# **Manoj Rai**

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# **Experience**

#### Creative Head

Sireto Technology | Apr 2023 - May 2024

- As the Creative Head of the company, ensured every project adhered to high standards of creativity and innovation, overseeing all design processes to deliver exceptional results.
- Performed usability testing, user interviews, wireframes, and high fidelity prototypes.
- Created a design system for the bettercollected form builder, ensuring consistency and improving the overall user experience.
- Contributed to Cardano blockchain projects such as Kuber IDE, and Autonomous Agent Testing and also designed the Cardano Mempool site
- Collaborated with the marketing team to align design strategies with marketing goals, ensuring a cohesive and effective user experience.

#### UI/UX Designer

Tootle | Dec 2022 - Apr 2023

- Performed competitor analysis, A/B testing, and UX strategy.
- Designed wireframes, journey maps, and high-fidelity prototypes using Figma.

#### UI/UX Designer

Freelance | Jun 2022 - Dec 2022

- Worked with startup companies, overseeing the design of their logos and social media posts,
  while also managing client relationships and mentoring junior designers
- Successfully led client meetings, ensuring effective communication and project alignment.
- Worked for 20+ clients.

#### UI/UX Designer

Idea Breed Technology | Jan 2020 - Jun 2022

- Led visual design of government applications such as Sifarish and CDMIS.
- Contributed to projects supporting the Nepali language.
- Designed admin sites for multiple clients.
- Managed meetings with international clients, facilitating effective communication, understanding their requirements, and ensuring alignment between project goals and client expectations, resulting in successful collaborations and positive outcomes.

# **Teaching & Mentor**

## Freelance Mentor

Cosmic Creative Lab | Apr 2023 - May 2024\

Served as a UI/UX mentor for junior designers, providing guidance in design principles and tools like Figma.

# Mentor

Cosmic Creative Lab | Aug 2022 - Dec 2022

Served as a UI/UX mentor for interns and designers, providing guidance, feedback, and practical training to nurture their skills and foster professional growth in the field of user interface and experience design.

## **Education**

## Nepal College of Information Technology

IT

#### **Orient College**

+2 Science

#### Suryodaya Sai Secondary School

School Leaving Certificate

#### **Skills**

#### Design

User Experience Design  $\cdot$  Interaction Design  $\cdot$  User Interface Design  $\cdot$  Physical Prototype and Digital Prototyping  $\cdot$  Visual Design  $\cdot$  Wireframing  $\cdot$  Low-High Fidelity Mockups

#### Research

 $\label{thm:linear} \textbf{User Interviews} \cdot \textbf{User Testing} \cdot \textbf{Information Architecture} \cdot \textbf{Journey Mapping Design Strategy}$ 

#### Software

 $Figma \cdot Balsamiq \cdot GitHub \cdot Illustrator \cdot After Effects (basic) \cdot Adobe \ XD \cdot HTML \cdot CSS \cdot Relume \cdot Chat \ GPT \cdot Penpot \cdot MS \ Word \cdot Spline$ 

## Visual Design

 $\label{eq:logological} \mbox{Logo Design} \cdot \mbox{Poster Design} \cdot \mbox{Branding} \cdot \mbox{Typography} \cdot \mbox{Iconography} \cdot \mbox{Book Design} \cdot \mbox{Web Design} \cdot \mbox{Letterhead Design}$ 

## Other Skills

 $Rapid\ Iteration \cdot Cross-functional\ Collaboration\ and\ Communication \cdot \\ Human-centered\ Approach \cdot Provide\ and\ Solicit\ feedback \cdot Agile\ Methodologies \cdot \\ Problem\ Solving$ 

# **Certificates & Courses**

Build Wireframes and Low-Fidelity Prototypes - Coursera

Prompt Engineering - Skillshare

Enterprise Design Thinking Practitioner - IBM Training

Foundations of User Experience (UX) Design – Coursera

Cyber Security/Ethical Hacking - Workshop

Brand Strategy for Designers - LinkedIn Learning

Spline Design: Create Objects, Scenes and Animations in 3D- Skillshare