THERESAMORGAN

UX + PRODUCT DESIGNER

SUMMARY

An outcome-driven UX Designer with a strong creative background across various industries. I've worked as: a visual artist, an educator and a co-creator of 2 small businesses. I fail fast, own problems, and always look for opportunities to grow. I bring empathy, keen intuition and a deep understanding of design thinking principles to every team I am a part of.

EXPERIENCE

UX Design Fellow

Oct 2020

University of Texas, Austin

Austin, TX

UT's UX Design Bootcamp is a 6 month long training program dedicated to give students a deep dive into the world of user experience design, focusing on outcomes, design tools and best practices.

Participated in: HackTX Hackathon, Austin Design Week and Techstar Startup Weekend

Art Instructor

2019-2020

Art plus Academy

Austin, TX

Taught various art mediums to students aged 4 to adults. Tailored lesson plans to meet individual goals. Conducted live demonstrations in charcoal drawing, acrylic and watercolor painting, as well as facilitated art critiques and creative discussion.

Owner 2014 - 2020

The Art Yard

Berkeley, CA

Participated in 22 group shows, 2 solo shows, and sold over 70 original works, and co-creator of 5 murals. Created curriculum for and implemented 2 summer camps and over 60 workshops encompassing art techniques, conquering creative anxiety and exploring creative collaboration. Collaborated on 3 retreats, and developed team building experiences. Finalist at a funding pitch in Vegas. Worked on: murals, commissions, furniture making, and custom CNC designs.

EDUCATION

2021 UI/UX Design Certificate: University of Texas [Current - Jan 2021]

2020 Front-End Engineer Certificate: Codecademy Pro [Current - 36%]

2020 Business Skills Certificate: University of Texas, Austin

2018 The Dale Carnegie 12 week Course: Dale Carnegie

2014 BFA - Painting and Illustration: Academy of Art

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TOOLS

Adobe Creative Suite | Figma |

Adobe XD | Design Thinking

HTML | CSS | Github | Bootstrap

PRESS

2019 "Interview with Therese Morgan,'
Savvy Painter Podcast

2016 "21 under 31," Southwest Art Magazine

AWARDS

2020 1st Place, Techstar Startup Weekend

2020 Finalist, Austin Design Week

2018 Human Relations Award, Dale Carnegie Program

2014 Valedictorian Nomination, Academy of Art University

2014 2nd Place, Annual Artist Competition, Artist Magazine