

# Fotios Kotsalidis

Product Owner - UX/UI/HCI

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## EXPERIENCE

### Product Owner - UX/UI/HCI (08/2022 - 08/2024)

Nommax - Salt Lake City, USA / (Hybrid, Full time)

- Managed UX/UI design projects using agile methodologies, enhancing team efficiency and project outcomes.
- Conducted user research and built interactive prototypes in Figma, improving user satisfaction.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to ensure alignment with product vision and brand identity.
- Led the creation of a scalable design system library, reducing development time by almost 30%.

### Student Administrative Assistant (11/2020 - 08/2022)

DTU - Lyngby, Denmark / (On-site, Part time)

- Performed administrative tasks, communicated daily with students, professors and affiliate universities.
- Participated in the organization, preparation and realization of promotional events.
- Updated the university's website, edited media and prepare presentations and instructional video tutorials.

### Senior Frontend & UI developer (02/2013 - 06/2019)

IWECO - Athens, Greece / (On-site, Full time)

- Developed responsive web interfaces using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript, achieving a 95% customer satisfaction rate.
- Utilized Jupyter for data analysis and visualization, providing actionable insights for product improvements.
- Delivered scalable solutions and ensured a seamless user experience.
- Performed comprehensive UI debugging and cross-browser testing, ensuring a seamless user experience.

### Regional Sales Manager (09/2008 - 12/2012)

PPG Industries - Pittsburgh, USA / (Hybrid, Full time)

- Created and implemented effective sales strategies.
- Participated in exhibitions, promoting products and services.
- Doubled the market share and expanded the customer base in Southern Europe and the Balkans.

## EDUCATION

### MSc in Engineering (09/2019 - 08/2022)

DTU - Technical University of Denmark

Field: [Human-centered Artificial Intelligence](#)

Focus area: User Experience

### BSc. in Computer Science (09/2008 - 12/2012)

University of Indianapolis

#### Other Certifications

- Agile with Atlassian Jira - Atlassian University
- Flutter Development Using Dart - London App Brewery
- Google Project Management Certificate

#### Distinctions

- Best Tech Demo Award - DTU X-Tech, May 2020
- Dean's List - UIndy, Aug 2012

#### Languages

English - Fluent  
Greek - Native speaker  
Danish - FVU Dansk Trin 3  
Spanish - D.E.L.E. Nivel B2  
German - Zertifikat B2

## SKILLS

### Specializations

- Project Management
- Human-Computer Interaction (HCI)
- UX/UI, User-centered Design
- Problem-solving
- Research Methods

### Hard Skills

Budgeting and Cost Management,  
Risk Management,  
Procurement processes,  
Data Analysis using Jupyter, Python,  
Figma, Adobe CC, Jira, Dovetail

### Soft Skills

Creativity, Empathy, Integrity, Adaptability,  
Critical thinking, Conception, Attention to detail,  
Team player, Open-minded, Approachable, Goal-oriented,  
Clear communication, Trustworthy, Fast learner