## Setu Kathawate

Product Design | Research | Strategy

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Full-stack product designer with a proven track record for solving complex business problems and setting people, teams, and organizations up for success through Leadership and Design Thinking.

#### **Education**

# University Of Washington

Seattle, WA | SEP 2015 - MAR 2017 M.S in Human Centered Design & Engineering | CGPA 3.92 / 4.00

### **Skills**

Product Strategy • Interaction Design

- Problem Discovery
   Visual Design
- Facilitation Problem & Feature

Prioritization ullet Empathy ullet Cross-

functional Collaboration • Curiosity

• Self-development

#### **Tools**

User Research Methods ● Usability
Studies ● Adobe XD ● Illustrator ●
Photoshop ● Sketch ● Zeplin ● HTML/
CSS ● Pen, Paper & Whiteboard

# **Experience**

# The Home Depot

Sr. UX Designer | Enterprise UX APR 2018 - PRESENT

Designed & shipped 7 software tools and applications for The Home Depot's fulfillment centers that have increased the operational efficiency of buildings by >25% resulting in better online customer shopping and delivery experience.

Helped grow the UX practices and awareness within the product and UX teams through education, inclusivity and empathy resulting in better collaboration and stronger relationships with product and UX partners.

### **UW Medicine**

UX Designer [Contract] DEC 2017 - MAR 2018

Owned the responsibility and delivered 14 high-fidelity, production-ready web and mobile screen mockups in 2 days, after the contracted design agency was unable to deliver the designs on-time. As a result, there was no delay in the project timelines and the new website was launched as scheduled.

#### Premera Blue Cross

UX Designer [Contract] MAY 2017 - DEC 2017

Led the UX efforts to help Premera's customers confidently find the providers or facilities covered by their insurance plan by designing an efficient Provider Search tool.

#### Eventosaur

Co-Founder / Product Designer MAR 2015 - JAN 2019

Designed and shipped an online platform in India that connected event hosts with event vendors thereby reducing the friction in vendor discovery. The startup made >\$5M INR in profits and served 500+ customers.