Lucille Idokogi

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Education

SUNY at Albany — **Albany, New York**
Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) – Honors Major: Computer Science | GPA: 3.77 — *Expected Dec 2027*

University of Western Ontario — **London, ON**
B.Sc. – Statistical & Actuarial Sciences, Double Major: Data Science & CS — *Sep 2023 – Dec 2025*

Skills

Product: User Research, Product Discovery, PRDs, Roadmapping, Agile, Competitive Analysis, Product Analytics
Tools: Excel, Google Sheets, PowerPoint, Figma, Jira, Confluence
AI Tools: Claude, ChatGPT, Gemini, Microsoft Copilot, Groq, AI-Assisted Prototyping, LLM Agents, RAG Pipelines
Technical: Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL, React, React Native, Django, PostgreSQL, AWS, Docker

Experience

Founding President & Product Manager — **Aug 2026 – Present**
Blueprint UAlbany Club – Pro bono Tech for Non-profits — *Albany, NY*

Founding President

- Founded the UAlbany chapter of Blueprint, a multi-university org building software for nonprofits, and scaled it from 0 to 24 members in 3 months across CS, business, and engineering majors; leading an executive board and two project teams.
- Managed parent organization stakeholders, reporting on chapter progress and operations while establishing the new chapter's registration, funding process, and member onboarding.
- Introduced Microsoft Copilot and Claude workflows across product, engineering, and research teams to accelerate PRD drafting, user research synthesis, and rapid prototyping.

Product Manager

- Led product discovery for the National Women's Law Center (NWLC) by interviewing 5 staff and analyzing user feedback, uncovering that staff manually searched an internal directory to route callers.
- Recommended a self-serve directory (interactive state map, issue-area browsing, admin portal) that lets visitors find legal help faster and NWLC staff update listings without a developer, for a site with 30K-41K monthly visits; NWLC adopted the findings as the project's basis.
- Own end-to-end product execution for an 11-person team of engineers, designers, and researchers, driving PRDs, backlog prioritization, and two-week sprints, and planning the March 2027 launch.

Software Developer — **June 2025 – Sep 2025**
Google Summer of Code – Python Software Foundation — *Remote*

- Enhanced the PyLadiesCon Sponsorship Portal for the Python Software Foundation's global women-in-tech conference, enabling sponsor tracking ahead of the event, by delivering a coordinator dashboard on a pre-conference deadline.
- Reduced manual tracking time by 70% for 7 active sponsors, by defining dashboard requirements through product discovery with conference coordinators and existing sponsors and prioritizing features that unblocked active sponsor negotiations.
- Launched the coordinator dashboard with zero bugs reported after launch, by building it end to end in Django and Docker and testing every feature to the team's 95%+ coverage standard before merging.
- Onboarded 2 new enterprise sponsors with bespoke technical requirements, by converting their needs into product requirements and partnering with Engineering on delivery.

Projects

UAlbany Shuttle Tracker, Product & Engineering Lead (July 2026 – Present)

- Validated a campus transit information gap through a research survey of 100+ students, translating findings into a defined product roadmap and core feature set (live tracking, schedules, trip search).
- Took the app from idea to a beta with 25 users, iterating on beta feedback in React Native; pitching to UAlbany Parking & Transit (Dec 2026) for campus-wide adoption.

FinBot, Headstarter AI (2024): Led product and engineering for an LLM-powered fintech advisory chatbot, conducting user research and coordinating a cross-functional launch; placed top 3 of all teams at demo day.

Teardowns & PRDs (2026): Disney+ Collections, Instagram Instants, TikTok Inner Circle; featured on portfolio.

Honors, Awards & Certifications

Black Excellence Admissions Scholarship (UWO) | Dean's List, every semester | Omicron Delta Kappa Honor Society | Bain & Company BEL Fellow | CodePath Applied AI Engineering (Certification, 2026)