

# JORGE AQUINO

UX DESIGNER & ENGINEER

## DETAILS

### ADDRESS

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### NATIONALITY

US Citizen

## LINKS

Portfolio: [aquino.design](https://aquino.design)

Figma: [@aquino](#)

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GitHub: [jorge-e-aquino](#)

## SKILLS

Wireframing

Prototyping

Usability Testing

UX Research

Figma/Adobe XD

React/Angular/Svelte

Next.js/Apollo/NPM

Version Control Systems

Accessibility/ARIA

Ideation

Communication and  
Presentation

Photography and  
Cinematography

Latin Cultural Dance

Yoga and Meditation

## LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

Python/Java

TypeScript

HTML/CSS

## PROFILE

Dedicated UI/UX designer & front-end developer at **Georgia Tech** aiming to acquire a **UX design internship**. Adept in collaborating with designers, developers, and other professionals to achieve high goals and develop brilliant digital experiences.

## EDUCATION

### Georgia Institute of Technology, pursuing B.S. Computational Media

Atlanta, GA

Aug 2019 — Present

- **Expected Graduation 2024**, Dean's List, Computational Media Ambassadors
- Relevant coursework: **User Interface Design**, Principles of Visual Design, **Global Art & Design**, Computational Media, **Object-Oriented Programming**

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

### UX Engineer, Harpie Blockchain Solutions

Remote

Nov 2021 — Present

- Lead **UI/UX designer, engineer** at DeFi (**Ethereum/NFT**) pre-seed startup.
- **Slashed steps to customer acquisition by 33%**, radically transformed UX for payment and onboarding to boost customer experience (**CX**) and retention.
- **Prototyping** user onboarding and **hi-fi wireframes** of SaaS using **Figma**.
- Designing **React** components in **Next.js/Tailwind/Apollo/Git** environment.

### Software Engineering Intern, ChildPlus Software

Sandy Springs, GA

May 2021 — Aug 2021

- Specialized in using **Sass** to design tens of accessible, attractive **Angular** components with **Redux state** for **responsive** data-entry application.
- Presented daily and **led presentation** over intern team's **agile development** achievements to over 30 developers, designers, supervisors, and the CEO.
- Architected reusable front-end component blueprint that **eliminated project time-to-completion by 20%**, streamlined state management pipeline.

## PROJECTS

### Quasar — Crypto, AR, ML Storefront (GT Hackathon)

HackGT 8

Oct 2021

- **UI/UX Designer** for HackGT 8 submission, recognized as **NCR Machine Learning 2021 Challenge Winning Team** and awarded SWE internship offer.
- Realized retail gamification, crypto support with MetaMask, echo3D/ARKit 2 **augmented reality**, interactive 3D renders, and QC **Blockchain ledger**.
- Rapidly designed intelligent, stunning user experience for futuristic online shopping using **React/Tailwind/Figma** in under 36 hours.

### Georgia Milestones EOC Assessment UX Study

AP Research

Nov 2018 — Jun 2019

- Conducted extensive in-person experimental **UX research study** on UI pagination with **random sampling** of 30 Georgia high school students.
- Collected **quantitative data** on 60 test scores & analyzed **HCI implications** with **statistical hypothesis test** for blocked difference of means.
- Culminated in detailed 51-page **technical research paper** and **oral presentation** to The College Board's panel of judges, achieved 5/5 score.