## HOW TO FIND & ENGAGE DESIGNERS

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### WHO AM 1?

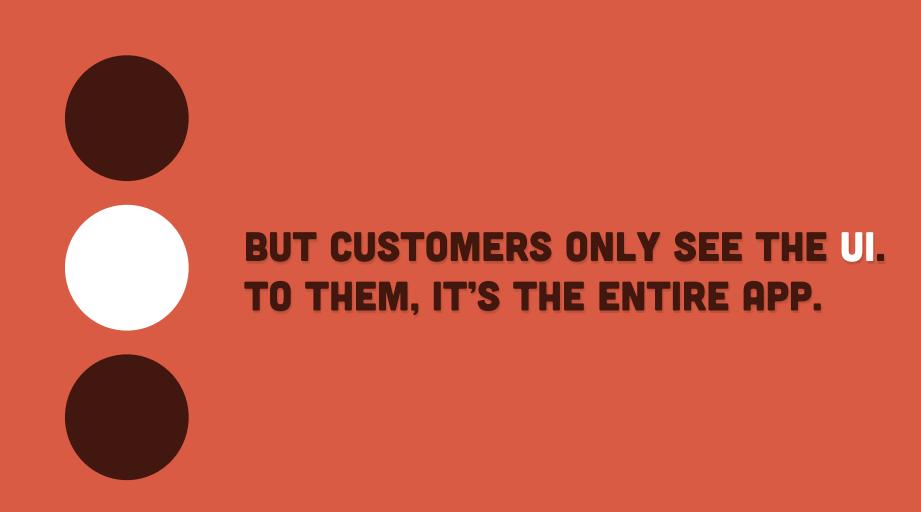
# DEVELOPER DESIGNER FOUNDER

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## FIRST



## UI IS A SOFTWARE LAYER, NOT INDEPENDENT FROM IT.





## FIND







#### YOU COULD POST A JOB, BUT...

#### **DON'T EXPECT A UNICORN**

## DON'T THINK OF THEM AS A ONE-TIME SERVICE...

## ENGAGE

"Good design can't be achieved with glossy buttons or masterful wireframes alone.

It's a merger of all these principles into something that is meaningful and deliberate."

- startupsthisishowdesignworks.com

USE CASES
WIREFRAMES
MOCKUPS
PROTOTYPES
BUILD & RELEASE

**ALWAYS TESTING & VALIDATING** 

# FACE-TO-FACE SKYPE VIDEO REMOTE WHITEBOARD

## IT'S NOT JUST ABOUT MAKING IT PRETTY

# USEFUL UNDERSTANDABLE AESTHETIC

- + HAPPINESS
- + EFFICIENCY
- + CREATIVITY
- = BETTER PRODUCT

### DISCUSSION