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USER EXPERIENCE DESIGNER

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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

User Research Skills

- Proficient in early-stage concept validation and adept in both generative and exploratory research methods.
- Experienced in a range of user research techniques, with the ability to clearly communicate findings to enhance user empathy.
- Skilled in integrating user research into product iterations and creating visual artifacts like wireframes and prototypes.

User Experience Design Skills

- Strong design acumen focused on impactful user experiences, with proficiency in Adobe Creative Suite.
- Experienced in using prototyping tools like Figma, Balsamiq, Adobe XD, Sketch, and InVision.
- Capable of incorporating user and usability testing seamlessly into the prototyping process.

Independent Team Player

- Effective team collaborator with the capacity to execute tasks independently and proactively address potential issues.
- Demonstrates initiative and adaptability, handling tasks of varying scales to support team goals.
- Anticipates challenges and contributes actively to team efforts, ensuring high-quality outcomes.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Junior User Experience Designer

Ministry of Transportation, Toronto, ON

Jan. 2024 – Apr. 2024

- Member of Computer Coding Club at Centennial College, a student-led group that helps improve technical skills.
 Orchestrated the UX/UI design for an individual journal web application using Figma, emphasizing intuitive user experience and interactive interface design.
- Prioritized user-centered design principles in Figma, creating wireframes and prototypes, and conducting usability testing to refine the interface.
- Styled the application with CSS for a visually engaging and cohesive user interface, aligning with the established design system.

EDUCATION

Software Engineering Technology (Co-op) Advanced Diploma

Centennial College, Toronto, ON

Jan. 2023 - Present *GPA: 4.32/4.5 (A)*

Coursework: Software Requirements (Python) Pro

Database Concepts (SQL)

Programming (C#)
Unix/Linux OS

Web Development (JavaScript) Java Programming (Java)

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Bachelor of Art Digital Experience Design

George Brown College, Toronto, ON

Jan. 2021 - Dec. 2022

GPA: 3.94/4.0

Coursework: Information Architecture

Design Process & Management

Interface Development Usability Testing

Interaction Design Theory Digital Experience Design

AWARD & CERTIFICATION

OPS Phenomenal Hackathon AI chatbot – 2nd place in the section "User-centered and accessible"

- Role: UX UI Designer
- Description:

- Played a pivotal role in the creation of a web-based platform aimed at addressing the challenges faced by Food Bank users in accessing information about events, programs, and food drives, while also enhancing communication tools for organizers and operators
- Leveraged Figma for UI/UX design, focusing on creating an intuitive and user-friendly interface

Achievements:

- Demonstrated exceptional collaboration skills by working closely with developers and stakeholders to align design with functionality and user needs
- Successfully delivered an aesthetically pleasing and highly functional interface that enhances user engagement and accessibility through a collaborative and iterative design process

Skills:

 UX/UI Design, Figma, User-Centric Design, Collaboration with Developers, Frontend Technologies (React, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, Material UI), Web Accessibility Considerations, Project Planning

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Scarborough Food Network Hackathon - Foodbank App

• Role: UX UI Designer

Description:

- Played a pivotal role in the creation of a web-based platform aimed at addressing the challenges faced by Food Bank users in accessing information about events, programs, and food drives, while also enhancing communication tools for organizers and operators
- Leveraged Figma for UI/UX design, focusing on creating an intuitive and user-friendly interface
- Collaborated closely with the development team working with React, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, and Material UI to bring the design vision to life
- Ensured a seamless user experience, with a strong emphasis on accessibility for all users, and actively sought feedback from team members to refine the design

Achievements:

- Demonstrated exceptional collaboration skills by working closely with developers and stakeholders to align design with functionality and user needs
- Successfully delivered an aesthetically pleasing and highly functional interface that enhances user engagement and accessibility through a collaborative and iterative design process

• Skills:

UX/UI Design, Figma, User-Centric Design, Collaboration with Developers, Frontend Technologies (React, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, Material UI), Web Accessibility Considerations, Project Planning

Journal App

- Role: UX UI Designer & Developer
- Description:
 - o Orchestrated the UX/UI design for an individual journal web application using Figma, emphasizing intuitive user experience and interactive interface design.
 - Prioritized user-centered design principles in Figma, creating wireframes and prototypes, and conducting usability testing to refine the interface.
 - Styled the application with CSS for a visually engaging and cohesive user interface, aligning with the established design system.

• Achievements:

- Successfully delivered a user-friendly journaling application with a focus on UX/UI design, demonstrating strong initiative and design skills.
- Enhanced user engagement through thoughtful UX/UI design, contributing to a seamless and interactive application experience.

Skills:

 UX UI design, Wireframing, Project Planning, CSS Styling, Front-End Development, CRUD Implementation, Independent Project Execution, Git (Version Control)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE