



Ruslan Komjakov

I'm a **digital creative, hybrid designer & developer**. I design thoughtful digital products using a keen visual sense and the latest web technologies. I make personal projects that popularise science.

Design: Creative Direction, Visual Design, UX/UI Design, Concept Design

Frontend: HTML (Jade), CSS (Stylus, Less), JavaScript (AngularJS), PHP (WordPress, Composer)

Stack: Npm, Gulp, Bower, Composer, Git, Vagrant, Ansible/Capistrano, DigitalOcean, CloudFront

EXPERIENCE

2015 - 2016

Contract Creative Lead / Web Developer

Wings & Roots [02/2015 — 08/2016]

- Architected, designed, developed & deployed an educational website
- Designed distributed app (LEMP Stack, Digital Ocean, AWS)
- Improved workflow of the globally distributed team by implementing Kanban method and introducing tools like Git, Trello, and Slack
- Designed visual identity and public installations

Presented project at GoogleTalks, YouTube, Humanity In Action, and DOK Leipzig Film Festival

2013 - 2014

Freelance UX/UI Designer / Front-end Developer

Fine Digital [02/2013 – 11/2014]

- Designed UX/UI for web applications
- Developed and deployed numerous websites

Clients: UPC Switzerland, LDC Hotels Group, Skansen Museum

2012 - 2013

Contract Art Director

Future Industries [05/2012 – 03/2013]

- Developed art concept and visual style for *Flykk*, a location-based gaming app
- Designed the app logotype and identity
- Designed a set of icons for two in-app games
- Designed UX/UI for the app MVP and the website

Presented the project at Collision tech conference in Las Vegas in 2015

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DESIGN SKILLS

UX/UI Design • Visual Design
Concept Design • Wireframes
Prototypes • Corporate Identity
Print • Adobe Photoshop
Adobe InDesign • Adobe
Illustrator • Adobe Experience
Design • UXPin • Sketch

DEVELOPMENT SKILLS

HTML • CSS • JavaScript • PHP
Stylus • Less • Jade/Pug •
AngularJS • Bootstrap • WordPress
Git • Gulp • Grunt • Bower
Composer • Capistrano • Ansible
Vagrant

EXPERIENCE

WORKFLOW

Kanban • Trello • Slack • GitHub
BitBucket • JIRA

2011

Contract Digital Art Director

Versio2 [01/2011 – 11/2011]

- Art Directed and designed numerous websites and landing pages
- Worked closely with UX Designer developing digital concepts and prototypes
- Ensured end products were matching agency's high-quality design standards
- Lead and mentored a Junior Designer

2006 - 2010

Creative Director, Co-Founder

MediaWorks [05/2006 – 01/2010]

- Worked directly with clients to meet their needs for digital marketing, branding, and web presence
- Designed and delivered websites, corporate identities, print materials, and advertisement campaigns (from ideation & design to production)
- Art Directed freelance designers, illustrators, and animators
- Managed projects accounts

2007 - 2009

Project Lead, Co-Founder

Skyplex Int. [10/2007 – 05/2009]

- Developed concept for a collaborative blog platform *Alufug*
- Managed a small distributed team of developers and content producers
- Undertook market research
- Developed content strategy

2005 - 2006

Graphic and Web Designer

Custom Media Agency [04/2005 – 05/2006]

- Designed websites and web applications UI for hundreds of clients
- Worked closely with back-end developers designing UI for CMSs and intranets
- Designed corporate identities, advertising campaigns, and print materials

Designed the Estonian Academy Of Arts website

PROJECTS

2015 - 2016

Reimagine Belonging

Creative Lead, Web Developer

A non-profit educational project and a web-based tool for discussion about the history of human migration, citizenship & identity, Reimagine Belonging successfully combines great artistic vision, rich media content, modern technology, and a social initiative. The project was presented at Google and YouTube Headquarters and featured in exhibitions at Parsons School of Design and DOK Leipzig Film Festival.

Website | GitHub | Portfolio

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