Anuka Zandanshatar

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SUMMARY

Known as a reliable and positive problem solver with a passion to create easy-to-use applications and websites.

CODING PROJECTS

Full-Stack Web Development   **2 weeks**

- Created application with both front and back-end
- Used Node.js and Express.js to create a RESTful API.
- Use Handlebars.js as the templating engine.
- Use MySQL and the Sequelize ORM for the database.
- Be deployed using Heroku (with data).
- Designed a polished, responsible, and interactive UI.
- Included authentication (express-session and cookies).
- Protected API keys and sensitive information with environment variables.

WORK EXPERIENCE

UX Web Designer   **Feb '21 -Feb '22**
Erdene Resource Development

- Design and prototype original high-fidelity Figma websites independently
- Evolve designs based on feedback and present to international stakeholders weekly
- Conduct market research to create a competitive website
- Construct SEO strategies and work with back-end development to implement changes
- Study subject matter and curate content to make the websites more accessible for novice users
- Strategize information to international audience by writing in both English and Mongolian

Program Manager and Researcher   **July '20 - March '21**
UCSD Design Lab

- Led the ideation, implementation, and evaluation of a design program with Sony Human Factors team
- Oversaw activity of 30 students and 15 mentors while collaborating with stakeholders
- Conducted user research (surveys, interviews, and user engagement) throughout program
- Leveraged research insights and design thinking to continuously improve program experience
- Led retrospective studies to reflect data collected to develop the next program iteration
- Presented research findings and next iteration plan to Sony liaisons

TOOLS

Front-End: HTML, CSS, Javascript, React.js
Dev Tools: Git, npm, Jest
Back-End: Express, Node.js
UX Design: Figma, Sketch, AutoCAD, Illustrator

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Cognitive Science (Design and Interaction)   **University of California, San Diego**