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EXPERIENCE

Apple — Product Designer, AR/VR (Contract via Magnit)

Cupertino, California, US - 02/2024 - 08/2024

- On-site with the Special Projects Group, Marcom.
- R&D of AI/ML, spatial computing, and 3D web (WebGL).

Meta — AR Product Design Intern, Reality Labs

Burlingame, California, US — 05/2023 - 08/2023

- Led the design of a Core UX flow for the AR Glasses, Project Nazare.
- Worked on the art direction, flow, UX & prototyping in Unity.
- Collaborated on the project with multiple ICs, PMs, and engineers.
- Received approval from the leadership and positive feedback up to the VP level.

PlaybookXR — *AR/VR Designer (Part-Time Contract)*

Los Angeles, California, US -11/2022 - 04/2023

- Developed POCs in Unity for skybox and texture Al generation.
- Designed a new locomotion system for the Quest app.
- Researched & conceptualized directions for the new controllers UX
 & IA in the Quest app.

Freelancer / Contractor — Designer

Remote - 09/2019 - 04/2023

- Led design of digital products (web, mobile app, brand) at Undout,
 built a fully functional alarm clock (custom software + hardware) and
 delivered it to 220 customers after fundraising 550k CZK.
- Designed a new product website for XTND.
- Designed the first MVP version of a browser extension, Verifee, which helped raise \$0.6M from Google.
- Redesigned a city routing planner mobile app, Fuzee.

Studio Godsey — *Product Designer (Freelance)*

Remote - 05/2020 - 08/2022

- Redesigned a mobile app for Wondr, creating a new design system in Figma, UX, interaction, and visual design. Leading to a 75% increase in users preferring the mobile app over the web app with 220,000+ annually paying participants.
- Designed a new integration flow for Zero Fasting, allowing
 5,000,000+ users to connect Oura, Fitbit, and Dexcom devices.

SOFTWARE

Unity, C#, Adobe After Effects, 3D, Blender, Cinema 4D, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, p5.js, SparkAR, Lightship ARDK, Oculus SDK, Lens Studio, Python, AR, VR, Growth, Design Systems, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Figma, Sketch, Webflow, Framer

TALKS & INTERVIEWS

Czech at Apple and Meta CZECHCRUNCH Oct 2024

Breaking Into AR/VR

SAIC + University of Chicago Apr 2024

Designing for VR

KISK, Masaryk University Nov 2023

LinkedIn & Career Workshop

Nadání a dovednosti Dec 2019, Mar 2020

Growth in Design

Still Iterating Podcast Feb 2020

UX/UI and Internships

Proudly Podcast Jul 2019

Personal Brand on LinkedIn

LinkedIn Summit CZE Jun 2019

ZOE — Product Design Intern

London, UK - 06/2021 - 09/2021

- Developed acquisition landing page experiments that led to increased activation rates.
- Designed a prototype on UserTesting.com and conducted user research on the entire acquisition flow.
- Shipped an improved version of an acquisition quiz.

Kiwi.com — Associate Product Designer (Contract)

Prague, Czechia — 02/2021 - 05/2021

- Designed a fake-door test for a new fare lock feature, resulting in a 12% open rate and 3% usage rate, which proved the feature's viability and started full product development.
- Designed a new flight check-in feature for Android and iOS.
- Designed app star rating growth experiments for Android and iOS.

Avast — Product Design Intern

Prague, Czechia — 07/2019 - 11/2019

 Designed a concept for a parental control child app, leading the entire design process from research to prototyping and user testing, with a focus on product and visual design.

Mavvo — Design Intern (Part-Time)

Prague, Czechia — 11/2018 - 10/2019

- Designed a new website and brand identity for a construction firm.
- Designed concepts for various apps and websites.

EDUCATION

ArtCenter College of Design — BS, Interaction Design

Pasadena, California, US — 09/2022 - Present

- Prototyping, Interactive Art, and XR.

RECOGNITIONS & AWARDS

Beautifully Designed & Super Effective Portfolios, Wall of Portfolios, 2024

7 Portfolio Websites Designers NEED to See, Andres The Designer, 2024

UX Design Weekly Newsletter, 2022

Bestfolios, 2019, 2020, 2022

TOP 3 High Schooler in Czechia, 2022

Best Design Portfolios, Playbook, 2021

Startup Product Design Portfolio, Dribbble Stories, 2021

Portfolio of the Day, Pfolios, 2021

Design Portfolios, Dribbble Blog, 2021

Case Study Club Newsletter, 2020

1st place Startup Weekend Ostrava, 2019

2nd place Startup Weekend Zilina, 2019

1st place Startup Weekend Prague, 2019

1st place Startup Weekend Olomouc, 2019

3rd place Teendesign (Visual Communication), 2018