UX for Games

I've been working on 4 titles to the moment. 2 of them are live

The Household (live)

Classic farm game with content updates.

World Pocker Club (live)

The most popular social poker in Russia and the CIS

MMO RTS (TBA)

Travian like game for small screens.

Bottle. Find your Love(TBA)

Classic bottle game with kisses. Based on hyper-popular Russian reality show franchise: Dom 2 ("Дом 2")



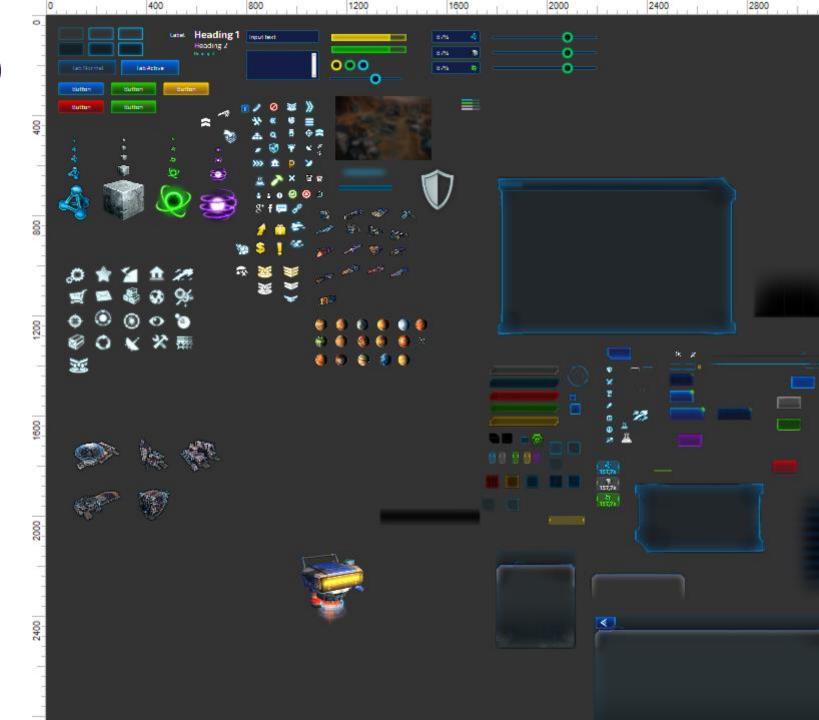


Overview: I'm leading a team: GD + Unity Lead + outsource production (6 people). Also I do all UX & UI an the project.

To the moment there are 100+ screens and states done.

I can show only few, that has already gone public.

Promo & community website: www.stellarage.com



Task: Build troops flow.

Solution:

- First approach
 http://artfabrique.github.io/cv/po
 rtfolio/SA/FleetBuild/start.htm
- Design (on the right)



Task: Mission Control Center.

Lets user overview his fleet on different planets.

Lets user to put fleet in Interdimensional bunker, a bubble in time/space supporter by fuel that ships take with them as a cargo.

Solution:

http://artfabrique.github.io/cv/portfolio/SA/MCC/start.htm



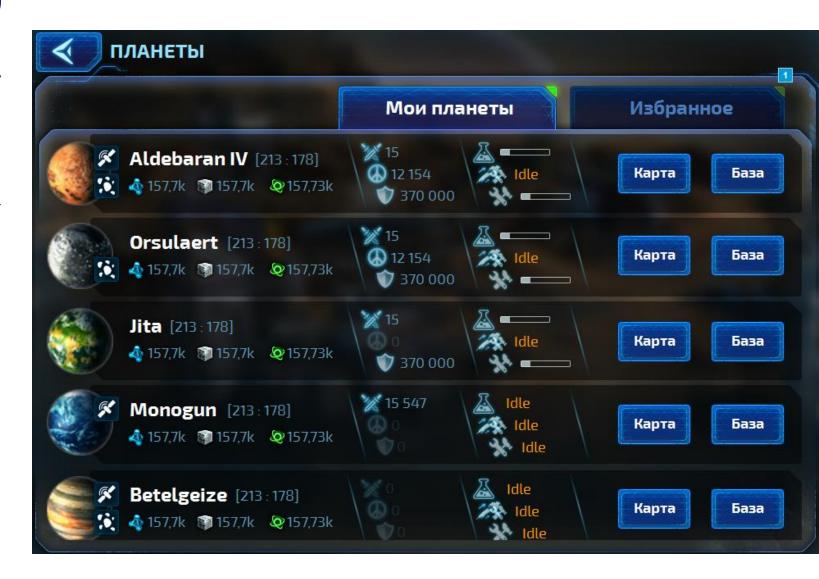
Task: Planets dashboard.

