Matthew Higgins

Designer

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Experience

🦅 Barclays

Design Lead, Sep 2015 – Present

Leading a Google Ventures style co-located team of designers and researchers, designing the future of fintech at Barclays. Our goal is to ideate and deliver compelling experiences that will grow our current customer base of 24 million people. Working incredibly closely with the product and engineering departments.

Previous to that role, I was the design lead for Barclays' design system. Working very closely with all of the design and engineering teams within the Barclays Group to create a beautiful design system for native apps and web.

d Deltatre

Digital Designer, Nov 2010 – Sep 2015

During my time at Deltatre, I worked on many projects among the UxD team. Below are a selection.

The official London 2012 website, iOS and Android app. BBC's "Intelligent video player". Channel 4's 2012 & 2016 Paralympic website, iOS and Android app. FIFA.com. Europeantour.com, iOS and Android app. Englandrugby.com. UEFA Champions League and Europa League TV graphics package. Premier League's Match Tracker.

Experience

NTU Nottingham Trent University

MA, Graphic Design, 2009 – 2010

🏛 University of Lincoln

BA, Digital Media, 2007 – 2009

Skills

Mobile and web design
Design systems
Animation
Prototyping
Accessibility
Design research & testing
Design sprint facilitation
Team and stakeholder management

I also have a good understanding of HTML, CSS, Git and I'm currently learning Swift and Firebase.

Tools

Sketch
Adobe XD
After Effects
Photoshop
Proto.io
Atom
GitHub
Xcode

Achievements

BAFTA Award (Digital Creativity)
Webby Award
Speaker at The Royal College of Art
Mentor at Ravensbourne University

A self-initiated project at Barclays was featured on BBC News - Technology
https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-38054298

References

Available upon request