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Education

Computer Science,
HCl Specialization
University of Waterloo
Sept. 2019 - April 2024

Toolbox

- Sketch / Figma
- Origami Studio
- Adobe Creative Suite
- HTML / CSS / jQuery

Skills

- Visual Design
- Interaction Design
- Stakeholder Analysis
- User Research
- Product Thinking

Experiences

Product Designer || Ontario Digital Service

May 2020 - August 2020

Delivered proof of concepts to improve digital government processes.

Visualized possible future states of an Ontario single sign-on system.

Collaborated with developers to prototype an Ontario Autism Program web portal.

Volunteer Designer | UX Rescue

May 2020 - Present

Performed stakeholder analysis to generate next steps for organization projects.

Established vision and principle for email design to communicate expectations and services to charities and other nonprofits.

Ideated content ideas for upcoming UX blog regarding organizational learnings.

Photographer || Humans of UWaterloo

Jan 2020 - Present

Photographed and engaged in conversations with a variety students across the University of Waterloo campus.

Edited and touched up delivered photos via Adobe Lightroom.

Collaborated with primary interviewers to create content for Facebook and Instagram pages.

Side Projects

Sept. 2019 - Present

Designed applications from scratch to begin building product design skillset:

Wardobe, a one stop fashion application.

EnMood, a mood visualizer for creatives.

Recipe, the millenial cooking companion.