

# Stephanie Kim

UX Researcher

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## Experience

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### UX Research Lead

Propagate | 04/21 - Present

Leading research and design for Propagate, an online platform for spatially visualizing plant propagations. Strategizing and deploying different research methods based on research question and product stage. A passion project aiming to make urban planting more accessible and strengthen the plant community.

### Curriculum Designer + ESL Teacher

Freelance | 04/21 - Present

Optimizing learning experiences by creating interdisciplinary curriculums to meet individual needs. Working closely with clients and iterating on curriculums based on weekly performances. Teaching English as a Second Language (ESL) to kindergarten and elementary students.

### UX Researcher + Project Manager

Diabetes Design Initiative | 03/20 - 10/20

Led a cross-functional team to design and implement an interactive data visualization tool for people with diabetes. Final design successfully presented to 50+ leaders in the diabetes community. Work accepted to Advanced Technologies & Treatments for Diabetes (ATTD 2021).

Working with the Director of DDI, managed 8 Dexcom design projects. Responsible for strategizing and proposing new project plans, co-facilitating weekly design workshops, communicating risks with internal and external stakeholders.

### UX Researcher + Designer

Dexcom, The Design Lab Sponsored | 10/19 - 03/20

Spearheaded the end-to-end design process for Dexcom mobile app features to improve Continuous Glucose Monitor user experience and reduce customer support lines. Successfully proposed two innovative and data-driven solutions to stakeholders.

### UX/UI Researcher + Designer

Human-Centered & Ubiquitous Computing Lab | 07/19 - 08/20

Responsible for UX/UI design of a machine-learning model to aid physicians in stroke diagnosis. Utilized literature research, clinical observations, and interviews to understand user needs and strategize product direction. Published research findings at ACM CHI 2020.

### Director of Public Relations

Delta Epsilon Mu, Inc. | 06/19 - 06/20

Streamlined and weekly managed ideation, prototyping, and production process of marketing materials to promote diversity in healthcare. Resulted in the largest student interest for pre-health networking event since establishment of organization at UCSD.

## Education

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### UC San Diego

B.S. Cognitive Science | 06/20

## Community Leadership

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### VP of External Relations

UCSD Liberty in North Korea

Organized awareness events to support North Korean refugees and spread awareness of the humanitarian crisis in North Korea.

### Pathmaker Hospital Intern

Palomar Medical Center

Provided clinical care for older and pregnant adults, honing in on interpersonal skills and empathizing with diverse patient groups.

## Skills + Tools

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Design Thinking  
Usability Testing  
In-Depth Interviews (IDIs)  
Affinity Diagramming  
Survey Design + Analysis  
Competitive Analysis  
Literature Review  
A/B Testing  
Agile and Lean UX  
Product Thinking  
Project Management  
Design Facilitation  
Adobe CC  
Google Suite  
Figma  
Miro