

# Nikhil Pai

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## Experience

### **SLACK | Front-end Engineering Intern**

June 2015 - Sept 2015 // San Francisco, CA  
Developed client side feature allowing for the creation of custom handles for a set of slack members. Assisted Product Manager in designing and specifying features for enterprise customers.

### **DESIGNWORKS | Chief Technology Officer**

Jan 2015~ // Evanston, IL  
Setup a student-run design firm, producing graphic design work for academic dept, student groups and Chicago businesses. Generated \$4000+ of revenue in the first quarter of operations.

### **KNIGHT LAB | Technology Student Fellow**

Sept 2014 - April 2015 // Evanston, IL  
Developed a JS plugin to display a side bar containing context information for long form articles. Wrote quarterly blog posts about current technology trends in the journalism community.

### **GROUPON | Software Development Intern**

June 2014 - Aug 2014 // Chicago, IL  
Redesigned homepage 'hero deal' and developed a "recently viewed" widget that generated \$2 million in marginal monthly revenue.

## Projects

### **BARLIFT | Head of Web Development**

January 2015 - June 2015 // Evanston, IL  
Founded a business to allow bars to promote to students on low traffic nights. 20 local bars generated \$25,000 in incremental revenue over six weeks with 2000+ college students using BarLift.

### **WILDHACKS | Co-Chair**

Nov 2014 // Evanston, IL  
Setup Northwestern's first intercollegiate Hackathon, attended by over 450 students from across the midwest. Raised \$37,000 from 35 sponsors, including SpaceX, Microsoft and Paypal.

### **PULSAR | Team Leader**

Jan 2014 - April 2014 // Chicago, IL  
Developed Android app and haptic wristband with a team of four undergraduates to give users navigational cues. Pitched project to Motorola executives and was awarded 2nd place.

## Education

### **NORTHWESTERN U.**

Class of 2016 // Evanston, IL  
BS in Computer Science  
Segal Design Certificate  
Entrepreneurship Certificate  
**GPA: 3.64/4.00**

## Coursework

Data Structure and Algorithms  
Artificial Intelligence  
Machine Learning  
Computational Photography  
Computer Networking  
NUvention: Web+Media  
Human Computer Interaction

## Leadership

HackNU - Co-President  
Wildhacks 2014 - Co-Chair  
EECS 111/214 - Teaching Assistant  
A&O Productions - Marketing  
Northwestern Student Holdings

## Awards

2015: Winter/Spring High Honors  
2014: Fall Deans List  
2014: 1<sup>st</sup> MST Coding Challenge  
2014: 2<sup>nd</sup> Breaking Mobile Limits  
2013: Fall/Spring Deans list

## Links

Github:// nikhilpi  
Website:// nikhilpi.com  
Linkedin:// nikhilpi

## Skills

**Languages:**  
JS • HTML/CSS • Python • Java • Scheme • Matlab • English • Thai • French  
**Frameworks/libraries:**  
Angular • Meteor • Node • jQuery • Sass • Adobe Creative Suite