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UX / UI Designer

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Personal Info

UX/UI Designer with 2 years of experience creating beautiful and enjoyable designs with users in mind. Strong organizational and interpersonal skills gleaned from a 6+ year background in teaching as well as social work.

Skills

Interviewing	<div><div></div></div>
Usability Testing	<div><div></div></div>
Wireframing	<div><div></div></div>
Prototyping	<div><div></div></div>
Active Listening	<div><div></div></div>
Collaboration	<div><div></div></div>

Hard Skills

Figma	<div><div></div></div>
Adobe XD	<div><div></div></div>
Invision	<div><div></div></div>
Adobe Photoshop	<div><div></div></div>
Adobe Illustrator	<div><div></div></div>
HTML & CSS	<div><div></div></div>
VS Code	<div><div></div></div>

Experience

Lead UX/UI Designer at Wagtrax

May 2020 - May 2021

- Founding Partner and Sole Designer
- Conducted all user and market research and presented findings
- Developed wireframes and prototypes, conducted all usability testing, as well as presented findings to the team
- Facilitated communication between Owner, Stakeholders, and Dev Team

School Age Teacher at Baseline Learning Tree

Oct. 2020-April 2020

- Led a classroom of 30+ children between the ages of 6 and 12
- Organized the classroom and daily schedule to facilitate a smooth flow and a calm environment for learning
- Selected developmentally appropriate activities to best teach the weekly lesson

Case Aide at Hobby Horse House Child Welfare Agency

2011-2015

- Led and coordinated the FCS program, which taught weekly life lessons to at-risk youth via fun games and activities
- Supervised familial visits and offered parental guidance and coaching as needed
- Drastically improved communication between HHH and clients via visitation contracts, which clearly stated rules and expectations for familial visits

Education

BA in Psychology / Gender Studies

2011-2015

- Cum Laude
- Relevant Coursework: Design, Social Psych, Experimental Psych
- Presented Martha E Church Award for Commitment to Diversity

UC San Diego - Interaction Design Spec. via Coursera

2020-2021

- Relevant Coursework: Design Principles, Research, Prototyping, Usability Testing

Hobbies

- Music, Art, Macrame, Interior Design
- Coffee & Espresso
- D&D, Gaming, Anime