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Summary

A digital product designer with two decades of experience. I excel in creating user-friendly solutions, rooted in the design thinking process. I thrive on collaboration, enjoy solving complex problems, and have a track record of leading successful projects.

Skills

- UX Research
- UI Design
- Prototyping
- Design Systems
- Collaboration
- Critical Thinking

Experience

Sr UX/UI Designer

Scaled Agile

Sep 2018 – Present

- Aligns user needs and business goals using research insights
- Facilitates cross-team communication
- Contributes to innovative design, actionable solutions
- Rapid prototyping, user feedback refinement
- Manages comprehensive design system, ensures consistency

UX/UI Career Mentor

Springboard

May 2020 – Sep 2023

- Offers personalized career guidance, goal-setting for UX/UI students
- Conducts portfolio reviews, gives constructive feedback
- Shares design insights, market trends, networking strategies
- Collaborates on curriculum alignment with industry trends, practical skills

Sr. UX/UI Designer

Concentrix (T-Mobile)

Sep 2017 – Feb 2018

- Crafted UI for T-Mobile's Sentinel app, aligning with the brand and user expectations
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to translate design concepts
- Led responsive design, improved accessibility, engagement
- Integrated new designs into T-Mobile's GLUE design system for consistency
- Contributed to design research with competitor analysis, trend exploration, and user feedback analysis

Principal Product Designer

Antfarm Collaborative

Nov 2013 – Aug 2017

- Founded/led design agency 4 yrs, projects for startups to Fortune firms
- Directed end-to-end product design, skilled team leadership
- Created award-winning Stackup app, conducted classroom user research
- Collaborated with Towers Watson, Microsoft, BeVisible, WellTok

Sr. UX/UI Engineer

Welltok (acquired by Virgin Pulse)

Nov 2012 – Nov 2013

- UI design, rapid prototyping, style guide maintenance
- Collaborated with UX and development teams
- Converted design assets into application code
- Developed HTML/CSS/JavaScript component library

Sr. Frontend Developer

Oppenheimer Funds (acquired by Invesco)

Jan 2011 – Nov 2012

- Redesigned user registration, 900% increase, reduced call center cases
- Enhanced user engagement, and drove business success with UX and front-end work
- Led in-house usability group, used insights for product improvements
- Collaborated end-to-end on a new enterprise sales platform
- Created an award-winning mobile marketing website

Lead Frontend Developer

Healthgrades

Feb 2010 – Jan 2011

- Led UI Team creation, bridging design-development collaboration
- Earned Employee of the Quarter for exceptional contributions
- Audited CSS code, refactored and streamlined style sheets
- Developed key HTML style guides for core re-branding
- Optimized team dynamics, interface implementation, code quality

Sr. Frontend Developer

Crocs

Feb 2010 – Jan 2011

- Developed templates for Crocs' retail websites, global eCommerce
- Increased brand visibility in 30+ countries
- Improved user experiences in emerging markets
- Applied accessibility, localization best practices

Lead Designer

Page 1 Solutions

Jul 2005 – Jul 2009

- Led 10-12 designers
- Designed, developed, and maintained 60+ client websites/apps
- Advanced from Design Assistant to Senior Developer to Team Lead

Adjunct Faculty

Platt College

Aug 2006 – Apr 2007

- Taught UX, UI, and Front-end Dev courses: intro, intermediate, advanced
- Mentored students in core and advanced concepts
- Assisted in syllabus planning and custom materials creation
- Managed fair grading for 15+ students over 3 semesters

Jr. Designer

Anark Corporation

Aug 2006 – Apr 2007

- Created detailed 3D models for Airbus and Boeing troubleshooting
- Designed Sony ATV3 components for enhanced user experience
- Versatile skills in web design, 3D modeling, video editing
- Contributed to impactful projects, company growth

Education

The Art Institutes

Bachelor of Science (BS), Multimedia Arts

2002 – 2004

The Art Institutes

Associate of Arts (AA), Computer Animation

1999 – 2002

Honors & Awards

Denver Post: Startup of the Year - Denver Post

Aug 2016

Best in Show - The OMMA Awards

Mar 2012

Employee of the Quarter - HealthGrades, Inc

Aug 2010

Featured Portfolio - CSS Drive

Mar 2009

Dean's List - Art Institute of Pittsburgh

Jun 2004

Certificate of Appreciation - National Multiple Sclerosis Society

Jun 2004

References are available upon request.