Lets user overview status of all planets.

Motivate user to build-up bases & might. Nothing should be idle.

Solution:

o http://artfabrique.github.io/cv/portfolio/SA/Planets/start.html



Overview: Special UI pack of common elements was done in Axure for more precise prototyping.

I have successfully designed UX & UI of 20+ new game-mechanics modules.

Workflow:

- o Functional requirements doc.
- "Box" prototype to organize userflows and break information into layers.
- UI prototype to organize information weights (tone/color accents)
- Special art preparation (backgrounds, decorative elements)
- o Implementation

https://apps.facebook.com/playhousehold



Task: Refresh "Bank" window design. Improve accent on discounts.

Solution:

- Make two variants of layout ("6-pack" & "ladder") and test both on new-comers vs high-level players.
- Add additional discount marker for top-profit SKU

Result: "6-pack" design performed better for new-comers, but "ladder" was loved by the core audience. Both designs performed better than the old one.



Task: Design "Hiking Camp" mechanics. User buys a landmark. Each landmark represents destination of journey. The output is:

- o Gold & Exp. (100% chance)
- o Prem. item (<100% chance)

Users can ask friends to join their journey. Each friend increases chances of finding premium items.

Solution:

 Progress bar with 2-colored threshold to show chance w/wo friends.



Task: Create gambling mechanics with single prize per roll. Each player has own prize pool.

Solution:

o "Peñate" idea.



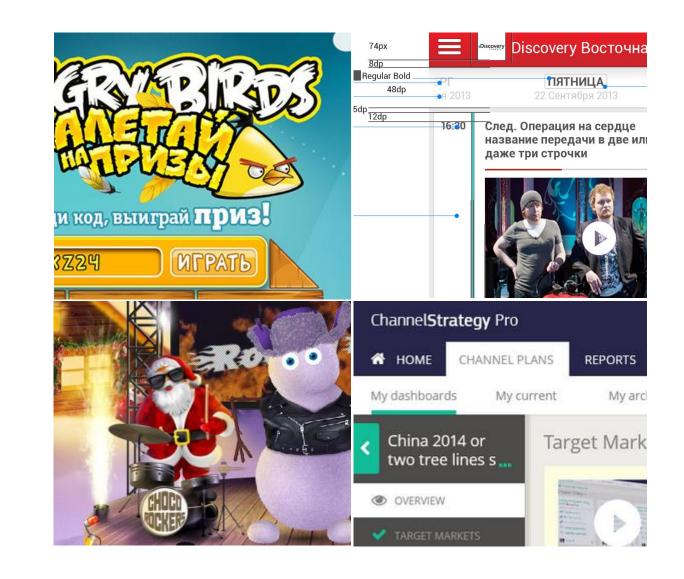


UX for Business

I've completed over 40 interactive promo projects for world-wide brands as a Digital Art Director and later as a Digital Creative Director.

My favorite brands, I worked with:

- o IBM
- o Kraft Foods
 - o Milka
 - o AlpenGold
- British American Tobacco
- Beeline (Russian telecom #1)
- o Procter & Gamble
 - o Always
- o CTI (Interactive TV, mobile+ settop box)



