# Aidan Sun

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**EXPERIENCE** 

#### MICROSOFT RESEARCH PROJECT

#### **SPRING 2024**

- Research project done on improving Microsoft's self-help resources for younger users.
- Research heavily centered around the user group, conducting many workshops, Reddit deep dives, interviews, cognitive walkthroughs, etc.
- Final deliverables: Design recommendations, wireframe prototypes.

## PURDUE LIBRARIES RESEARCH PROJECT

#### FALL 2023

- Research project focused on evaluating the Purdue Libraries' online search.
- Used many different research methods: user testing, heuristic evaluation, comparative analysis, workshops, etc.
- Created and conducted research protocols.
- Final deliverables: Design recommendations, research report.

## EXPEDIA GROUP DESIGN PROJECT

#### FALL 2022

- Design project with the goal of encouraging sustainable travel/lodging for users.
- Redesigned booking systems for both Expedia.com and Vrbo.com.
- Ideated with the team to produce different methods of encouraging sustainability for our user group.
- Final deliverables: Mid-fidelity prototypes, website redesigns.

## **UEGROUP / XCENTER** DESIGN PROJECT

#### SPRING 2022

- Design project centered around the telehealth experience of caretakers.
- Research and design were centered around two highly detailed co-design sessions.
- Final deliverables: High-fidelity design prototypes.

**EDUCATION** 

# **Purdue University 2021 - 2025**

Junior, B.S. in UX Design, minor in Anthropology

**SKILLS** 

- UX/UI design
- Visual design
- User research & testing
- Prototype creation
- Research protocol designing
- Teamwork, collaboration & communication
- Quick to adapt & learn new skills

### **Tools & Software:**

Figma, HTML, CSS, Javascript, Photoshop, Illustrator