
SUMMARY

Graduate researcher with a cross-functional background spanning compliance, data analysis, and UX research and design. Experience translating complex information into clear recommendations for technical and non-technical stakeholders, and partnering across teams to drive process improvements. Seeking to bring a data-informed, user-centered approach to product management.

EDUCATION

MS Information Studies (UX Research & Design), GPA: 3.89 | *University of Texas at Austin* | Aug 2025 – Present
BS Econometrics & Quantitative Economics, GPA: 3.89 | *University of South Florida* | May 2022

SKILLS

Product & Analysis: Cross-Functional Collaboration, Stakeholder Communication, Data-Informed Decision-Making, Prioritization, Mixed-Methods User Research, Survey Design, Usability Testing

Tools & Software: Figma, Excel, Python (basics), Statistical Analysis, Data Visualization, Articulate 360 (Storyline)

PROJECTS

Goldman Sachs Analyst Impact Fund - Semi-Finalist 2023

- Built a data-driven pitch deck for a mental health nonprofit that secured \$5,000 in funding and influenced firm-wide leadership to invest further in mental health resources — combining research and storytelling to drive a funding decision.

NaviGATE - User Research and Prototype Design

- Conducted a mixed-methods study (surveys and interviews) to identify user needs for a navigation-based learning game, using qualitative and quantitative data to resolve design ambiguity and prioritize which features to build.
- Reduced game task completion times and improved mental model alignment through iterative prototype testing and heuristic evaluation (Nielsen's 10 usability heuristics).

Craigslist Usability Study – Graduate Coursework

- Designed usability research plan - task design and participant screener creation - following a heuristic evaluation, to identify structural UX gaps on the website.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Goldman Sachs & Co. | *Compliance Analyst (Promoted from Junior to Senior)*

(Aug 2022 – May 2025)

- Partnered across Compliance, Engineering, Sales, Marketing, and Privacy to identify friction points and streamline internal procedures, improving content clarity for end users.
- Developed and maintained complex data architecture (200,000 + rows of data) using Excel (macros, pivot tables), organizing data into clear, actionable reports and cutting report generation time by 25%.
- Surfaced key risk findings for senior management by leading the data manipulation portion of a forensic review of employee gifts and entertainment activity, consolidating all findings into a single executive report.
- Designed and facilitated training sessions for 100+ person cross-functional audiences, translating dense regulatory material (FINRA, SEC guidelines) into clear, accessible content.
- Reviewed social posts, articles, and ad copy pre-publication as line compliance for Social Media & Marketing, gaining direct exposure to audience targeting and messaging strategy in a regulated environment.

KPMG | *Data and Analytics Intern*

(July 2021 – Aug 2021)

- Conducted market research and competitor financial analysis, and organized findings into structured summaries to support an IT R&D team's future initiatives.

Guaranty Trust Holding Company Plc | *Financial Control Intern*

(May 2021 – June 2021)

- Built macroeconomic reports across 8 countries and supported construction of a Value-at-Risk model in Excel, informing subsidiary performance strategy and portfolio risk decisions.