# Leonardo Almeida

# **Product Designer**

Always curious. Always learning. Self-entitled jack of all trades (and thankfully, master of a few). Currently in love with ThreeJS, design systems, and building gundams.

# Experience

#### **Product Designer** at Hexaware

08/2022 - present

- · Current member of the culture crew.
- · Designed concepts for RFIs and RFPs.
- · Shared learnings and findings during Share & Lunch sessions.

#### **Product Designer** at LSEG (through Hexaware)

09/2022 - 07/2024

- Worked on the expansion of LSEG's design system.
- Developed a structured contribution model and an auditing guideline, increasing component adoption and decreasing detachment.
- Worked on the redesign of LSEG's employee experience home page, later shortlisted for the IoIC awards.
- Helped with the implementation of new ways-of-working for the design team.

#### Product Designer at Be - Bilingual Education

06/2020 - 03/2022

- Successfully designed and launched Beyond, a mix between LMS and CMS, Be Education's own platform used by over 38.000 students daily.
- Created a component library to be used in future expansion of Beyond.

#### **UX Designer (graduation internship)** at Gemeente Haarlem

02/2021 - 06/2021

- Worked with Innovation and Social Research teams to help Haarlem resident's keep track of their benefits.
- Delivered designs for benefit overview, messaging and document upload, and appointment request screens.

### **Digital Transformation Designer** at Digital Society School

09/2019 - 01/2020

Worked in a multidisciplinary team to bring better work dynamics to the Dutch print industry. As a team, we:

- Created MINDSET SHIFT, a toolkit of techniques, aimed at print houses who would like to improve how they run projects and teams.
- Designed interfaces for the A&O Hub, an app where designers can find the most suitable print houses and paper for their projects.

#### **Product Manager (founding member)** at Mind Makers

01/2016 - 09/2018

- Co-authored 20+ educational booklets, used in classrooms by over 100.000 students in Brazil.
- Developed educational content in form of a curriculum for students aged 6 and up.
- Taught children problem solving and computer science, all in a project based learning model.

### Skills & Tools

**UX:** Design Systems strategy, Wireframing, Figma prototyping, Customer journey maps, Workshop facilitating, User stories, Product design, Information architecture, User flows, WCAG, Design thinking

Visual: UI design, Illustrator

**Programming:** JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Python, APIs/JSON

**Creative coding:** Three.js, p5.js, Arduino, Electronics

### Education

B.Sc. User Experience Design The Hague University of Applied Sciences

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