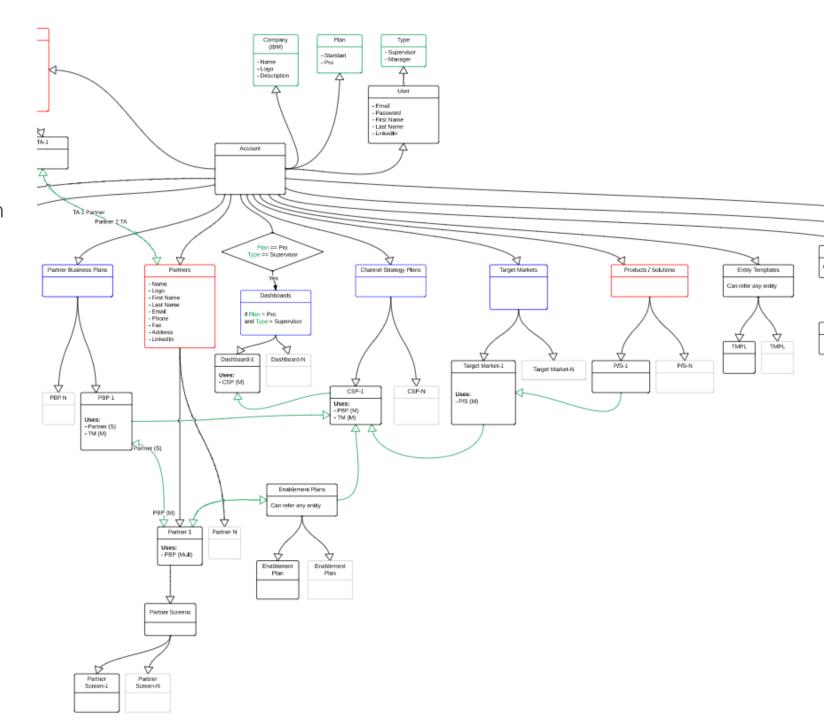
Channel Strategy Pro

Product: Online cloud tool to ease the regional sales process. For a company like IBM that has no interest in direct sales, but channel sales/vendor contracts, this tool became #1 weapon of regional sales man.

Before it was done by filling in huge 50-paged Excel file.

What I have done:

- Separated Excel-fill-in flow into several use cases based on user roles: Channel Manager/Director
- o Redone data relationship scheme
- o Applied use-cases to data relationship scheme.
- o Prototype
- o Design.



Channel Strategy Pro

Fist iteration prototype:

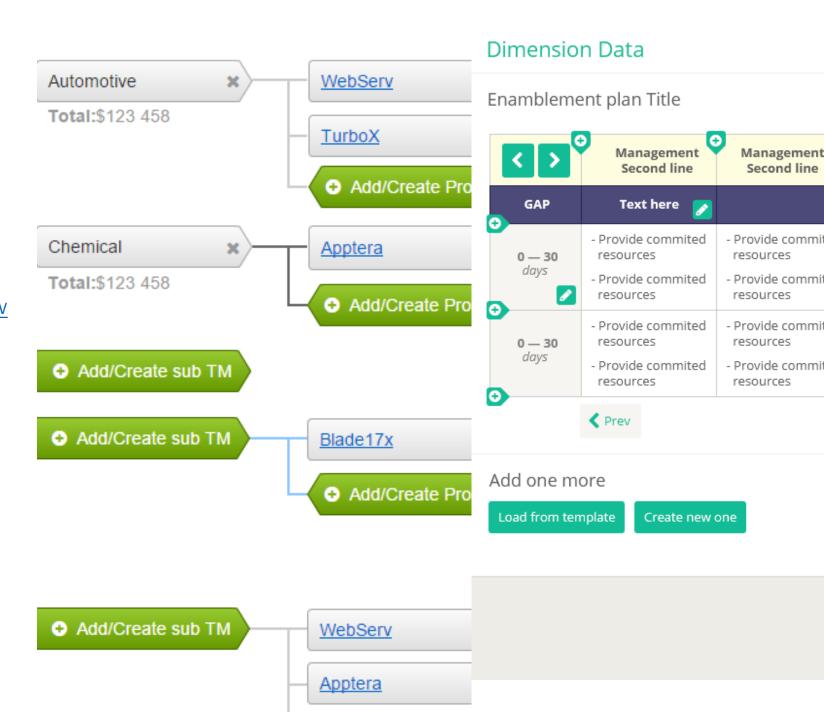
http://yg1osz.axshare.com/#p=home

UI Design:

http://qtgas3.axshare.com/#p=home

Data Scheme

https://www.dropbox.com/s/w3wkgywghs0r79g/CSPro%20-%20DB%20v6.pdf?dl=0



Always Social Hub

Product: Online hub for women inside a top Russian social network OK.ru

Features:

