# Kelsey Jacobsen

# Digital Product Designer

I'm a **UX and UI designer** with a background in marine conservation. Years of research and consulting brought skills I now depend on through the **design process** - from competitive analysis to user surveys to product presentation. Opportunities that excite me the most involve **distilling information** into **pleasing visuals and interactions**.

# Projects

dogear | Desktop and mobile prototype

Concept, brand, and prototype development for a cloud storage platform to ease the writing process. Final assets created with Adobe Illustrator and Figma. View case study: kelseyjacobsen.design/dogear

The Azizi | Print collateral

Brand development and outreach materials for a museum concept, The Azizi, including business cards, letterhead, poster, brochure, and more. Final assets created with Adobe Illustrator and InDesign.

# Recent Work Experience

#### Director (formerly Associate, then Senior Associate)

Blue Earth Consultants, a Division of Eastern Research Group, 2014-2019 As a senior team member, I assisted coastal conservation/management

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- **Project Management:** Managed multiple clients, projects, timelines, budgets, and junior staff
- **Discovery and Analysis:** Led research processes with surveys, interviews, and web research, and synthesized findings
- **Deliverables:** Developed strategic documents, presentations, and process graphics
- **Brand Identity:** Took initiative to overhaul the look and feel for the Division's deliverables

## Education

#### **UX/UI** Design

Bloc.io, 2018-2019

In final stages of a 500+ hour project-based program under the mentorship of accomplished design professionals; led the full design process for two products plus some frontend coding (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, JQuery).

#### Masters of Environmental Science and Management

Bren School of Environmental Science & Management, 2010-2012

Bachelor of Arts, Environmental Studies (Minors in Art and French)

Connecticut College, 2004-2008

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### Skills

identification

Qualitative and quantitative
analysis

Mapping user stories and flows

Wireframing and prototyping

User and preference testing

Branding and style guides

Design system implementation

Basic frontend

Survey design and problem

### Tools

Adobe Illustrator, InDesign,
AfterEffects, LightRoom
Atom
Figma
Google Forms
InVision
Keynote, Pages, Numbers
for Mac
Microsoft PowerPoint, Word,
Excel, Outlook
Sketch
Tableau
Usability Hub
Whimsical

### Side Pursuits

Backpacking trips
Trail runs
Scuba diving
Loosely following new
recipes
Illustrating a book
Leash training my cat