

RAUL GARZA

USER EXPERIENCE
DESIGNER/ FRONT-END
DEVELOPER

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SKILLS

USER EXPERIENCE

- User Testing
- User Research/Interviews
- Product Design
- Need Finding
- Personas/Storyboards
- User-Centered Design
- Prototyping

WEB DEVELOPMENT

- Front-End Development
- CSS3
- HTML5
- JavaScript
- React
- Github
- NPM

DESIGN/OTHER

- Marketing
- Team Management
- Public Speaking
- Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Pixelmator Pro
- Spanish
- Communication/Writing
- Empathy

PROFILE

Currently a free-lance User Experience/Interface designer & Front-End Developer looking for employment in the software industry starting 2020, or as soon as possible. I'm very eager to get my feet wet with a job or internship in my area of expertise, and really want to start getting hands on experience with real world problems.

EXPERIENCE

EVENT OPERATIONS ASSISTANT

UCSD RECREATION | 2018 - SEP 2019

- Worked with event coordinators to prepare and run student-athletic events on the UCSD campus.
- Promoted to event lead to help newer members of the events operation team get familiar with the different locations and events on campus.

SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGER / SOCIAL CHAIR

LAMBDA CHI ALPHA FRATERNITY | JAN 2017 - JUN 2019

- Managed social media accounts and created social media for daily postings.
- Increased social media presence overall, followings and likes by 150%.

ENGINEERING INTERN

ZEST DENTAL SOLUTIONS | JUN 2016 - AUG 2016

- Implemented new label-ID configurations onto product packaging through the use of Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator.
- Carried out various tests & validations for new dental product line.

EDUCATION

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, MAJOR IN COGNITIVE SCIENCE
(SPECIALIZATION IN HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION)**

MINOR IN BUSINESS

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO | 2015 - 2019
MAJOR GPA: 3.4
MINOR GPA: 3.2
OVERALL GPA: 3.0

PROJECTS

GREEK2GO

"Greek2Go" is a web app created for students looking to enter a greek organization on campus at UCSD. Greek2Go benefits prospective Greek members by helping them determine and organize what fraternities they would like to join.

MUSICMASTER

"MusicMaster" was another web app project created for DJ's and music lovers to be able to search for songs with similar BPMs & genres. From the Spotify API sourced results, the user can then create playlists from the generated results and play them as they please.

AWARDS

UCSD PROVOST HONORS
HOLD AT LEAST A 3.5 GPA AVERAGE FOR 3 CONSECUTIVE QUARTERS
2018-2019