

# Katrina R. Yates

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**Personal Website:** <https://katrinayates.github.io/resume/>



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**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE | MAY 2022 | UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA**

**Major:** Computer Science; **Focus:** HCI/UX

**Major GPA:** 4.0; **Honors:** Dean's List and Leadership Scholarship

## Professional Statement

I am a passionate developer who uses her work to tell a story. I want to use my skills to bring joy to others even if it goes unseen. I stand apart from other developers due to my knack for communication and adaptability. I believe I can be an asset to any team with not only my technical knowledge but also my ability to collaborate and work well with others.

## Skills

- Experience with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Java, Python, PHP, Angular, Node, React, MySQL, MongoDB, Terminal, Google Cloud, Visual Studio Code, GitHub, GitLab, Git, Heroku, Bootstrap, WordPress, HCI/UX, Adobe Analytics, Google Excel, Microsoft Office, SDLC procedures, and agile methodologies

## Projects

- Create, manage, and deliver analytics for The Walt Disney Company's internal sites using Adobe
- Create event templates for The Walt Disney Company using HTML and SASS
- Designed and developed MySQL database and created databases using Mongo
- Worked with HCI/UX teams to develop low and high-fidelity prototypes for user testing
- Utilized web-based platforms, such as GitHub, to contribute to team-oriented projects
- Developed an application that manages a company's customers and payments using Java
- Developed numerous web applications using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, and GitHub
  - My personal website: <https://katrinayates.github.io/resume/>
  - Fixing a bad UI project: <https://katrinayates.github.io/BadUI/>
- Developed React apps utilizing React.js, CSS, Rest APIs, and Heroku
  - Search and filter through contacts: <https://kat-robofriends.herokuapp.com>
- Created a "Virtual Server Dining Experience" app using Axure and agile methodologies
  - [https://faxhea.axshare.com/#id=dklod0&p=page\\_1](https://faxhea.axshare.com/#id=dklod0&p=page_1)

## Experience

**COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST | THE WALT DISNEY COMPANY | 2022 - CURRENT**

- WordPress Development back-end including plugins, tools, and databases
- Provide front-end WordPress training to clients

- Create internal and external sites using Divi Builder and Beaver Builder
- Create templates in Salesforce for mass communication
- Help onboard and train teams when a new software is introduced

### **WEB DEVELOPMENT AND DIGITAL PRODUCTION INTERN | THE WALT DISNEY COMPANY | 2022 - 2022**

- Design and build consistent, accessible digital communication apps
- Redesign WordPress modules with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript
- Consult with stakeholders on how to design, improve, and troubleshoot their sites
- Gather/Send/Explain weekly and monthly analytics Reports for the communications team
- Create email invite templates for the Events teams using HTML and CSS

### **WEB DEVELOPER | INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR | 2019 -2022**

- Developed front-end website architecture
- LUX Creative Group - <https://katrinayates.github.io/LuxWebsite/>
  - Design, developed, and launched this site using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap, UX principles, and Hosting
- Sweetwater Counseling: <https://sweetwatercounseling.com>
  - Built this site using WordPress and thoughtful UX considerations
  - Designed site and utilized my communication skills to guide client in operating, managing, and updating the website with great success

### **AREA MANAGER | CELLAIRIS | 2012 - 2018**

- Managed 5 different repair shop locations
- Worked with new technology daily to train others more effectively on how they work
- Trained managers how to diagnose and repair phones, tablets, and computers
- Offered consultation and recommendations to store managers on overcoming operations challenges
- Motivated employees with a positive attitude to achieve goals
- Increased store sales ranking from 15<sup>th</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> in the nation

### **Activities**

- Open-Source Projects – GitHub
- Participant in multiple “VoluntEARS” opportunities with The Walt Disney Company
- Participates in UdeMy course regularly to keep up with the latest technologies
- Vice President - Association for Information Systems
- Panhellenic Chair, Public Relations Chair, and “Big Sister” mentor – Alpha Delta Pi
- Autism Speaks Fundraisers
- Ronald McDonald House Charities Volunteer