Fernando Bertolo - Product Designer | UX/UI Designer | UX Strategist

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Professional Summary

Creative and analytical **Product Designer** with over 10 years of experience building impactful user-centered digital experiences across web and mobile. Expert in designing end-to-end product flows, driving design systems from scratch, and delivering functional, scalable solutions that align business goals with user needs. Proficient in utilizing **AI** for enhanced qualitative analysis, content generation, and design optimization. Strong foundation in **UX research, interaction design, and usability testing**, with technical expertise in frontend implementation (React, Angular, Next.js). Seeking roles where **UX strategy** and **product thinking** are central, leveraging frontend skills as a powerful tool for design validation and delivery.

Core Skills

→ Product & UX/UI Design:

User Research, Wireframing, Prototyping, Interaction Design, UX Writing, Accessibility, Design Systems, Information Architecture, Usability Testing, Data-Driven Design, Design Sprints, Google Analytics.

→ Al tools:

ChatGPT, Gemini, NotebookLM, MidJourney, Adobe Firefly, V0 (Vercel), Ulzard .

→ Tools:

Figma, Miro, Notion, Adobe Suite, Material UI, Tailwind, Zeplin, Jira, Trello, Bitbucket.

→ Frontend (Technical Design Support):

HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, TypeScript, React, Angular, Next.js, Git.

→ Methodologies:

Agile (Scrum), Lean UX, Human-Centered Design.

→ Soft Skills:

Strategic Thinking, Collaboration, Cross-Functional Communication, Empathy, Leadership, Problem Solving.

Professional Experience

Sr Product/UX Designer | GlobalLogic | April 2021 – July 2025 (4 yrs 4 mos)

- Designed and managed over 10 core UI components in Angular, fully aligned with a custom Design System, improving reusability and UI consistency across multiple projects.
- Conducted UX audits and user research to optimize workflows in desktop and web applications (React/Next.js), increasing task efficiency by 15%.
- Played a key role in regional Design System architecture, reducing design-to-dev handoff time by 25%.

- Led the UX and UI design for a home banking product, aligning accessibility principles with business requirements using React Native variables.
- Delivered the full digital platform for a Spanish football club, from UX research to responsive implementation, streamlining team coordination and stakeholder communication.
- Leveraged AI tools (NotebookLM, Gemini, and ChatGPT) to streamline qualitative interview analysis, generate content and simple assets, and refine microcopy, thereby accelerating research and prototyping cycles.

Sr UX/UI Designer | Phinx Lab | Sept 2020 - April 2021 (8 mos)

- Designed and implemented a scalable Design System for an e-commerce platform, improving delivery speed by 20%.
- Led visual rebranding and redesigned the institutional website, enhancing brand engagement by 15%.

Senior Graphic Designer | EquipoCV | Aug 2016 – Aug 2020 (4 yrs 1 mo)

- Directed UX/UI efforts for internal platforms and web redesign, increasing user engagement by 10%.
- Developed audiovisual and branded content, leading to 25% growth in social media traction
- Managed print operations and digital workflows, coordinating with product and commercial teams.

Freelance Product Designer & Frontend Developer | EFEBERTOLO | 2012 – Present

- Designed and developed 3 e-commerce platforms and 8 institutional websites, combining brand strategy, visual identity, and UX.
- Specialized in Figma-to-code translation and Design System creation, increasing client conversion rates by 25%.
- Conducted UX research, defined product flows, and collaborated with dev teams to ensure high-quality implementations.

Education

- Expert in UX & Interaction Design UTN FRBA
- **UX/UI Design** Coderhouse
- Web Development Coderhouse
- Bachelor's Degree in Graphic Design Universidad Argentina de la Empresa

Certifications

- Professional Generative AI Fundamentals
- Scrum Foundations Professional Certificate (SFPC)
- Growth Hacking
- HTML Fundamentals
- Advanced Vector Illustration Techniques

Languages

Spanish: Native

English: Full Professional