# PARVEEN JAGAJEEVAN

# PRODUCT DESIGNER & LEADER

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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- I have 10+ years of experience working in agency and client-side settings across a wide variety of industries that includes everything from healthcare, eCommerce, cybersecurity, and direct marketing.
- In the past 3 years I have released 9 products to my users and each time, I worked as a full stack designer working to balance business needs with user needs
- I negotiate and collaborate well with cross-functional groups and have convinced naysayers with thoughtfelt presentation and validation of design choices.
- Naturally curious, I am pursuing an M.S. in Human-Computer Interaction and I keep up on trends by following industry blogs, Medium authors, and podcasts.
- I love mentoring designers and have helped them overcome personal and business challenges on the path to becoming better at their craft.

#### **EXPERIENCE** (additional detail found at linkedin.com/in/parveenj)

Principle Design Consultant ⊙ Story Agent ⊙ 2012 - Present

I work as a Product Design consultant working with a range of companies such as:

**Symantec:** While leading an agile team, I designed a new B2B eCommerce product flow that ties the experience together between the entire Trust Services product line

**Apple:** I researched and designed an application that helped the Online Support team increase their productivity by 30%

**SAP:** I designed 5 new tablet applications for a global tradeshow aimed at selling new services to SAP's healthcare clients

**Ericsson:** I drove design thinking sessions within the Global Innovation team and earned the group an extra \$30,000 in funding to build new products.

Lead Product Designer ⊙ FireEye ⊙ 6/2015 - 10/2016

I led a team of 3 product designers as we designed user-centered features for the core products. I would work through various aspects of the complete design life cycle while collaborating with cross-functional teams to deliver security products. I also led the release of FireEye's first design system to help speed up the development process.

- Design Program Manager ⊙ Deem ⊙ 2012 2013

  Reporting directly to the VP of Design, I led the UX team and established an agile design process flow alongside doing hands-on design work.
- eCommerce Program Manager ⊙ Walmart.com ⊙ 2011 2012
   I led the delivery of customer experience products of the world's largest retailer, whichincluded shopping cart enhancements such as guest checkout and coupons integration.
- Sr. Web Producer / Designer ⊙ Nimbus Design ⊙ 2006 2010
  I led all design project work for a boutique design agency that produced work for clients such as Stanford Children's Hospital, Cisco, and Google.

#### **SKILLS**

**USER RESEARCH** 

Usability Testing User Journeys
User Interviews Contextual Inquiry

Competitive Analysis Analytics

INTERACTION DESIGN

Sitemaps Information Architecture

Flow diagrams Microinteractions

Clickable Wireframes

**VISUAL DESIGN** 

Sketch Adobe Creative Suite

Pencil + Paper Storyboarding

**PROTOTYPING** 

HTML CSS jQuery Axure

Invision Atomic Design Systems

**MANAGEMENT** 

Direct Reports Agile Design Sprints

Strategy Planning Mentoring Designers

Cross-functional team collaboration

Requirements Definition

## **EDUCATION**

DePaul University MS HCI (2017)

Academy of Art University
3D Computer Animation (75% of BFA)

University of California, Davis BS Zoology / Minor in Film

## **VOLUNTEER WORK**

Personal Mentor for new designers

Design Lead with Taproot Foundation

Volunteer with BayCHI