

Paul James Sabandal



I'm a Product Designer based from Manila, Philippines.
Crafting experiences by gathering data from users to providing a solutions for them, digitally.

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EXPERIENCES

Head of Product Development

Qwikwire (November 2018 – Present)

- Contributes to the end-to-end processes related to product discovery.
- Initiates the creation of AQWIRE and Qwikwire design system.
- Collaborate and work cross-functionally with the marketing, and customer services to address stakeholders needs and concerns.
- Involves on identifying problems and opportunities, to defining solutions that we'll deliver to our valued customers.

Product Designer

Qwikwire (July 2016 – November 2018)

- Designed and contributed on the development of the company's main products such as payment portals and auto-debit process.
- Interviewed and worked with biggest real estate developers in the Philippines such as Century Properties, Double Dragon, Revolution Pre-crafted, DMCI, Aboitizland etc.
- Represented the company in APEC O2O summit in Malaysia, Taiwan and Philippines
- Lead the UI/UX design and helped develop projects for AQWIRE, a product of Qwikwire
- Released a product roadmap for the Minimum Valuable Product of AQWIRE
- Helped the AQWIRE's CTO to develop the AQWIRE's telegram bot which gathered almost 15,000 members the can help out to raise money for company's ICO (Initial Coin Offering)

Front-End Developer (Part Time)

Pica Pinas (April 2017 – February 2018)

- Collaborate with the CEO of the company about design and implementation
- Worked with the tech team located in Beijing, China through Gitlab
- Contributed in the company's UI Library
- Developed UI of the merchant's dashboard
- Developed the company's main website

Web Developer

AffinityX (January 2016 - August 2016)

- Design and Coded Email Templates and Websites
- Collaborated to the 10 Web Developers who were able to deliver 67 websites in 1 week

Ruby on Rails Developer

E-Law Solutions (December 2013 – December 2015)

- Developed UI and Features of the main web app
- Worked closely with the CTO of the company
- Helped managing interns
- Contributed on the development of company's main website

EDUCATION

Quezon City Polytechnic University

Class of 2016

- Project manager for our thesis called JuanWifi (A coin-based Wifi Access).
- Nominated as Best Thesis for the class 2016
- Represented the school for IT Olympics 2016

PROFICIENCIES

Tools

Figma for Design,
VSCode and Github for Development,
Notion for Documentation,
Trello for Project Management

Design

User Research,
Prototyping,
Usability Testing,
User Flows,
Interface Design

Development

HTML, CSS, SCSS, JS,
MERN Stack (Mongo, Express, ReactJS, Node),
GatsbyJS,
Ant Design,
Ruby on Rails,
Wordpress

ACHIEVEMENTS

Google DevFest 2016 Hackthon Champion

SM Aura (October 2016)

- Build an app that can be useful for the upcoming christmas.

Featured Work in Figma Official Resources

(October 2018)

- Created a figma template for Value Proposition Canvas.