

ENTERPRISE DESIGN SYSTEM



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MISSION BRIEF

Target: Fragmented ecosystem of 120+ internal applications spanning 40 years of development.

Objective: Create unified design system enabling systematic modernization.

Scope: Global layouts, component libraries, pattern taxonomy, Figma prototypes, comprehensive design guide book.

"I am telling you! The text on those old apps was GREEN!!no mouse, just keyboard inputs.... users are super fast on those, adding modern solutions might slow them down..."
-Agent ██████████

Client Branding:

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"A lot of them had different info processed the same way, with that we categorized them into ~10 categories..... those were important for patterns latter...."
-Agent ██████████

EXECUTION PROTOCOL

Phase 1: INTEL GATHERING

- Client liaison & stakeholder alignment
- Strategic scope reduction: request to exclude duplicate applications (same functionality, different data)
- Systematic audit of ~30 core unique applications (from 120+ total ecosystem)
- Categorization into 10 categories + pattern recognition
- Edge case documentation for modernization roadmap

Phase 2: SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

- Global layout system (Desktop + Mobile + Old resolutions)
- Pattern library + niche patterns of speed oriented menus and inputs
- Component taxonomy
- Figma prototype demonstrations

Phase 3: DEPLOYMENT PREP

- Design guidebook (UX patterns + usage)
- Developer handoff specifications
- Adoption roadmap for ██████████ teams

"This process took 6 months with a team of 2.5 people."
-Agent ██████████

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RESULTS

Change of this scale isn't trivial. 120+ applications × 40 years of technical debt = enormous coordination. Definitive ROI emerges over ██████████ years as teams adopt system-wide.

IMMEDIATE WINS

- Design/Dev alignment time slashed
- Component reuse established
- First ██████████ apps on modernization track

ONBOARDING SPEED

SINGLE SOURCE OF TRUTH

LOST PROCESSES

CRITICAL INFO UPDATES

SYSTEM-WIDE GAINS

██████████x faster

Critical info unified

██████████% reduction risk

Simplified across ██████████ teams

Longitudinal measurement

"Out of our hands now. They have a plan. If it works, it's gonna make a measurable difference"
-Agent ██████████

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