# **Ahmed Raza**User Experience Designer

## **Portfolio** https://raza-ahmed.github.io/portfolio

## **Profile**

A designer passionate about creating better user experience through aesthetics and problem-solving. Skilled in all stages of the experiential design process, including discovery, ideation, prototyping, and user testing, I have experience working independently as well as collaborating with teams.

## Experience

#### BookMyForex.com UX Design Engineer

APRIL 2017 - PRESENT, GURGAON

- I led the research, prototyping, usability testing and design of new products (finance and travel domain) of the company.
- Collaborated with product managers and stakeholders to improve and add new features in the internal customer management dashboard.
- Redesigned the existing blog which led to the decrease in bounce rate (-30%)
- I conducted 7 user interviews and gathered significant problems in the web and solved the problems through prototyping new design and flow
- Created the hiring criteria and interview process for Designers

#### BookMyForex.com UI/ UX Designer

AUGUST 2016 - MARCH 2017, GURGAON

- Responsible for User Research, Information Architecture, Interaction, and Visual Design, Prototyping and User Testing across the web and mobile products.
- Led mobile-first design approach which resulted in an increase in lead generation to our marketplaces and an increase in conversion rates.
- I collaborated with front end engineers to code the UI.

#### Wegilant Net Solution UI/ UX Designer

AUGUST 2015 - JULY 2016, GURGAON

- Prototyped and designed the user flows and visual styles for Appvigil Customer Dashboard.
- Designed presentations and print materials for the marketing and sales
- Created the user flow, user interface and style guides for Appvigil iOS and Android app.

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## Skills

#### Software

Sketch
Adobe XD
Zeplin
Adobe Creative Suite
Balsamiq
Invision

#### **Design Skills**

Usability and concept testing
Qualitative analysis methods
Sketching and Wireframing
Rapid Prototyping
Interaction Design
Initial brainstorming
Current Practise Analysis
Interview and Surveys

## **Projects**

## Forex Card Management App Design (BookMyForex.com)

Link: https://raza-ahmed.github.io/portfolio/mobile-app.html

- Divided the whole project into 10 modules and working on designs based on priority.
- Modules helped developers start working immediately without waiting for the whole design to complete.
- Created Paper wireframes to discuss the initial idea and problems in the design.
- Explored and experimented with new UX tools to help developers and the team understand the overall project.

## **Tour & Activites Product Design** (BookMyForex.com) Link: https://raza-ahmed.github.io/portfolio/tour-booking.html

- Followed mobile-first design approach to design Tour and Activities booking website.
- Explored competitors websites by creating test orders to understand the flow.
- Created wireframes in Balsamiq and organised design discussion meetings based on the wireframes.

#### Internal CRM Re-design (BookMyForex.com)

- Explored existing dashboard to find out easily visible issues.
- Conducted empathy interview of existing dashboard users to find the major issues
- Collected insights from the interview to design a prototype of the Dashboard
- Designed and launched the dashboard and conducted a post launch interview detected new UX issues

## **Achievements**

#### **Design Hackathon Winner**

Wegilant Net Solutions 2015- One of the 3 winners out of 150 participants

#### **Student Entrepreneur**

Innovate Delhi Entrepreneurship Academy (IDEA) - A Stanford GSB and IIIT Delhi initiative. Learned Design thinking approach of ideating and developing products.

## Android Apps with more than 10,000 users

Designed and developed more than 5 android apps on playstore, having more than 10k downloads and 1k daily users

#### **Additional Skills**

HTML/ CSS3
Android Development
Basic Javascript
Illustration Design
Iconography