

Jason Chen

Product Designer / Design Technologist @ San Francisco, CA

I am a designer that enjoys coding with React + Typescript, and I enjoy helping build scalable design systems by speaking both languages between design and code

Info

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Carnegie Mellon University '17 | Pittsburgh, PA
B.S Information Systems (IS) & B.S Human Computer Interaction (HCI)

Work

Handshake
Senior Product Designer, Design Systems
August 2024 - Present

Core contributor of Rosetta Design system including: foundations, Inputs, Cards, a11y, and more. Improved platform-wide visual language via updating and consolidating UI.

Oversaw and collaborated with all product lines and evolved ops by founding team process, best practices, and contribution guidelines.

Everlaw
Senior Product Designer, Design Systems Lead
Jan 2023 - Aug 2024

Lead the Bluebook design system effort. Key contributions include: Table filtering & pagination, Listboxes, Tags/Counter Tags, tokens, championing accessibility, and more.

Evolved Eng & Design collaboration by leading initiative to adopt best practices, migrate off of ZeroHeight, and establish storybook (SB7) as the reference site.

Carta
Design Technologist
Oct 2021 - Sep 2022

Spearheaded and led a cross functional group to maintain the "Ink on Figma" library and rolled out rebrand. Built multiple components and prototypes per quarter.

Improved org's UI health by 50% by addressing poor FE hygiene. Championed Storybook adoption to help teams maintain domain specific patterns built with Ink.

Blend
Design Technologist
Feb 2019 - Oct 2021

Founding member of Alchemy design system, a unified design system for Blend's multiple product lines. Designed and built Figma plugins and streamlined PD ops.

Created prototypes of Blend's One Tap Mobile flagship product for usability tests, sales demos, and exploratory experiences using FramerX and React.

Intuit
Software Engineer
Aug 2017 - Jan 2019

UI Developer (React + Redux) for Quickbooks Payments Onboarding. Shipped DocUpload, onboarding redesign, and accordion component for Intuit Design System.

Contract / Side projects

Drip.ai
Jan 2025 - Mar 2025

Shipped entire frontend MVP to secure seed funding for stealth startup; MVP included infinite scroll, routing, BE integration, and pixel perfect components

Vesta
Mar 2022 - Sep 2022

Created Vesta's initial design system and consolidated existing components and engineering patterns

nsave (aka Masref)
Oct 2022 - Dec 2022

Created foundational design system with atomic design principles spanning web and mobile based off of early MVP designs

Skills & Hobbies

Skills
Figma, Custom Figma plugins, Adobe Creative Suite, React + Typescript (w/hooks), Storybook, Sass/styled-components

Recognition
Everlaw Product Org-wide spot award [Q1 2024]
Blend Hacks VIII [2020], Intuit Intern Hackathon [2016]