Your Future in UX Design: The Job Landscape course

Resources to explore
If you're interested in learning more about a career in UX design, here are some resources you can explore, bookmark, and keep in mind if you want to explore more about UX design and stay in touch with the latest developments in the field. This is a curated listing. There are many organizations and websites to explore, depending on your interests.

Free learning opportunities to build skills
Here are some recommended sites to check out if you're interested in learning more about the basics of UX design.

Note: You'll need to sign up for a free account for the following online learning opportunities.

- Gymnasium offers free UX courses, tutorials, and webinars.
- learnUX offers a variety of no-cost video courses related to UX design.
- Alison offers several free online courses related to UX design.
- The UX Design Institute offers a free Introduction to UX Design course to learn the essential concepts of UX design over bite-sized lessons designed for beginners looking to understand what UX is.
- Springboard offers a free UX design course to explore the processes, tools, and methodologies of UX/UI design and gain insights into the industry and related careers.
- CareerFoundry offers a free UX design short course that provides a thorough introduction to UX design—from what it is and why it matters to the skills required to be successful in the field.

You can also take advantage of IBM SkillsBuild to power your future with job skills, courses, digital credentials, and more.

Professional organizations to consider
- Nielsen Norman Group (NN/g) is a globally recognized authority in the field of UX design. Their training seminars and conferences are invaluable resources for aspiring UX designers.
- The User Experience Professionals Association (UXPA) is an international organization focused on promoting and supporting the UX profession. UXPA offers a variety of resources, events, and networking opportunities for UX professionals.
- The Interaction Design Association (IAD) is a global organization dedicated to advancing the practice of interaction design. IAD serves as a hub for interaction design professionals, offering resources, networking opportunities, and knowledge-sharing platforms.

News and blogs to stay current

- [Smashing Magazine](#) is a popular online publication that covers a wide range of topics related to web design and UX design. It offers in-depth articles, tutorials, and resources for designers and developers, focusing on best practices and trends in UX/UI design.
- [UX BOOTH](#) is an online platform that publishes articles, case studies, and guides related to UX design.
- [UX Magazine](#) provides articles, interviews, and insights into the world of UX design. It offers a comprehensive view of UX from different perspectives, including industry trends and expert opinions.
- [UsabilityGeek](#) is a blog and resource center focusing on usability and user-centered design. It delves into practical aspects of usability testing, user research, and interface design.
- [Dribbble](#) is a platform for designers to showcase their work, get feedback, and discover design inspiration.
- [Behance](#) is a platform for creative professionals to showcase their portfolios, including UX/UI design projects. The [Behance Blog](#) provides updates, inspiration, and more from the Behance community.
- The [UX Design Institute Blog](#) offers fresh insights from experts, alumni, and the wider design community, including design fundamentals, interviews, and how-to guides.