

# Emmanuel Michael Kastrenakes

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## Education

Purdue University: B.S. Program in Engineering. Successfully completed 60 credits in Undergrad program before transfer.

University of South Florida St. Petersburg: B.S. earned in Environmental Science & Policy

University of Central Florida: UX/UI Live Online Bootcamp, 6-month program

Behance.net: online, self-teaching program for graphic design (Adobe Illustrator). Successfully completed up to 30 challenges.

### Academic Awards & Certificates:

- UCF UX/UI Design Bootcamp Certificate
- Workplace Etiquette Training (Sexual Harassment/ Phishing E-mails etc.)
- 10-Hour OSHA Training for the Construction Industry
- 12-Hour Basic Blueprint Reading
- Gopher Tortoise Certificate, Training Program

## Work Experience

### Operations/Logistics Manager at Consumer Auto Xchange:

- Managed buyers, developed training program
- Managed Facebook/Autotrader platform interface
- Managed Nationwide transport of purchased fleet

### Environmental Scientist 1 at Ardurra Engineering:

- Worked with a team of scientists on various development projects in the field
- Required to have a deep understanding of Florida environmental law, GIS mapping tools, ecosystems, plant and animal species

### Project Engineer at Kokolakis Contracting:

- Worked on project blueprint and scope delegation
- Daily project portal updates with performance, calculations and photos

### Operations Manager at MK Automotive

- Managed the marketing program: conventional, digital and social media platforms
- Wrote the training manual for sales and administration

**Skills:** Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Outlook, Trello, Slack, Web design, Graphic Design, UX/UI, Prototype Creation, Usability Testing, UX Research, Design Thinking Process, UI Design Fundamentals, Creating Responsive Interfaces, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Adobe PDF, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe XD, Adobe Photoshop, Figma, InVision, FWC plant identification & Regulations, CAD systems, GIS Mapping, Gopher Tortoise Handling, Teamwork & Communication, Inventory Management, Operations, Problem Solving

**UX/UI Portfolio:** <https://ekastren20.github.io/EmmanuelPortfolio/>

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Aug 2010 – June 2012

Aug 2012 – Dec 2015

Nov 2021 – June 2022

2020 - present

2022

2019

2019

2019

2015

Sept 2021 - Present

Mar 2021 – Sept 2021

Aug 2019 – Dec 2020

April 2016- Aug 2019