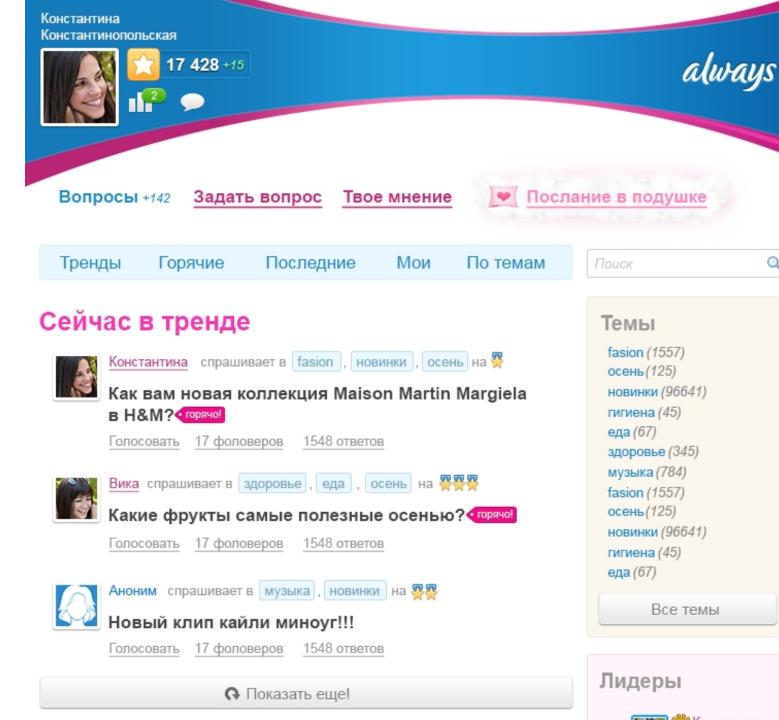
- Social Q&A with ratings
- Product information
- o Promo sections

Prototype:

http://artfabrique.github.io/cv/portfoli o/Always/Hub/start.html

Source:

https://dl.dropbox.com/s/5ztaurcq49yx kf5/alwaysSocialPlatform.rp



CTI

Product: Interactive TV connected to the mobile app. (multiscreen app)

Features:

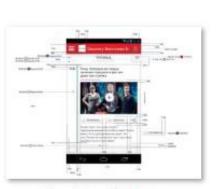
- o TV schedule
- Interactive TV context on mobile companion app.
- o Reminders and remote record of any show.
- Live streaming to mobile.

I've developed:

- User Flows based on time of the day, gender & method of transportation.
- o UI Design.



