Parth Shiralkar

Webby-nominated **UI/UX Designer and Web Developer** with 3+ years of experience crafting user-centric web and mobile applications & sites. Proficient in **Figma, HTML5, SCSS, and JavaScript**, with a strong focus on intuitive design and collaboration with cross-functional teams. Committed to delivering visually appealing, functional features that enhance user satisfaction and drive business growth. Big fan of flowers and treasure.

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EXPERIENCE

Freelance

Web Designer & Developer

June 2024 - Present

Pune, Maharashtra

- Utilize advanced design tools like Lunacy and Figma to wireframe, prototype, and design high-fidelity user interfaces, leading to increased user retention and interactions across the board; measured using privacy-friendly analytics.
- Collaborate with diverse clients across various industries including product-based corporations, delivering custom websites and applications that enhance user engagement and lead to a 50% increase in client conversions.
- Design optimized and engaging websites, undertaking SEO duties for clients' sites, resulting in a 40% boost in organic traffic and a 25% increase in site speed, improving overall user experience.

Web Developer

July 2021 - May 2024

Portland, Oregon

Owen Jones and Partners

- Developed custom code for clients like Disney & UnitedHealthGroup and internal teams, blending static and CMS-driven approaches to build and deliver over 15 business and product websites, including e-commerce projects.
- Spearheaded the development of internal toolkits and highly reusable web components and libraries, boosting developer productivity by 40% and cutting development preparation time in half.
- Devised CI/CD pipelines to enable automated builds, tests, containerization, and continuous delivery of modules, decreasing deployment time from days to hours and reducing errors by 25%.
- Integrated cutting-edge technologies into projects to modernize the project tech stack, resulting in a 35% increase in application performance and lowering maintenance costs by \$20,000 annually.

Software Development Intern

May 2020 - August 2020

Homepainter LLC

Ames, Iowa

- Designed, developed and tested high-quality, accessible webpages and Angular components for Homepainter's SaaS
 website, enhancing user experience and increasing site accessibility compliance by 25%.
- Wireframed and built out a new contractor platform from scratch in Angular, including the login state functionality, resulting in a 90% increase in monthly revenue and attracting 50 new contractors within the first quarter.
- Established a new code organization standard in the agile SDLC, leading to a 20% increase in code throughput and significantly enhancing documentation quality within the main working repository.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Information Systems (GPA: 3.9 / 4.00)

Aug 2018 - May 2021

Iowa State University

Pune University - PCCOE&R

Ames, Iowa

- Certification: Business Analytics | Graduate Minor in Philosophy
- **Teaching:** Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant (Network Infrastructure)

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering (GPA: 3.8 / 4.00)

Jul 2014 - May 2018

Pune, Maharashtra

SKILLS

Web Development: JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML, CSS, SASS, PHP, Laravel, RESTful and GraphQL APIs

UI/UX: Wireframing, Prototyping, User Research, Usability Testing, Interaction Design, A/B Testing, WCAG

Tools: Git, Node.js, Eleventy.js, P5.js, React.js; Figma, Lunacy, Wireframe.cc, Adobe XD, Canva; Utopia Spacers, Lottie.js, Stencil.js, Storybook, Webpack, Jenkins, Jira, Jest, Google Analytics; WordPress, CraftCMS, Sanity

Concepts: Responsive Web Design and Front-end UX/UI Development, Search Engine Optimization (SEO), Performance Optimization, Static Site Generation (SSG), Web Security, Liquid/Nunjucks Templating

PROJECTS AND PUBLICATIONS

UnitedHealthGroup & Company Website CraftCMS, Gulp, DDEV, JavaScript, Nunjucks	2024
Choose Kindness (Disney) & Anti-bullying Resource Website Wordpress, Composer, SASS	2023
• 🔗 2023 Webby Awards Nominee for Best User Interface 🔗 2023 Anthem Awards Finalist (Health)	
Cana & Product/E-commerce Website WordPress, PHP, TWIG	2022
Dark Patterns on the Internet & Research Paper	2021
Journalist/Columnist Publications & Weekly Columns for the Iowa State Daily	2019 - 2021
Rare Objects in Strange Places (a collection of fictional stories) & Kindle E-book	2020