

- Selected among students of all years at Illinois Tech to collaborate with a multidisciplinary team of 15 on the realization of the project: "Escape Room: Operation Circus"
- Defined brand identity for the escape room, using Figma to design the logo and flyers
- Conducted A/B testing presenting the game to university management and general public

### Leadership & Activities

# **TECHNEWS**

### **Executive Editor**

- Coordinated a team of 10 copy editors, ensuring plagiarism rules and AP style standards are followed
- Designed branded content for the newspaper social media platforms
- Led weekly general body meetings, reported member contributions to paying campus authorities
- Contributed as a writer and copy editor since 2021 with illustrations, playlists, poems and news articles

# WOMEN AND GENDER MINORITIES IN STEM

## **Digital Media Officer**

• Maintained the organization's visual identity designing branded content using Figma

- Curated the layout and content of a monthly newsletter with a readership of over 300, for print and web
- Took part to executive board meetings, pitched event ideas and presented prototypes of design ideas
- Conducted user research resulting in increased content interactions by 14,900% in one month

### **Skills & Interests**

Technical: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, agile, nightwatch, backstop, usability testing, UI design, Figma, GitHub **Language:** Italian (native), Spanish (limited working proficiency)

**Interests:** poetry, classical piano, singing, entertainment, journalism, ethics, accessibility. Community Service: Volunteer at PAWS Chicago.

Chicago, IL May 2024

Palo Alto, CA

Chicago, IL

Chicago, IL

June 2021 – August 2021

February 2022 – Present

Chicago, IL

Chicago, IL

April 2022 – Present

January 2021 – December 2021