**Tahaylia Higgins**

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**SUMMARY**

Detail-oriented UI/UX designer student with strong problem-solving skills and a collaborative approach to design

**EDUCATION**

**B.S. Graphic Information Technology** Expected May 2024

Arizona State University 4.0 GPA

Relevant Courses: Information Design and Usability, Creative Thinking and Design Visualization,

Web Site Design and Internet/Web Technologies, Advanced Web Markup and Scripting,

Digital Illustration in Publishing

**Certificate, Software Engineering** June 2023

Per Scholas, Atlanta, GA

**SKILLS**

**Software:** Figma, Adobe XD, Webflow, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere Pro, After Effects

**Design:** Wireframe/Prototype, Web & Mobile Design, Interactive Design, User Research, Graphic, Frontend Development

**Programming and OS**: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React.js, jQuery, Node.js, API, Git, GitHub, Windows, MacOS

**Foreign languages:** English, Spanish, German

**RELEVANT PROJECTS**

**UI/UX Portfolio** 

* Designed a UI/UX portfolio website using **HTML**, **CSS**, **JS, jQuery plugins** and **AJAX** to showcase my upcoming projects in UI/UX design
* Integrated effective navigation for easy exploration of the portfolio, dark mode, user-friendly interactions and animations to engage visitors and demonstrate a keen understanding of UX principles

**Cake Wrecks Website Redesign**

* Collaborated with team to develop user personas, conduct surveys, and create user flows to inform design decisions, resulting in a more intuitive and user-centric navigation system.
* Conducted a heuristic evaluation to identify and address usability issues on the Cake Wrecks website, leading to a more user-friendly design
* Redesigned the Cake Wrecks website using **Figma** to enhance user experience

**WakeRide Mobile App**

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Evanston Church of God, Evanston, IL: Volunteer Registration Specialist, Remote** 06/2020 - 07/2021

* Conducted over 100 weekly calls to ensure compliance with crowd capacity guidelines during the Covid-19 pandemic
* Addressed and resolved registration-related inquiries promptly via telephone and email

**University of Illinois at Chicago, IL: Graduate Student Instructor**  08/2016 - 05/2018

* Developed and instructed German language lessons using online learning platforms
* Coordinated personalized lessons for tutoring, leading to improvements for students with below average grades
* Collaborated with a diverse team to organize meetings, projects, and events