# Mauricio Botero Vallejo

UX Researcher | Designer & Design Strategist



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ES Native (C2)

EN Advanced (B2)

#### **Profile**

I'm a UX Researcher | Designer in love with interaction systems, cities, people, solving problems, and trying to understand how the world works.

I believe in economic growth and well being as an opportunity for Design disciplines. Our responsibility to provide tools for social impact.

#### **Awards**

Honor roll student

2016 - 2020

National Scholarship

#### **Education**

# **Interaction Design**

Universidad Icesi

2016 - PRESENT (10<sup>th</sup> Semester) Cali, Colombia

### Contabilización de operaciones comerciales y financieras SENA

**2013 - 2015** Cali, Colombia

#### Courses

# Inclusive Environments Design Council

2019

e-course Design Council, UK

## Work

### Bancoomeva - Semillero Bancoomeva™ Service Designer & Design Strategist

2018

Banks and Millennials are not the best friends. With that in mind, we created a novel product for Bancoomeva. Crowdfunding loans for students and young entrepreneurs.

#### Eficacia - Eficacia™ Intranet

#### **UX Consultant & UX Designer**

2019

Working on the integrated platform for employees and job applicants for Eficacia $^{\text{\tiny{M}}}$ .

# Universidad Icesi - UXLab

#### **UX Teaching assistant**

2020

Support, advise and help Design students with their projects and doubts during the class. In the Bootcamp project, manage teams to work with big-name companies, local businesses, and National Industry corporations solving problems that they bring to UX Lab Icesi.

# 418 Media Lab **UX Designer**

2017 - 2020

Research, prototyping and development of "Universo de Duino" an interactive book for learning electronics in kids.

#### i2t Research Group

#### **UX Designer & Junior Researcher**

2019 - PRESEN

Developing Incognitus<sup>™</sup> a software tool made to be included in a big Parkinson's disease diagnostics package that unifies some of the most used diagnostics tests in a new form factor that can be easily solved and provides specialists with information about their patients in a short amount of time. Incognitus was part of my graduation project.

- Collaborated in the research of Parkinson's Disease project.
- Created wireframes, prototypes, and recollected data from users through design methods.

Currently, working on several tech-research projects alongside Incognitus™ as a Junior Researcher.

#### **Skills**

#### **User Research**

Perspicacious

Revealing the needs from the user's perspective, exploring behaviors and motivations, and able of communicating with developers, engineers, and design teams.

#### **UX/UI Design**

Clarity

Capable of creating wireframes, applying visual guidelines, tackle complex tasks improving interfaces, and optimizing user experiences.

#### **Design Strategist**

Polyvalent

Able to solve complex and systemic problems pursuing innovation and transformation, shaping strategies, and launching game-changing products and initiatives.