

Kris Kildea

UX Research/Design

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Education

Google UX Cert
In progress

Web Development
Certification Program
Austin Community
College

Sept 2019–Dec 2021
Austin, TX

Bachelor of Science,
Nutritional Sciences
Applied Sciences
Penn State
University
Jul 2006 – Dec 2010
State College, Pa

Hard Skills

Figma
Usability Studies
Adobe PS/XD/III
UX Research & Design
Maze/Userbit/Miro
CSS/HTML5/JS
Affinity Mapping
User Flows

Soft Skills

Critical Thinking
Suicide Prevention
Conflict Resolution

Objective

I want to share a high-five with a teammate after having thoroughly understood & solved a complex design problem.

Seeking an opportunity in the UX research & design field with a company that highly values the research process.

Experience

UX Researcher Kiowa Creek, remote
Oct 2022 – present

- Collaborate with project manager & developer to redesign company site
- Analyze google analytics, conduct competitive audit, & create user flows
- Draft user interview script/quant survey, conduct & document interviews.
- Tag interviews, affinity map observations, prioritize features, draw insights.
- Collaborate on rescoping of project with project manager, client, developer.
- Plan & conduct usability tests on V1 prototypes & collaboratively improve wireframes.

UX Designer & Developer Boothe Concrete, Austin TX
Oct 2022 – present

- Designed & am developing responsive website for Boothe Concrete.
- Conducted market research & user interviews to create design in Figma.
- Conducted moderated usability studies & modified information architecture.
- Utilized custom HTML, CSS, JS on Webflow platform to develop site.

Web Designer & Developer AESA Prep Academy, Austin TX
May 2022 – Sept 2022

- Designed & developed HTML & CSS sheets for online learning templates.
- Created reusable components for teachers' use throughout BrightSpace courses.
- Utilized D2L forums & trouble shooting strategies to guide implementation.
- Created & led accessibility workshops for teachers.

Graphic Designer Emporium of Melodies, Austin TX
Spring 2022- present

- Collaborated with business owner to create shared & marketable vision for album art.
- Utilized Adobe Photoshop & Illustrator.

Web Designer & Developer Dylan RMC, remote
Summer 2021 – Winter 2021

- Took client priorities to responsive portfolio site for fine artist, Dylan Rhon McMahon.
- Added interactivity to highlighted work with Adobe products & CSS tools.

JavaScript tutor & TA Kris Elyse Designs LLC & Code Tenderloin
Summer 2020-Jan 2021

- Taught kids, age 7-9, fundamentals of HTML & JS.
- Utilized gaming applications to harness learning engagement.
- Coached students through creating a website.
- TA'd & tutored remotely through Code Tenderloin/CodeRamp's JavaScript program

Crisis Management & Homeless Services Central Texas & Philadelphia, PA
2014-2023

- Prior to my transition to tech, I spent almost a decade in the social work. Ask me about it!