Login-Error.png



tv_channel_full.png



TV-Channel-full-v3.png



Search-Results.png



tv_grid.png



TV-Grid.png



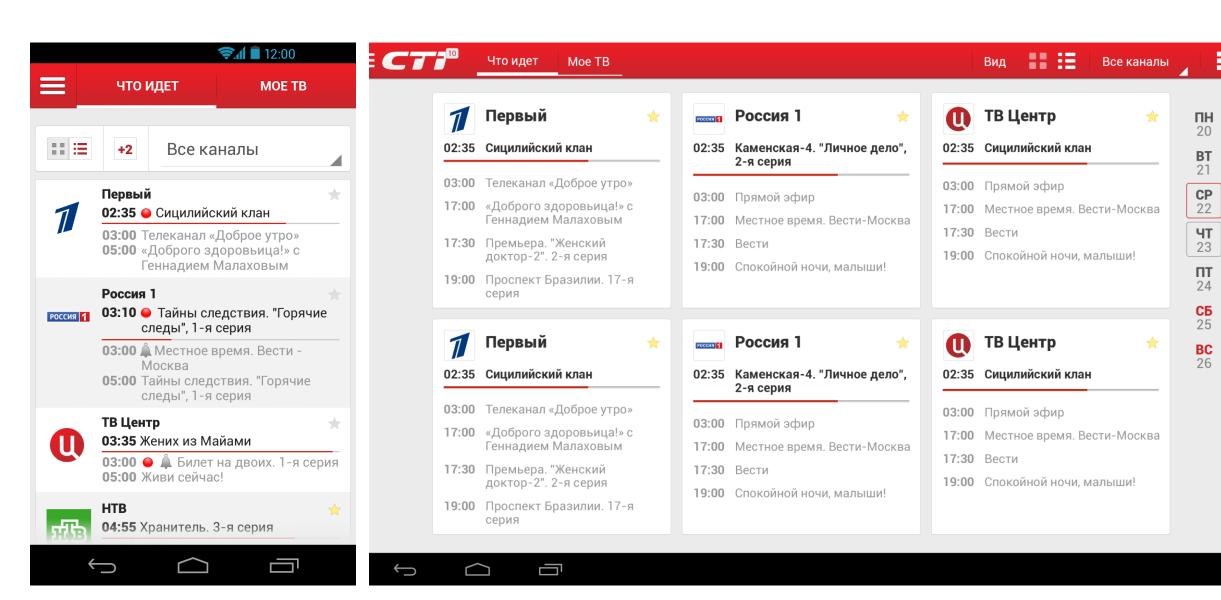
sidemenu.png



TV-Channel-catchup.png



TV-List.png



Beeline

Product: Top-up promo with

Angry Birds

Overview:

- o User makes top-up
- User receives 1-10 lives in a special branded level of AB
- User launches a birds trying to hit the prizes
 - > Free minutes packs
 - > Free data packs
 - Free sms packs



Beeline

I've proposed an idea about yellow Bird who is triangular because he grew up in Balalaika (national music instrument). Now his brother is in danger and all the birds company arrives Russia to save him.



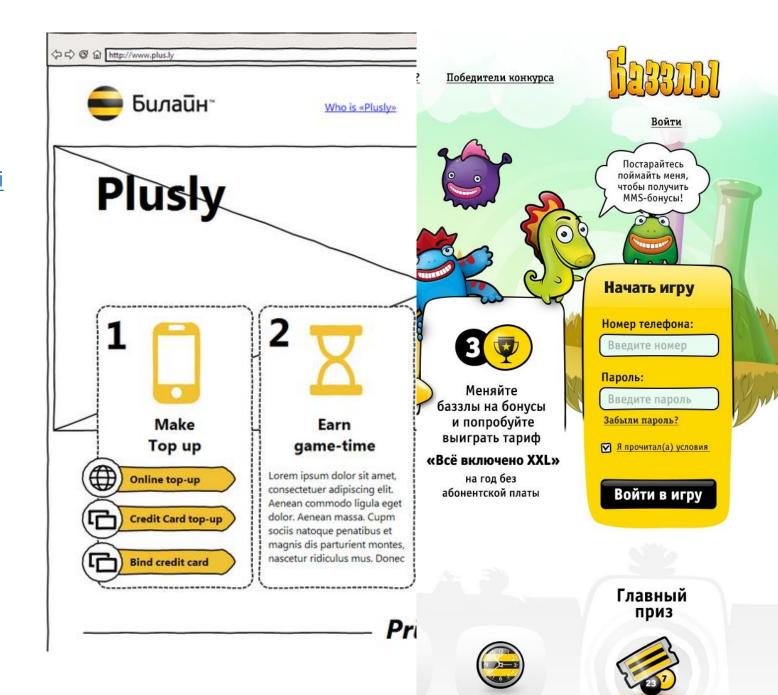
Beeline

Project: Plusly. Top-up motivation platform with gamification.

http://artfabrique.github.io/cv/portfoli o/Beeline/Beeline proto v2.html

Overview:

- o User makes top-up
- User receives token for 5-10 seconds of gameplay
- User plays a game and tryes to catch all bonuses
- o When time runs out user gets all the rewards that he scored.
 - > Free minutes packs
 - > Free data packs
 - > Free sms packs



Milka

Product: Promo website with UGC.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-uza8kPGwjI

Features:

- o Create a snowman
- o Dress him up
- Share with friends & download desktop snowball widget

I've developed:

- o All design & illustrations
- All client-side code (AS3)

This project and idea of virtual Alpine Village became a platform for brand communication for 3 years.

In 2009 Ogilvy & Mather grabbed gold award at EFFIE in "Digital" nomination.

