YINGSHAN(LEAH) CHEN

UX Designer | Instructional Designer

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EDUCATION

New York University Sep 2023 - May 2025

Master of Arts - Learning Technology and Experience Design

Wuhan University Sep 2019 - June 2023

Bachelor of Laws - Politics, Philosophy, and Economics (PPE), Honor Graduate

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

UX/UI Designer & UX Researcher • SafeGo

Sep 2024 - Present

- Conducted in-depth user research, including 172 survey responses, 3 competitive analyses, 5 interviews, and extensive desk research, to uncover the motivations, challenges, and needs of solo female travelers.
- Designed 2 comprehensive user personas, to represent key audience segments.
- Created user flow, storyboards, and a user journey map to visually depict key user interactions and ensure a seamless experience throughout the app.
- Proposed an app concept designed to address safety concerns and enhance travel confidence for solo female travelers.

Project Manager & UX Designer • Ople

Sep 2024 - Dec 2024

- Collaborated with a team of 4 and the Ople client to develop systematic guidelines for improving the existing version of the Ople app, incorporating user research insights and aligning with client objectives.
- Conducted usability tests on the app, recruited participants, designed test scripts, and analyzed user feedback to identify key pain points and areas for improvement.
- Produced detailed usability reports, summarizing key findings, recommendations, and action items for the development team of Ople company.
- Redesigned key app features, improved user engagement and enhanced the app's intuitive design.

Instructional Designer & Researcher • Sleep Better

Feb 2024 - May 2024

- Interviewed 5 users and 2 experts, and collected 60 survey responses, finding that 65% of young people suffer from insomnia, mainly due to resource scarcity and time constraints.
- Analyzed 3 competing products, created 2 personas, and developed an internal website for summaries and visualization, including logic models and journey maps.
- Designed a 4-unit online course, and created a 20-page high-fidelity prototype.

UX/UI Design Lead & UX Researcher • Metch

Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

- Conducted user research, including 30+ surveys and 8 interviews, and discovered more than 60% of employees have problems with breaking social bubbles with their colleagues.
- Created journey map, empathy map, personas, and storyboard to visualize user needs.
- Led the design of the mobile app, and produced wireframes and 40+ pages of lo-fi prototypes.
- Conducted usability testing and heuristic evaluation.
- Led the iteration, improved navigation, and search functionalities, introduced onboarding interfaces, and built a 30-page high-fidelity prototype.

Researcher • How Do Prosody Affect Reading Comprehension

Sep 2021 - May 2023

- Conducted research design, prepared research materials, and recruited participants.
- Developed experimental programs, conducted testing and 20+ surveys, and iterated twice on improvements.
- Conducted eye-tracking experiments and surveys, obtained data from 93 subjects, and 100+ surveys.
- Conducted and analyzed data using SPSS and Excel, revealing prosody facilitated new reading patterns.
- Published a paper in *International Journal of Education and Humanities*.

OTHERS

- Language: Mandarin (Native), English (Professional working)
- Skills: User Research, Instructional Design, Interaction Design, Wireframing, Prototyping, Web Design, Illustration, HTML/CSS, Eye-tracking Technique
- Tools: Adobe Photoshop, Figma, Procreate, Spline, Google Suite, MS Office, Notion, SPSS, G*Power, Canva, Wix, Rise360



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教育背景 EDUCATION

纽约大学 2023.09 - 2025.05

硕士|教育科技与用户体验设计

武汉大学 2019.09 - 2023.06

学士|政治学,经济学与哲学|荣誉毕业生

项目经历 PROJECT EXPERIENCE

SafeGo UX/UI设计师,用户研究员

2024.09 - 2025.05

- 项目背景:研究发现80%女性独自旅行者关注旅行安全问题,现有旅行安全产品痛点明显。
- 研究方法: 收集172份问卷,进行5次深度访谈,分析3类竞品,归纳核心需求与痛点,明确产品定位。
- 设计方案: 创建2份目标用户画像,绘制用户旅程地图、故事版、用户流,可视化用户需求并且完善交互逻辑。
- 产品开发:设计女性独自旅行安全APP,输出低保真原型(30页),预计于2025年5月完成可用性测试与高保真原型设计。

Ople|项目经理,UX/UI设计师

2024.09 - 2024.12

- 研究规划:与Ople负责人对接,制定系统的研究计划与迭代设计方案,保证项目进度与内容符合客户需求。
- 用户研究:组织6轮可用性测试,招募测试者、撰写测试脚本、分析用户行为数据。
- 设计优化:识别用户痛点,总结关键改进方向,撰写可用性测试报告,为开发团队提供优化建议。
- 成果交付:针对用户参与度和直观性问题,优化应用关键功能的交互设计,创建高保真 UI设计稿。

Sleep Better | 设计师,研究员

2024.02 - 2024.05

- 研究背景: 65%的用户受到失眠困扰,60%受访用户希望通过短视频或互动内容获取个性化的助眠指导,但现有 产品以不可定制的视频或音频为主。
- 研究方法: 收集60份问卷,5次用户访谈+2次睡眠领域专家访谈,调研3类助眠产品,提炼差异化设计机会点。
- 设计方案: 创建2份用户画像,绘制逻辑模型、用户旅程地图,制作网站展示工作总结和研究结果。
- 产品成果:设计音视频+文本+游戏模拟+论坛的4单元线上课程,制作25页高保真原型。

Metch UI/UX 设计师,用户研究员

2023.09-2023.12

- 研究方法: 收集30+份调查问卷,访谈8位用户,归纳研究数据并创建亲和图,定义目标用户、痛点和需求。
- 研究发现:超过60%新员工在打开社交圈上存在障碍,用户对跨部门社交和职场环境包容性有高需求。
- 设计输出:绘制用户旅程地图、共情地图、用户画像、故事板,可视化研究结果。
- 产品设计:设计了社交餐饮APP,绘制线框图及低保真原型共40页。
- 用户测试:组织3场可用性测试,编写研究计划、研究报告以及迭代计划。
- 最终成果:优化产品体验及UI设计,最终交付高保真原型共计30页。

韵律在第二语言阅读理解中的作用:基于眼动的证据 | 研究员

2021.09-2023.05

认知心理学方向实验研究,运用眼动研究考查韵律背景音在英语阅读理解中的作用。

- 撰写研究计划与文献综述;
- 编写实验材料、录制实验音频,对20+名被试进行背景调查及预实验;
- 编写、测试、修改实验程序,招募被试共93名;
- 运用眼动追踪及调查问卷等方法进行数据收集,共收集100+名被试的眼动数据及测试成绩;
- 使用SPSS和Excel进行数据分析,发现韵律有利于新的阅读模式的产生;
- 在International Journal of Education and Humanities期刊发表论文。

职业技能 SKILLS

- 设计:用户体验设计(用户画像,旅程地图,低保真-高保真原型),网站设计,学习设计
- 研究: 用户研究(用户访谈,调查问卷,可用性测试),眼动实验,数据分析,学术论文撰写
- 工具: Figma, Google Suite, MS Office, Notion, Procreate, Adobe Photoshop, Spline, SPSS, G*Power, Canva, Wix, Rise360, HTML/CSS
- 语言: 英语(托福106, CET-6), 普通话(一级乙等)