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Jun '15 – Aug '17

Senior Product Designer

For **2.5 yrs** at **Coatue**, a hedge fund and venture capital firm. I worked alongside our CTO defining the product roadmap and managing the workflow for 16 developers. Leading strategy to the execution of new ideas within our desktop, iPad, and iPhone applications.

Nov '13 – May '15

Lead Designer

For **1.5 yrs** at **Tigerspike**, an Australian design firm in San Francisco. I worked alongside a UX, PM, VP, SVP and 4 engineers building out the SF branch. Scaling up to 15 employees and working with clients such as Macy's, SFMOMA, Kaiser, DirectTV, AFV, and others.

Jul '13 – Mar '14

Product Design Consultant

For **1 yr** with small to medium business building their design and product strategy. My clients were Westfield Labs, Industry Ventures (VC firm), Wondersitter (babysitting services) and Explory (timeline based storytelling) and others.

Oct '10 – Jul '13

Creative Director

For **3yrs** at **Moovweb**, starting off as the 7th employee. In the beginning I wore many hats (developer, QA, business development and project manager) but as we grew, I ended up as the Creative Director where I built a team of 4 designers and managed design efforts for our product, branding, marketing, and services teams. When I left, we were 120 employees in total and successfully raised a seed and \$16m Series A rounds.

Formal Education:

Studied Computer Arts and New Media at Academy of Art University in San Francisco. Received a Diploma in Business Administration from Kardan University.

Skills:

Product Design (UX, UI & Front-end Engineering), Design Management and Prototyping. Proficient with Adobe Creative Suite, Sketch and Framer.

Talk to me about:

How I tackled a bear at Tahoe? Why am I fascinated with design history? When did I decide to take a 5 month sabbatical to South America? How many eggs have I eaten in a single sitting?

Language:

English, Dari/Farsi, Hindi