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Designer



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# **EDUCATION**

University of Virginia Bachelor of Arts in English 2013-2017

# **PROJECTS**

## Scribble | Thinkful Apprenticeship

- Designed and deployed logos, branding, assets, and prototype for cloud storage system
- Identified user pain-points: lack of collaborative features, easy organization, and accessibility to other apps
- Solved user problem through user testing and surveys

## Virtual Museum | Thinkful Apprenticeship

- Used UX problem-solving and design to create website on interactive immersive experiences in art and history
- Solved user pain-point: wanting more culture while staying at home
- Conducted research, designed logos and branding, created Figma prototype, and tested prototype

# **SKILLS**

#### Research:

Surveys User Interviews Persona building Task flows Wireframing Prototyping

## Front-End:

HTML + CSS

#### **Design Tools:**

Figma InVision Git, Github

# **EXPERIENCE**

## Product Design Apprenticeship | September 2019 - June 2020

Thinkful (Remote)

- Learned industry best practices and design process standards with focus on UX Research, Visual Design, and Frontend development
- Created and deployed projects while learning new tools
- Collaborated several hours every week with senior product designer

## Tutor | September 2019 - present

Educational Connections (Arlington, VA)

- Guided students in project breakdown and time management
- Assisted students one-on-one in essay writing and ACT English needs

## Language Assistant | Sept. 2018 - June 2019

BEDA Program (Madrid, Spain)

- Developed and led curriculum for cultural and language enrichment courses for Spanish secondary students
- Taught students best writing practices for essays and short stories
- Instilled English grammar, writing, and vocabulary skills in students

