# Natalie Lacroix

### Designer. Developer. Entreprenuer.

Seeking a position where I can utilize my 5+ years of UI/UX design, web development, and leadership experience to create efficient websites with accessible and inclusive interfaces.

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the-nat-attack.github.io/portfolio

# **Experience**

## **Senior Web Developer User Experience/Web Specialist**

2022 - Present 2020 - 2022

#### **Digital Experience Group**

- Created rapid UX/UI prototypes of digital products, designed web and mobile interfaces, and developed API stystems for web use.
- Conducted need finding, user surveys, focus groups, and UX testing for digital products of all types.
- Used an Agile approach during the concept, prototype and full-scale deployment phases of app development.
- Supervised and trained junior developers and designers accordingly.

### Co-Founder and Chief Marketing Officer

2020 - 2022

#### Reach Bar

- Developed the skills needed to bring new products, services, and technologies to market.
- Created logo, brand guide, and packaging for Reach Bar.
- Launched company, generated revenue, and raised funding.
- Participated in next step opportunities including a Summer Fellowship with the Connecticut Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation.

## **Project Manager and Coach**

2020

#### **University of Connecticut Werth Institute VentureWerx**

- Led a team designed to help student entrepreneurs develop their startups.
- Conducted qualitative and quantitative market research.
- Oversaw all aspects of the project; coordinated communication between the team and client.
- Set deadlines, assigned responsibilities, and summarized progress of the project.

#### **Maker Specialist**

2019 - 2022

#### **University of Connecticut Innovation Zone**

- Learned up to date operating procedures for on-site equipment including 3D printers, laser cutters, and power tools.
- Prepared and facilitated hands on skill-oriented demonstrations.
- Promoted innovation and entrepreneurship in learning communities and beyond.

## **⊖** Education

**Master of Science** Integrated Design & Media

**New York University** 

2022 - Present

## **Bachelor of Arts** Digital Media & Design

Concentration: Web/Interactive Media Design

**University of Connecticut** 2018 - 2022

## **Awards**

#### Academic

**NYU IDM Award Spring 2023** UConn Dean's List 2021 Babbidge Scholar 2020 New England Scholar Werth Innovator

## **Pitch Competitions**

Big East Startup Challenge **CCEI Summer Fellowship** Get Seeded Demo Day Havyn Hatch(let)



## Skills

Vue.js

**Adobe Creative Suite** Figma GitHub HTML & CSS JavaScript Node.js Python Video Production