EMILY PORAT

UX Researcher & Designer

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Carnegie Mellon University

2015 - 2019

Major: Information Systems, University Honors

Minor: Human-Computer Interaction

EXPERIENCE

UX Designer, Deloitte Digital

2019 - Present • Arlington, VA

Supported and led over 20 government and public sector projects, ranging from 4-week usability evaluations to 10-month digital transformations. Created, launched, and led a 3-month mentorship program for junior designers. See emilyporat.com for project details!

Lead UX Researcher, Florida Community Innovation

2021 - Present • Volunteer

Planned and conducted user research and usability testing for the Florida Community Resource Map (FRM), a tool designed to make finding social services in Florida easier. Interviewed social service providers and recipients, synthesized findings via affinity diagramming, and provided design recommendations and support for release 3 of FRM.

UX Design Intern, Deloitte Digital

Summer 2018 • Arlington, VA

Redesigned the Learning & Development portal, a site through which employees request continuing education programs. Conducted user interviews, synthesized findings via affinity diagramming, process flows, and personas, and ran a product visioning session with studio leadership. Proposed a refined business process, designed wireframes and prototypes of the primary flows, and created a style guide with adapted company branding.

UX Designer & Frontend Engineer, Zensors

Spring 2018 • Pittsburgh, PA

Redesigned and developed the interface for crowdworkers to answer questions about images. Developed personas and scenarios, built wireframes and prototypes, and developed the frontend with HTML/CSS and React.

SKILLS

Research & Synthesis

User Interviews
Usability Testing
Heuristic Evaluation
Affinity Mapping
Journey Mapping
Personas

Design

Information Architecture Wireframing Rapid Prototyping Design Systems

Software

Sketch Figma Anima Abstract InVision Photoshop

Programming

HTML & CSS JavaScript Git