### STEPHEN GARRETT DEWYER

### software developer | user experience designer

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# software development and UX design skills

- Programming languages: JavaScript, TypeScript, C++, Python, PHP
- JavaScript compilers, frameworks and libraries: SvelteKit, Svelte, Next.js, React, Vue.js, Express, Handlebars
- Data visualization
- · Artificial intelligence
- Stylesheet languages: CSS 3
- Markup languages: HTML 5
- Server environments: Node
- Development environments: Visual Studio
- Database management systems: MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL
- Application programming interfaces: Representational state transfer (REST), GraphQL
- UX design: wire framing, prototyping, user research, user testing, information architecture, user flows, user interviews
- Digital media: Adobe Creative Cloud, photography, videography, graphic design, brand identity design, animation
- Prototyping: Figma
- eCommerce: Stripe
- Web accessibility standards: WCAG 2.1
- Version control systems: Git, GitHub, Bitbucket

## awards and grants

# Knight Arts Challenge Detroit matching \$20,000 grant for ∞ *mile*

John S. and James L. Knight Foundation 2014 – 2016

# Detroit Chapter June 2014 \$1,000 grant for ∞ *mile*

Awesome Foundation

### career objective

An award-winning software developer and UX designer with over ten years of experience developing creative software solutions that improve human experiences of technology. Experienced in working with stakeholders to produce critically-acclaimed projects.

### professional experience

# Founding Director, Full-stack Web Developer and UX Designer Art in Tech Services Inc

April 2021 – present, Tucson, Arizona (relocated from Minneapolis, MN)

- Worked with clients to plan and achieve client goals, meeting or exceeding client expectations
- Designed, developed, deployed and maintained the company's website including client and administrator portals, streamlining client collaboration
- Developed custom and original software using state-of-the-art technologies like SvelteKit and Next.js to improve performance
- Leveraged art to improve UX design and develop creative software solutions that improved human experiences of technology

## Founder, Full-stack Web Developer and UX Designer Public Arts Commission

April 2017 – present, Tucson, Arizona (relocated from Minneapolis, MN)

- Responsible for overall direction of the non-profit, 501(c)(4) organization that uses original software to improve civic engagement in the art community
- Designed, developed, deployed and maintained software programs including a campaign application management system, an endorsement management system and a publicly searchable database of all the organization's endorsements
- Developing a voter networking and organizing portal
- Conducted user tests for web prototypes with Board of Directors and art experts
- Grew Board of Directors by 233% to include leading voices in the art community by delivering strong leadership

#### **UX Design Consultant (contract)**

Turnberry Solutions

February – May 2022, Minneapolis, Minnesota

- Created high-fidelity prototypes to personalize dental insurance plan shopping in the Federal Employees Dental and Vision Insurance Program (FEDVIP)
- Client: FedPoint

#### Web Developer and UX Designer / Co-Founding Editor ∞ mile (Infinite Mile LLC)

July 2013 – January 2017, Detroit, Michigan

2014

#### education

# Master of Fine Arts (MFA) in Sculpture

Yale University School of Art 2009 – 2011, New Haven, Connecticut

# Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) *cum laude* in Art History, Theory & Criticism

Maryland Institute College of Art 2005 – 2008, Baltimore, Maryland

### teaching experience

#### Lecturer

University of Detroit Mercy School of Architecture Digital Media Department

2015 – 2017, Detroit, Michigan

#### **Special Lecturer**

2015 – 2016, Rochester, Michigan

#### Lecturer

2014 – 2015, Rochester, Michigan Oakland University Department of Art & Art History

#### websites created

- 2021 present
  - Art in Tech Services Inc www.artintechservices.com
- 2017 present
  - **Public Arts Commission**

www.publicartscommission.org

• 2023

#### **Suzanne Conti Quilts**

https://suzannecontiquilts.vercel.app

• 2022

#### JoyFoodly

www.joyfoodly.com

• 2021 - present

### web work portfolio

www.stephendewyerwebwork.com

2013 – 2017

### ∞ *mile* (Infinite Mile)

www.infinitemiledetroit.com

- Designed, developed, deployed and maintained website featuring an online store for print anthologies and merchandise, generating thousands of dollars in revenue
- Directed three editing staff and 78 contributors to publish 94 essays and interviews, 51 artist projects, 26 reviews and 27 works of fiction or poetry
- Wrote successful grant applications
- Partnered with the University of Michigan Stamps School of Art & Design to produce two serial publications and conferences

#### technical training

# Certificates in Software Development, Machine Learning, UX Design and Web Accessibility

Udemy

2021 - 2024

- Beginning C++ Programming From Beginner to Beyond
- Understanding TypeScript
- Machine Learning A-Z™: Al, Python & R + ChatGPT Bonus [2023]
- GraphQL by Example
- Svelte.js The Complete Guide (incl. Sapper.js)
- NodeJS The Complete Guide (MVC, REST APIs, GraphQL, Deno)
- React The Complete Guide (incl Hooks, React Router, Redux)
- Web Accessibility Training Course WCAG 2.1 Compliance
- The User Researcher's guide to UX discoveries

# Certificates in Software Development and Leadership University of Michigan – Coursera

2020 - 2021

- JavaScript, jQuery, and JSON
- Interactivity with JavaScript
- · Building Database Applications in PHP
- Introduction to Structured Query Language (SQL)
- · Building Web Applications in PHP
- Intermediate PostgreSQL
- Database Design and Basic SQL in PostgreSQL
- Python Data Structures
- Python for Everybody
- Inspiring and Motivating Individuals

#### Certificates in UX Design

Interaction Design Foundation 2020

- UI Design Patterns for Successful Software
- Mobile User Experience (UX) Design
- Become a UX Designer from Scratch
- Human-Computer Interaction