Mauricio **Botero Vallejo**

UX Researcher & Design Strategist



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ES Native (C2) EN Advanced (B2)

Profile

Designer and researcher in love of creating great experiences for users. Capable of research, analyze and propose new ideas based on user's necessities.

Emphatic and believing in design as a research, analytical, versatile, traversal and proactive discipline.

Awards

Honor roll student

National Scholarship

Education

Interaction Design Universidad Icesi

2016 - PRESENT (9° Semester) Cali, Colombia

Contabilización de operaciones comerciales y financieras SENA

2013 - 2015 Cali, Colombia

Courses

Inclusive Environments Design Council

e-course Design Council, UK

Work

Universidad Icesi - English Learning Center **English Tutoring**

2017 - 2020

Support students with their language learning difficulties.

Universidad Icesi - IT Department

Create visual material, video editing, filmmaking and animations for the communication team.

Universidad Icesi - UXLab **UX Teaching assistant**

Creative Designer

2020 - PRESENT

Supporting students and it's necessities trough their classes. The students are working side by side with big name companies and helping the local industries through their innovation process.

418 Media Lab **UX Designer**

2017 - PRESENT

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

i2t Research Group

UX Researcher - UX Designer

Collaborate in research of Parkinson's Disease project, creating wire-frames and gathering data from users through design methods.

Currently, working on my thesis project, focused on improving the application of diagnostic tests in patients with Parkinson's disease. In alliance with Fundación Valle del Lili.

Skills

User Research

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

UX/UI Design

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

Design Strategist

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