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Summary

An aspiring UX Designer born in Canada, seeking to obtain a full-time entry-level UX Designing position, where I can expand my skills and experiences while facilitating company growth. Organized and motivated employee eager to apply time management and organizational skills in various environments.

Skills

- Designing
- Planning & Organizing
- Time Management
- Critical Thinking
- User Research
- Collaboration
- Wireframing
- Sketching (Digital and/or Pencil & Paper)
- Usability Testing
- Branding
- Webflow
- Prototyping (Figma)

Education

University of Toronto – Toronto, ON | Certificate

UX/UI Bootcamp, Expected in August 2022

George Brown College – Toronto, ON | Graduate Certificate

Building Information Modeling (BIM) Management, August 2021

Ontario Tech University – Oshawa, ON | Bachelor of Engineering (Hons.)

Mechanical Engineering, June 2019

Work Experience

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER (Internship) | October 2020 – August 2021

Greater Toronto Airports Authority (GTAA) – Mississauga, ON

- Research building codes and properly applied to designs.
- Created graphic models using the software Revit 2019 and AutoCAD.
- Maintained architectural construction documentations and drawings for each phase of fast-track projects.
- Interacted with clients to ascertain requirements and desires for custom building facilities.
- Collaborated with multi-disciplinary team to design residential and commercial projects in Mississauga.

Projects

Mennonite New Life Center: Website Redesign (June 2022)

- Collaborated in a team to redesign the website of a non-profit organization, known as 'Mennonite New Life Center', and to improve the usability, expand on accessibility, while creating a smoother user experience for its target audience.
- Conducted user research along with usability tests in order to gather insights.
- Formulated a case study to account for all procedures that were taken in the development of this project from start to finish, including prototypes of the high-fidelity version of the redesigned website and mobile application.

Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada: Responsive Web Redesign UI Case Study (May 2022 - June 2022)

- Group project involved in redesigning an assigned government agency website and processing the final outcome into responsive web design (RWD) standards and case study.
- Conducted research on the UI pain points that the users experience while interacting with the current status of the website and manipulated the results into our own wireframes and prototypes.

iMentor: Mobile App Design (April 2022)

- Created a prototype of a UX Mentorship mobile app set to target UX/UI students/beginners, to match them with experienced UX Designer mentors in order to gain industry insight and feedback.
- Involved in research and brainstorming of the different possibilities and features that could be initiated in development of the app.
- Observed and compared various existing mentoring applications of this day and conducted usability tests to gather insights.