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ISTANBUL, TURKEY 2019 - PRESENT

## **Design Lead, Accenture**

Accenture is a multinational professional services company working with 90% of Fortune 100 companies. I'm currently leading design at Accenture and building next-gen products and solutions for our clients. **A typical day consists of:** 

- $\cdot$  Building an effective design team
- Assisting and empowering team members
- · Establishing agile design practices
- · Creating an organizational design culture
- $\cdot$  Creating design concepts to assist team
- Working with engineers for better collaboration
- Designing end-to-end solutions
- · Taking part in client engagements
- · Establishing design standards for team
- Developing and contributing to design systems
- · Overseeing day-to-day design efforts
- · Providing vision and roadmap for the design team

AUTOMOTIVE ENERGY FUTURE MOBILITY GOVERNMENT DESIGN SYSTEMS CONNECTED INDUSTRY

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REMOTE 2017 - PRESENT

# Freelance Designer, Sum Labs/Raise/Missive

I've been freelancing with Silicon Valley startups for the past 4 years. Among those startups I've been able to work with companies aiming to change commercial real estate, healthy living, publishing and gifting. During this time I designed mobile and web apps, marketing sites, presentations, logos, book covers, landing pages, e-mailing templates and more. A typical day consists of:

- User behavior analysis
- User persona creation
- · Creating graphics & interactions
- Developing advanced wireframes
- · Building prototypes and testing hypotheses
- · Building new brands for new products
- · Mapping out user flows and site structures
- Creating marketing material
- $\cdot$  Establishing visual design guidelines
- · Creating and delivering consistent iconography
- · Presenting to product teams
- · Understanding product requirements
- · Testing product-market fit
- ${\bf \cdot} \ {\bf Communicating} \ with \ {\bf engineers} \ {\bf for} \ {\bf better} \ {\bf workfllows}$

GFL IOS APP ATHENA IOS APP ATHENA BRANDING DEALROOM WEB APP RESPONSIVE WEBSITE MARKETING PITCH

ISTANBUL, TURKEY 2017 – 2017

#### **UI/UX Designer, Kolektif Labs**

Kolektif Labs is a design studio based in Istanbul serving clients from various industries. I worked on several projects in sports, finance, and technology. **A typical day consists of:** 

- · Create end-to-end designs for client projects
- · Create concept designs to support sales
- Design wireframes and prototypes for testing
- · Conduct client presentations

- · Develop & communicate internal design processes
- Work with third parties to discover data requirements
- $\cdot$  Organize and deliver investor pitches
- · Collaborate with clients to understand user needs

GALATASARAY WEB DESIGN

GALATASARAY FAN PAGE

KOLEKTIF FINANCE APP

DESIGN FOR GOOD

HUG LIFE SOCIETY

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ISTANBUL, TURKEY 2016 – 2017

## **UI/UX Designer, InnovationBox**

InnovationBox is a mobile product studio based in Istanbul, best known for its popular utility apps. I created graphics to support sales and worked on several web projects. A typical day consists of:

- $\cdot$  Designing wireframes and prototypes
- $\bullet \ \mathsf{Preparing} \ \mathsf{for} \ \mathsf{RFPs} \\$
- · Creating graphics to support sales

- Developing client presentations
- Establishing design standards
- · Collaborating with client teams to understand needs

SMARTFACE UX DESIGN

MOBILIZED UX DESIGN

MEETUP UX DESIGN

IBX UX DESIGN

CREDENTIALS DESIGN

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ISTANBUL, TURKEY 2012 – 2016

#### **Head of Products, Valensas**

Valensas is an enterprise mobility and product company with a track record of successfully delivering countless apps to clients in finance, aviation, publishing and more. I was in charge of in-house products and testing for product-market fit. I also designed product experiences and worked closely with clients for continuous iteration.

- · Designing product experiences
- Gathering user requirements
- · Analysing user data
- · Designing wireframes and POCs

- Designing marketing materials
- Collaborating with engineers about product roadmap
- Developing support systems
- Planning product strategy and roadmap

WORKBUK IOS APP

WORKBUK WEB DESIGN

VEACON WEB DESIGN

VDP MAC/OS APP DESIGN

VDP WEB DESIGN

#### **UX Design General Assembly, San Francisco**

Completed an immersive UX program which helped me understand the importance of users and rapidly testing new ideas in today's fast moving workplace.

EDUCATION - 2004

#### **Boston University, Information Systems**

Concentrated in Information Systems, a program focused on understanding and using data systems to assists the decision making process in modern business environments.

#### **Skills & Tools**

UI Design • UX Design • Visual Design • User
Research • Graphic Design • Apps • Wireframing •
Logos • Prototyping • Brand Identity •
Responsive Web • Service Design • Presentation
Design • Journey Mapping • Usability • Sketch •
Figma • Framer • Invision • Studio • XD • Abstract
• Zeplin • Grids • Illustrator • Premier • Photoshop
• Indesign • Design Systems • Material • Carbon •
Fluent • Front-End Development • HTML • CSS •
Some JS • Atom • GitHub • Sublime • Visual
Studio Code • Jira • Trello • Slack • Apple HIG •
Analytics • HotJar • Mixpanel • Flurry • Fullstory

#### Languages

I'm native in Turkish, fluent in English and currently trying to pick up my rusty German.