Toyibat Salako
Product Designer

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Portfolio Link

Figma Portfolio Link:

https://www.figma.com/proto/fFMNUktCpCv5gjy9OveBZ8/Toyibat's-Portfolio-Prototype?page-id=0%3A1&node-id=432-324&starting-point-node-id=432%3A324&scaling=scale-down&content-scaling=fixed&t=gPXurN6gIYVYMxB5-1

Portfolio Website Link:
https://toyibat-portfolio-website.vercel.app/

Skills

- User Interface (UI)
- User Experience (UX)
- User Centred Design
- Wire-framing & Prototyping
- User Persona and Usability Testing
- Product Management

About me

I am an innovative Product Designer passionate about creating User-centered, detail-oriented designs. With experience in User Research, Wireframing, Prototyping, and User Testing, I bring a blend of creativity and technical skills to each project. I am a First-Class graduate in Islamic Studies Education (B.A. Ed.). I have foundational knowledge in Front-end development (HTML, CSS, JavaScript) and Product Management, which enhances my creative thinking and versatility. I have a great teamwork spirit. I excel at translating ideas into polished, user-friendly designs and am committed to staying updated with industry trends to create inclusive, impactful products.

Education

Product Design (UI/UX)
Tech4Dev   Oct. 2023 - Oct. 2024

Women Techsters Fellowship Program (Class of 2024)
Honour: Magna Cum Laude
Date of Graduation: 31st October, 2024.

Postgraduate Diploma (PGD)
Postgraduate Diploma (PGD), Human   Sept. 2023 - Nov. 2023
Resource Management.

International College of Safety and Management Professional (ICSMP).

Bachelor of Arts in Education (B.A. Ed.) Islamic Studies
Tai Solarin University of Education,   Sept. 2017 - Nov. 2021
Ijagun, Ogun State, Nigeria.
College of Humanities (COHUM)
Department of Religious Studies (Islamic Studies Unit)
First Class Honors Division
Date of Graduation: 8th February, 2022.

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Compensation and Benefit Professional (CCBP)
  November 2023
- Certified Training and Development Professional (CTDP)
  November 2023
- Human Resource Management Professional (HRMP)
  November 2023

Skills (continuation)

- HTML/CSS & JavaScript
- Journey Mapping
- Teamwork and Collaboration
- Time Management
- User Research
- Information Architecture
- Problem Solving
- Creative Thinking
- Research
- Knowledge of Islamic Finance Principles
- Human Resource Management
- Leadership and Business Acumen

Tools

- Figma
- Visual Studio Code
- Vercel
- GitHub
- Zeplin
- Notion
- Canva
- Trello
- Miro
- InVision
- Asana

Languages

- English
- Yoruba

Job Experience

- **Product Designer (Capstone Project)**
  Women Techsters Fellowship Program (Class of 2024)
  Tech4Dev   Feb. 2024 - May 2024

  Designed as the sole Product Designer collaborating with cross-functional teams to bring a product from ideation to the final stage. Led the design process from low - to high fidelity wireframes, prototyping, and design handoffs.

- **Administrative Staff (OAU, IFEDS, Osun State Nigeria.)**
  National Youth Service Corps (NYSC)   Jan. 2023 - Nov. 2023

  Worked as an Admin Staff at Obafemi Awolowo University (OAU) at the Institute For Entrepreneurship and Development Studies (IFEDS).

- **Teaching Practice (TP) exercise 2020/2021 session.**
  Tai Solarin University of Education Secondary School (TASUESS) Ijebu-Ode, Ogun State, Nigeria.   March 2021 - July 2021

  Taught Junior and Senior Secondary School students Islamic Religious Studies at Tai Solarin University of Education Secondary School, Ijebu-Ode, Ogun State, Nigeria.

Volunteering Experience

- **Web Development and Design Volunteer**
  Al-Hayat Relief Foundation   October 2024

  Contributed to website development and design to enhance user experience and online presence of the organisation.

- **Tech Girls Drive Organiser**
  Adeola Odutola College, Ogun State, Nigeria.
  Tech4Dev (Women Techsters Fellowship Programme Class of 2024)   March 2024

  Led and Organised a Tech Girls Drive event with my group members to introduce girls to tech, enlighten them on technology careers and promote tech skills in celebration of Women's Month.

- **Educational Outreach Coordinator**
  Ife Girls High School, Osun State, Nigeria.
  NYSC Education CDS Group   October 2023

  Led and Organised an Educational outreach program to inspire and educate high school students (girls) about future educational opportunities.

