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Skills

UX/UI Design, Design Research, Web Development, Wireframing, Prototyping, Information Architecture, Visual Communication, Agile, Web Accessibility

Education

University of Toronto

Bachelor of Information, 2023 - 2025

Focus: Human-Centered Design.

cGPA: 3.48

Work Experience

UofT Student Life - Innovation Hub — UX Designer

April 2024 - Present

Toronto, ON

- Accomplished a **30% increase in user engagement** as measured by website visits by leading the **website re-design project**, improving UI/UX with **Figma** hi-fi prototypes.
- Streamlined access to student resources for **1,000+ visitors** by developing the **Family Care Office mini-site**, helping student-parents navigate campus support.
- Led **WordPress migration** of Figma prototypes, improving website performance and reducing maintenance overhead.
- Developed **reusable UI components** with **CSS** and **JavaScript**, ensuring consistency and efficiency across projects.

Global Spark — Front-End Developer Lead

July 2023 - March 2024

Mississauga, ON

- Improved code maintainability and performance by **refactoring legacy React code** for **globalspark.world**.
- Enhanced design consistency by **collaborating on Figma mockups** to align UI with branding and user experience goals.
- Ensured project alignment and agile development by **participating in daily stand-ups**, fostering communication and iterative improvements.

Empire Health Systems — Full-Stack Developer Intern

April 2023 - October 2023

Diamond Bar, CA

- Improved code efficiency and maintainability by **refactoring 80% of legacy code** for the company site.
- Streamlined data collection and automation by **developing a form submission back-end** utilizing the **Google Workspace API**.

Projects

DéjàBREW: Café Finding App

- Café-finding app case-study, developing interactive prototypes via **Figma Variables**, iterated on through lean usability evaluations.

Innovation Hub Website Redesign

- Created **Figma** prototypes, conducted usability evaluations and built on **Wordpress**, achieving **+10 pts SUS score**.

Tools+

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python, React, Next.js, Node.js, Express.js, React Native, SQL, MongoDB, AWS SDK3, R, Figma, Frammer, Wordpress, Webflow, Sharepoint, WCAG