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UX Designer | Frontend 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

UI/UX, 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

WORK EXPERIENCE

Brown University | UX designer

Nov 2022 - Now

- **Design** and **develop** a web application to visualize lobbying data in the U.S for Climate and Development Lab with Figma and Typescript.
- Created **10+ high resolution mockups** to test interfaces with users to optimize speed, accessibility across platforms.
- Collaborated with backend engineers, researchers, and professors, collecting broader feedback and refining the prototypes.

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.
- Help design course webpage **color theme and icons**.

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

Einstein Bros. Bagels | Student Worker

Jan 2020 - Feb 2022

- Advanced client **communication skills** by directly interacting with customers.
- Trained new employees to successfully acclimate to the new work environment.

PROJECTS

Responsive Redesign

Fall 2022

- Redesigned and built the home page of a local theater in Washington.
- The redesigned web page solved **20+ usability problems** of current design.
- Employed **Balsamiq** and **Figma** for UI/UX and **Bootstrap5** for programming.

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.
- Prototyped **40+ screens** in Figma.
- Featured in Boston University Kilachand Honors College Keystone Project Presentation.