Ganesh Viswanathan Iyer

Product Designer, UI/UX

Interested in: HCI, Product Development, Data Visualization, Behavioral Nudges

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EDUCATION

(Aug 2015 - May 2017, full time) University of California Berkeley - School of Information, Berkeley, CA

GPA: 3.84/4 Master of Information Management and Systems (MIMS), focusing on Product Design, HCI

PROJECTS

- Data Visualization: Designed an innovative visualization to interpret betting info in tennis.

- **Geometris**: Designed an embodied and collaborative learning game for children.

- PipPop: Designed an app to help exchange contact information more seamlessly.

(Jul 2006 - May 2010, full time) Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Guwahati, India

GPA: 8.60/10 Bachelor of Design (B.Des), focusing on HCI, Usability

~6 Years PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

(May 2016 - Aug 2016, full time), Stealth Startup, Palo Alto, CA

(Jan 2017 - present, part time) UX + Product Definition Consultant

- Created wireframes, UX and visual design specifications for applications and components.

- Designed a prototype for usability testing that was later used for stakeholder demos.

- Created and prototyped storyboards for Out-of-Box-Experience (OoBE) videos.

- Created proofs-of-concepts for dashboard visualizations and data analytics.

(Nov 2011 - Apr 2014, full time) SAP Labs India, Bangalore, India

User Experience Design Associate, Business Suite UX Group

- Designed high-fidelity mockups and contributed controls to a central UI Design Library.

- Co-led the design thinking activity for Project Execution on HANA.

- Designed dashboards for the **HCM HR-Administrator** self-service product.

- Trained in Formative Usability Testing - Script-writing, Moderation, Note-taking, Analysis.

(Jun 2010 - Oct 2011, full time)

Infosys, Bangalore, India

User Interface Designer, Communication Design Group (CDG)

Designed (wireframes, visual designs, UI specs) for product sectors like social enterprise,

e-commerce, supply-chain, e-learning and lifestyle across multiple platforms.

(May 2014 - Aug 2015, full time) + freelance UX Designer (clients: Bach in the Subways, WellPaper), Mumbai, India

(Aug 2010 - Jul 2015, part time) + music journalist, core team member at What's The Scene India, Bangalore, India

SKILLS

Usability Contextual Inquiry, Heuristic Evaluation, Persona/Scenario Creation, Formative Usability

Testing, Accessibility, Generative Methods, Eye Movement Recording

Design Information Architecture, Paper Prototyping, Wireframing, Hi-Fi Prototyping, Visual Design

Software Illustrator, Sketch, Axure, Photoshop, Framer, Visio, Proto.io, After Effects, Tableau

Programming HTML/Jade/CSS/SASS, Jekyll, Javascript (jQuery, React, Webpack, d3), Python, R, Arduino

PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS

(Dec 2012) Contextual Collaboration - Ganesh Viswanathan lyer + 4 others

Patent publ. no.: US20140157150 URL: http://www.google.com/patents/US20140157150

(May 2017) Geometris: A Collaborative Embodied Geometry Game - Ganesh V. lyer + 2 others

CHI 2017 Extended Abstracts URL: http://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=3048413