Ji Zhang

Designer | Front-end Engineer



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EDUCATION

Brown University

Sep 2022 - Expected May 2024

M.S in Computer Science, concentration in Design

Boston University

GPA 3.8/4.0 Kilachand Honors College/ Cum Laude B.A. Computer Science, Minor in Visual Arts

Relevant Coursework

UIUX, Experience Design, Human Computer Interaction Seminar, Design Principles, Web Design and Programming, Data Science, Android Application Development, Software Engineering

SKILLS & TOOLS

Design Skills:

UX Research, Survey Analysis, Sketches, Ideation, User Testing, A/B testing, Low-fidelity Prototyping, High-fidelity Prototyping

Design Tools:

Figma, Balsamiq, Sketch, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe XD, Adobe Indesign, Procreate

Programming:

HTML/CSS, Bootstrap5, TailwindCSS, Javascript, Typescript, XML, React.js, Svelte, AntDesign, Python, Java

Languages:

Mandarin, English, Korean, Cantonese

EXPERIENCE

Brown University | Student UX Designer

Nov 2022 - Now

- **Designed** and **developed** a web application to visualize lobbying data in the U.S for Climate and Development Lab with Figma and Typescript.
- Initiated **user testing** with Figma prototype to optimize design process.
- Refined the design based on user feedback.
- Solo designed and collaborated with engineers, researchers, and professors

Brown University | Digital Learning & Design Assistant

Nov 2022 - Now

- Collaborate with instructors to design and build course website in Canvas.
- Perform user testing and identify usability problems for current course websites.
- Design course web page user interactions and components.

Brown University | Head Teaching Assistant

Nov 2022 - Now

- Design and develop the course website for CSCI0111 Computing Foundations: Data
- Work with the professor to manage the logistics and staffs
- Teach course-related concepts in weekly office hours

PROJECTS

Toko App

Fall 2022

- · Recreated a English learning with AI app for a startup.
- Refined the app based on user testing feedback with multiple iterations.
- The founder approved the design and implemented one feature we designed.

Elephant Edu

Spring 2022

- Designed a mobile application interface that teaches parents in China how to provide at-home sexual education.
- Conducted surveys, approved by IRB, to find user pain points.
- Utilized Figma components for design consistency
- Featured in Boston University Kilachand Honors College Keystone Project Presentation.