


Dora Palfi


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SKILLS & INTERESTS


 Fluent in English & Hungarian
Conversational in German & Spanish



Advanced: Python,
Javascript, Adobe XD, Rapid
Prototyping, User Evaluation

Intermediate: D3.js, HTML,
CSS, R, Premiere Pro

Beginner: MATLAB, Java,
C++, Swift

 Running, Soccer, Yoga, Travel,
Photography, Teaching

AWARDS

Grace Hopper Scholar, Anita Borg
Institute
October 2016 | Texas, US

Senior Leader, Al Khayr Student
Leadership Award
April 2016 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

Second Place, WiSTEM Smart Cities
Hackathon
February 2016 | Dubai, UAE

Invited Speaker,
TEDxBITSPilaniDubai
December 2015 | Dubai, UAE

Finalist, AngelHack Abu Dhabi
September 2015 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

First Place, NYUAD International
Hackathon for Social Good in the
Arab World
April 2015 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

EDUCATION

Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

MSc. First year, 2016-2017

Major in Human Computer Interaction, Minor in Entrepreneurship
Full Academic Scholarship from EIT Digital for a joint masters degree

New York University Abu Dhabi, Abu Dhabi, UAE

BSc., May 2016

Major in Brain and Cognitive Sciences, Minor in Computer Science
Awarded full scholarship to study at 5 NYU campuses (NYC, Madrid,
Buenos Aires, Florence, Abu Dhabi)
GPA: 3.8

PROFESSIONAL & RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

UX Design Intern at **Cisco Systems**

Oslo, Norway | June 2017- August 2017

Worked on third party app integrations with Spark Board, following the entire
design process from requirements gathering to prototyping and user testing.

Summer Technology Analyst at **Morgan Stanley**

Budapest, Hungary | June 2016- August 2016

Interned with the Automation team of the Enterprise Infrastructure division,
built an internal web application with python backend and HTML5/JS fronted

BSC thesis research at **Sreenivasan Laboratory, NYU Abu Dhabi**

Abu Dhabi, UAE | February 2015- May 2016

Conducted research on Working Memory, Used Psychopy (Python) and R for
programming/analysis

Summer Undergraduate Research Program at the **Glimcher Laboratory, NYU**

New York City, US | May 2015 - July 2015

Investigated the neural basis of economic choices, acquired fMRI certificate,
analysed data using MATLAB

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Co-founder & Activity Leader at **Women@EIT**

Stockholm, Sweden | October 2016 -present

Initiated a community and network of women affiliated with the European
Institute of Technology, responsible for the development of the organisation

Co-head of IT & Design at **Create Squared**

Stockholm, Sweden | November 2016 - March 2016

Create Squared is the largest student-organised hackathon/entrepreneurship
marathon in Sweden | Responsible for the event website and branding

Ambassador at **She++**

Global | October 2015 -May 2016

As a selected ambassador of the program organised events promoting
diversity in technology

Co-founder & President at **weSTEM (Women Empowered in STEM)**

May 2015 - May 2016 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

weSTEM is one of the largest and most active Student Interest Groups on
campus, and it is advocating female presence in the STEM fields.