Suraj Thotakura

Product Designer

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Work Experience

Webex (Cisco)   2020 - Present

Product Designer

Worked on a WebRTC based video calling app for customer relationship management in healthcare, customer and field services

- Designed a **group video conference interface** with annotations, remote device control, chat and other features for National Health Service (NHS) trusts
- Designed various customer management features end to end, from conducting **UX research** to **prototyping**
- Conducted **usability testing interviews** for pre-development and production environments
- Developed **UI components** based on **Momentum Design System** and maintained a **Storybook** library with **ReactJS**
- Experienced in **design hand-off** and **design implementation review**

IMI Mobile   2019 - 2020

UI/UX Design Intern

- Built a **design system** along with a **sketch component library**, which significantly improved design consistency and feature delivery of IMI-Assist (WebRTC based video calling app)

Education

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani Hyderabad   2016 - 2020

B.E. (Hons.) Mechanical Engineering

- Was elected as the **General Secretary** (2018-19), with a **70% vote majority**, representing over **3500 students**
- Was unanimously elected as the **Joint Secretary** of Designers Anonymous, the design club of BITS
- Spearheaded the coordination of **three national fests**, campus events and various student activities
- **Mentored ~20 juniors** in graphic design; hosted several workshops on Photoshop and Illustrator

Sri Chaitanya Jr Kalasala Telangana State Board of Intermediate   2015 - 2016

Intermediate, Science Stream

- Secured JEE **top 1%ile**; part of JEE fast-track batch, consisting of the top 20 of 300 students

Skills

Design
Figma, Sketch, Photoshop, Illustrator, After Effects, Blender

Development
Javascript, React, HTML, CSS

Other
CAD, PCB design

Interests
Mechanical Keyboards, Music, Tennis