# **Nishal Nandigam**

## **Product Designer**

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### **Summary**

Product designer with experience in crafting solutions at the intersection of designing for the user and designing for the Al.

### **Experience**

#### Peacock • Principal Product Designer

Feb 2024 - Present • New York, NY

Design lead for Content Discovery and Personalization on Peacock streaming platform.

- Personalization Design SME, partnering closely with Product, Research, Data Insights, and ML teams to craft strategy and initiatives on where we could inject AI and Gen AI to improve personalization and enhance discovery of content.
- Crafted scalable architectural system to surface metadata to merchandise content. This
  new framework flexes to handle unique content and marketplace needs, account for
  future personalization of metadata, and enables us to quickly set up and run new
  metadata experiments.

#### **Spotify** • Senior Product Designer

Feb 2022 - Feb 2024 • New York, NY

Design lead for personalization strategy and user experience of the Spotify Home page.

- Home Content Design Lead reimagining the architecture and browsing experience of
  the Home page. Collaborated with user research, data science, and ML teams to
  identify user needs and product opportunities, establish new feed UX principles and
  best practices, and craft new methods for the user to retrieve and discover content.
- Crafted new UI component strategy for the Spotify Home page. This involved better classifying our recommendations, creating new UI components, aligning visual language, and contributing back to the Spotify design library.
- Personalization Design Lead for the integration of Audiobooks into the Home
  ecosystem. Defined user needs for audiobooks through user research, ideated on new
  recommendation content hypotheses and experiences, and scaled existing components
  for audiobooks. Collaborated with Audiobook designers across the company to align
  end-to-end experience.

#### Amazon • Senior UX Designer

Jun 2017 - Dec 2021 • Seattle, WA

Product strategy and design for Amazon's customer service experiences.

- Designer for Amazon's Customer Service tool for associates. Lead reimagining the tool
  from a retail-specific tool to an Amazon-wide platform that enables other businesses to
  host their customer service tools for associates to use. Responsible for developing
  global navigation, defining ownership, migration paths, scalable patterns, and UX
  documentation.
- Crafted the long term vision for Amazon Customer self-service. Explored concepts,
  mocked up and tested designs, developed the narrative, and pitched to VP leadership to
  align the Customer Service org on their self-service North Star vision.
- Lead designer for Amazon's Customer Service Chatbot. Facilitated design sprints, group
  ideation, and analysis to inform the future vision of the product. Defined and designed
  the desktop version of the chatbot. Tested, designed, and launched the chatbot in the
  Japan and German marketplaces.

#### Amazon • UX Design Intern

May 2016 - Jul 2016 • Seattle, WA

Design strategy for Amazon's post-purchase customer experience.

 Redesigned and validated the experience where customers can track the progress of their shipment. Awarded a U.S. Design Patent for the ornamental design of this tracker.

## **Education**

## **University of Michigan**

Sep 2013 - Apr 2017 • Ann Arbor, MI

Bachelor's of Science in Information, User Experience Design Path Minor in Computer Science Engineering

Skills	Interaction Design	Prototyping	Visual Design	Web Design
	Design for Al	Storytelling	Systems Design	Workshopping