# **Ahmed Hagar**

Junior product designer & researcher crafting modern, responsive and accessible websites. A writer with a journalism background with 5 years of published writing experience.

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# **Project Experience**

### **Humber College**

Web Development Student | January 2021 - Present

- Worked on project management and user design/research courses and activities
- Practiced UX research methods, such usability tests, crafting user personas, card-sorting, etc.
- Planning website designs with wireframes and mockups
- Collaborated with team members to create presentations and reports showcasing research results and website plans

#### SafeDine

Creator | July 2021 - Oct 2021

- Built a React/Next.js SPA that allows users to find restaurants in their area
- Planned the website design with mockups on Figma
- Conducted usability tests to collect qualitative data on user experience
- Designed UI components with Tailwind CSS

#### **Knights Club**

Co-Developer I May 2021 - Aug 2021

- Built a social media app in a team project in HTML, CSS, and PHP
- Created the wireframes and general website design
- Assisted in the ERD database design in MySQL
- Other features I worked/designed include user registration & login, server-side authentication and user search

# **Other Experience**

#### **Annex Gleaner**

Freelance Contributor | Feb 2018 - Oct 2019

- Published stories and contributed photos for paper serving prominent Toronto neighbourhood
- Routinely arranged and conducted interviews with residents, councillors, and community leaders
- Researched and prepared interviews pertaining relevant issues impacting the community
- Consistently met strict deadlines before publication

#### **Education**

#### Ontario Graduate Certificate, Web Development

Humber College 2021-Present

#### **Bachelor of Arts Honours, Journalism**

University of Toronto

2019

## Ontario Advanced Diploma, Journalism

Centennial College 2018

# Software and applications

#### Design

Figma Adobe Photoshop

Adobe XD

#### **Development**

HTML CSS/Sass
React JavaScript

VS Code SQL (MySQL, Postgres)

## Other Skills

Responsive & Accessible Web Design

Relational Database Design

User Research and Analysis

Wireframing

Prototyping

Interviewing skills

Presentation preparation

Written communication skills