CATHERINE ABRAHAM

UX DESIGNER & RESEARCHER

UX Designer with a background in marketing, recruitment, and education. Certified through CareerFoundry, with hands-on experience in user research, wireframing, prototyping and usability testing. Known for strong collaboration and communication across fast-paced, people-focused environments. Adept at creating human-centred solutions that balance business objectives with user needs.



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UX PROJECTS

VOCABULARY APP - LANGUAGE LEARNING TOOL

CareerFoundry UX Introductory Course | 2023

- Designed a mobile app to help users build vocabulary and practise speaking in a second language.
- Conducted competitor analysis and user interviews to identify key user pain points.
- Created user personas and user flows to guide the design process.
- Developed low-fidelity wireframes and an interactive prototype.
- Conducted usability testing and iterated based on findings.
- Final solution: a vocabulary app with built-in conversation practice and peer interaction features.

BEANBUDDY - CAFFEINE COMPANION

CareerFoundry UX Immersion Course | 2024

- Designed a responsive app connecting coffee enthusiasts with expert advice tailored to user interests.
- Conducted user research through interviews and competitive analysis to validate the core problem.
- Created user personas, user flows, and wireframes across low, mid, and high fidelity.
- Developed interactive prototypes and conducted usability testing to refine the user journey.
- Final solution: an expert-led coffee advice platform with one-onone video call booking functionality.

PERSONAL PORTFOLIO WEBSITE

CareerFoundry UX Specialisation Course | 2025

- Designed and developed a custom portfolio website to showcase UX projects.
- Applied front-end development skills including HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Aligned layout and visual language with personal brand identity.
- Created a responsive and accessible user interface optimised for hiring managers and recruiters.

SKILLS



EDUCATION

UX DESIGN PROGRAMME

CareerFoundry | 2023 - 2025

MASTERS IN DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS
University of Sydney | 2015 - 2017

BACHELOR OF ARTS | PSYCHOLOGY University of Western Australia | 2011 - 2014

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EXPERIENCE

ENGLISH TUTOR

Freelance | current

- Designed bespoke lesson plans based on individual learner goals, reflecting user-centred thinking and adaptability.
- Tailored content to accommodate varied learning styles and abilities, enhancing inclusivity and engagement.
- Developed empathetic communication skills essential for user research and stakeholder collaboration

ENGLISH TEACHER - PRE-PRIMARY (EXTRACURRICULAR ROLE)

Private School, Madrid | Jan 2023 - May 2023

- Delivered engaging English-language activities for a class of 10 children aged 3-5 as part of the school's extracurricular programme.
- Created playful, level-appropriate lesson plans to suit a wide range of language abilities.
- Strengthened creative problem-solving and communication skills

RECRUITER & TRAINING COORDINATOR

CHANEL | 2018 - 2020

- Managed end-to-end recruitment across retail, head office and warehouse roles nationwide.
- Spearheaded the rollout of Workday HRIS in alignment with a global hiring initiative, collaborating with IT, HR, and regional teams.
- Organised and facilitated comprehensive three-day onboarding programmes for new hires (20–30 participants per session), including presentation scheduling, venue logistics, tech support, and catering.
- Coordinated internal and overseas development sessions, acting as the liaison between local teams and regional trainers.
- Conducted initial interviews and managed psychometric assessments.

MARKETING & CONTENT EXECUTIVE

Eng Lian Development | 2016 - 2018

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LANGUAGES

ENGLISH

Native

MALAY

Native

SPANISH

Upper Intermediate [B2]

INDONESIAN

Professional Proficiency

MANDARIN

Elementary [HSK2]

KOREAN

Beginner [ISPLR 1]

VOLUNTEER

TAG WRANGLER

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OPERATIONS VOLUNTEER

Women's Aid Organisation | 2019 - 2020

SUPPORT VOLUNTERR

Autism Centre, Perth | 2013 - 2014