

# NICK MERRITT

full-stack designer

#### **PROFILE**

I'm a Full-Stack Designer who has spent the last 13 years honing my craft. I have a broad range of experience in Creative Direction, Branding, UX/UI Design and Front-end Development. I love solving design problems through user-centered design and powerful visual story-telling. I'm looking for a collaborative team where I can continue to learn and grow while contributing to a mission I believe in.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

■ MIND RESEARCH INSTITUTE - JULY 2017 - PRESENT Visual Design Manager

www.mindresearch.org / www.stmath.com

My responsibilities include managing the design team at a higher, strategic level, while also contributing as lead designer. I build connections with other creative teams throughout the organization to encourage collaboration across multiple projects. In addition, I also mentor my team and help create growth paths to ensure they are being challenged creatively. Our team is responsible for all marketing design in addition to building and maintaining multiple online products.

- □ FREELANCE / CONTRACT JULY 2015 JULY 2017
- ☐ KITBASH BRAND DESIGN OCT 2013 JULY 2015
  Art Director / Product Designer
  www.getkitbashed.com

A small agency with big ideas. My focus at Kitbash was on branding, product design and development. I worked with clients to help design a wide range of experiences including personal blogs, eCommerce sites, and mobile products.

□ THINK WEBSTORE - SEP 2010 - MAY 2014 Art Director / Senior Web Designer www.thinkwebstore.com

Joining such a small team allowed me to gain experience in several different creative areas (web, social media, branding, advertising, etc.). I was able to use my experience to teach and push others creatively.

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- □ UX Design□ Branding□ UI/Visual Design□ Marketing
- ☐ Front-end Development ☐ Video Editing
- ☐ Photoshop ☐ After Effects
- □ Illustrator □ HTML
- □ Figma □ CSS
- ☐ Sketch ☐ JavaScript

### **EDUCATION**

- The Art Institute of Atlanta
- Northwest Mississippi Community College

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