- **Community Outreach Coordinator**
  Sabo Market, Ile-Ife, Osun State, Nigeria.
  NYSC Education CDS Group   July 2023

  Led and Organised an educational outreach program to inspire and enlighten the local community and encourage learning for themselves and their children.

Trainings

1. Business Fundamental Training
- Organizer: Kudimata in collaboration with NYSC.
- Sponsor: NNPC
- Date: March 2024
- Description: Participated and completed a training on Business Fundamentals.

2. Basic Financial Education Training
- Organizer: Kudimata in collaboration with NYSC.
- Sponsor: NNPC
- Date: September 2023
- Description: Participated and completed a training on Basic Financial Education.

ACHIEVEMENTS (HONORS AND AWARDS)

- Magna Cum Laude in Product Design (UI/UX Design) 2024
- President, Education Community Development Service (CDS) Group during NYSC at Ile-Ife, Osun State, Nigeria. 2023
- Departmental Prize for Best Graduating Student in the Department of Islamic Religious Studies in 2020/2021 set. 2022
- First Class Honors in Islamic Studies Education (B.A. Ed.) 2022
- Mosque Prefect Award in Secondary School (TASUESS) 2016/2017 set. 2017
- Price for Best Student in Islamic Religious Studies (IRS) in SS3 (TASUESS) by Alhaji Tunde Oduwole 2016/2017 set. 2017
- Award of the Principal (Principal's Price) for well-behaved student (TASUESS) three consecutive times. 2014/2015, 2015/2016 and 2016/2017 set. 2015 - 2017

Certifications

- Product Management Certificate at Great Learning Academy. December 2024
- Certificate of Completion in Product Design Learning Track of the Women Techsters Fellowship Program (Class of 2024) an initiative of TECH4DEV. October 2024
- Certificate of Completion in Basic Digital Literacy Course on Digital For All Challenge (DFA) 2.0 an initiative of Tech4Dev in Partnership with NITDA and ATC Nigeria. September 2024
- "Career Essentials in Generative AI" Certificate by Microsoft and LinkedIn from Linkedin Learning. September 2024
- "Introduction to Artificial Intelligence" Course Certificate by Doug Rose From Linkedin Learning (Sponsors: NASBA CPE). September 2024
- "Ethics in the Age of Generative AI" Course Certificate by Vilas Dhar From Linkedin Learning (Project Management Institute [PMI]) August 2024
- "Streamlining Your Work with Microsoft Copilot" Course Certificate by Nick Brazzi From Linkedin Learning. August 2024
- "Generative AI: The Evolution of Thoughtful Online Search" Course Certificate by Ashley Kennedy From Linkedin Learning. August 2024
- "What is Generative AI?" Course Certificate by Pinar Seyhan Demirdag From Linkedin Learning (Sponsors: NASBA CPE). August 2024
- UI/UX for Beginners Certificate at Great Learning Academy. April 2024
- Human Resource Management Certificate at Great Learning Academy. April 2024
- Business Fundamental Training Certificate offered by Kudimata, NNPC and NYSC. March 2024
- Certificate of Completion in Basic Digital Literacy (BDL) Competency Test Offered by Digital Skills Nigeria and Certified by Tech4Dev in collaboration with Microsoft. January 2024
- Certificate of National Service given by National Youth Service Corps (NYSC). November 2023
- Basic Financial Education Certificate offered by Kudimata, NNPC and NYSC. September 2023
- Certified UI/UX Designer at CWW Tech Africa Training Program (Cohort 4.0). August 2023
- Bachelor of Arts (Education) B.A. Ed. in Islamic Studies Certificate with First Class Honours from Tai Solarin University of Education, Nigeria. February 2022

Membership And Affiliations

- Member, Alumni Women Techsters Fellowship Program Class of 2024, an initiative of Tech4Dev. October 2024 - Present
- Associate, International Chattered for Human Resource Management, AICHRM, (ICSP007088) Sept. 2023 - Present

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References

- Available Upon Request.

Membership And Affiliations (cont.)

- Member, Education Community Development Service Group (CDS), National Youth Service Corps (NYSC), Ife Central Local Government, Ile-Ife, Osun State Nigeria.   Jan. 2023 - Present

- Member Muslim Corpers Association of Nigeria (MCAN) Osun State, Nigeria.   Nov. 2022 - Present

- Member, Alumni Tai Solarin University of Education, Ijagun, Ogun State, Nigeria.   Feb. 2022 - Present

- Member, Islamic Studies Students Association of Nigeria. (ISSAN) (TASUED Branch)   2017 - Present

- Member, Girls in Science Project.   2011 - 2014

- Member, Young Readers Club.   2009 - 2011