Nicolas Pak

RESEARCH

Interviews Surveys Observation Behavioral Mapping Cognitive Mapping Concept Mapping Storyboarding Think Aloud **Benchmark Studies** Web Analytics Mind Mapping Focus Groups Contextual Inquiry Personas A/B Testing **Usability Testing**

DESIGN

Ethnography

Balsamiq
Sketch
Figma
Photoshop
Adobe InVision
Adobe XD
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Capture
Fusion360

PROGRAMMING

HTML/CSS JavaScript Node.js JSON

C#

Ruby

Perl

Python

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Java

Arduino

SQL

PHP

C++ AWS Cloud

EDUCATION

Indiana University, Luddy School of Informatics, Computing and Engineering

Bloomington, IN | August 2016 - May 2020

GPA: 3.438/4.0

Bachelor of Science in Informatics

Spring 2020 Dean's List

Minor: Human Computer Interaction

EXPERIENCES AND PROJECTS

Healthcare Journey Lab | Bloomington, IN Web Developer | Aug 2019 - Present

- Understood the current research team's needs through team surveys and interviews, created a roadmap for the Research team website to achieve the objective of visually representing current studies conducted by the lab members.
- Facilitated the design process by leveraging Adobe XD, which lead to implementing the wireframe's design in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and making the website responsive
- Conducted A/B testing to 150 people after a one month Agile design sprint; spotted the user pain point on the speed of the website performance, navigation bar and the search bar of the website UI layout.
- Improved the time of the site accessibility by average of 2 seconds by optimizing images, and minimizing HTML/CSS/JS code files.
- Successfully launched the Healthcare Research Team website using AWS S3, reaching over 200+ users.

Undergraduate Research at Indiana University | Bloomington, Indiana UX Research Intern | Jan 2020 - May 2020

- Selected as a research opportunity candidate, coordinated the UX project and assigned roles between 3 other cross functional team members using Agile/Scrum, tracking the project development process.
- Gathered data on people's recycling, and waste management practices by conducting behavioural studies, observations, and surveys to understand the current waste management methods, behaviour and waste management technique.
- Analyzed the key takeaways from behavioural studies and surveys, produced a design proposal by wireframing the contactless waste management mobile application using Adobe XD.

VICI Transport iOS Application | Bloomington, IN Mobile Application Designer & Developer | May 2019 - Present

- Developed a use cases and priority features list to map out the user's journey with the product and tracked every spring and progress using Agile/Scrum.
- Wireframed the low fidelity model of the application using Balsamiq to design the UI architecture and content layout.
- Designed the high fidelity model of the application using Adobe XD to design the interaction flow and conceptualize interaction behaviour.
- Implemented the wireframe's design and functionality in Swift, and JSON, implemented a user login and payment feature using Facebook SDK and PayPal API to achieve the objective of convient user account set up and payment.

LEADERSHIP

UX Design and Research Club | Bloomington, IN President, Co-Founder | Aug 2018 - Present

- Created a roadmap for UX Design & Research club meetings to achieve the objective of helping undergraduate/graduate students to fulfill their interest as a UX Researcher and UX Designer.
- Managing and communicating with the club executive board members using JIRA to coordinate for weekly club meeting activities such as UX mock interview practices and UX project workshops.
- Increased the club membership from 30 people to 64 people throughout a 3 month time frame by actively creating club flyers using Adobe Illustrator.