Urban Faubion

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I am a developer and designer with more than 15+ years of experience creating digital products and services. I thrive in a collaborative environment where **development and design are deeply integrated**. I enjoy using **systematic design thinking** that enable teams to **create multiple products simultaneously**. Combined with particular development methodologies and practices, I can help teams **maintain velocity in the face of changing requirements**.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Engineer (contractor), *Korn Ferry, March 2017 - Present*
- Refactored their web app **from Angular 1.5.8 to React + Redux + RxJS w/ Flow**.
- **Re-branded and designed** the product website.
- Developed the product website with **React + Next.js, leveraging SSR for better SEO.**
- Created a **design system and component library** for the product web app.
- Taught my co-workers **Functional and Reactive Functional Programming in JS.**
- Develop mobile apps using **Swift and React Native**.

Mobile Application Developer (contractor), *Teague, February 2017 – March 2017*
- Helped develop mobile and in-car UI's for testing an **autonomous vehicle service**.

Head of Design, *MileZero, March 2016 – December 2016*
- **Designed a real-time map and data visualization intense app** for managing a fleet of drivers performing same-day services.
- Developed the **real-time app using React + Redux + Redux-Sagas**.

Principal Design Technologist, *frog, January 2009 - April 2014*
- Helped Daimler **select the software tech stack and partner** for their new multi-screen interactive meeting rooms in Stuttgart, Germany.
- Helped **facilitate the Nordic IoT Hackathon** in Lund, Sweden.
- Conducted **design research** for the Nike Foundation in Africa and SE Asia.
- **Lead the development of 3 web apps** built in React + Flux to digitize Korn Ferry's executive search process.
- Built a **search engine UI** for PWC with Google, Cambridge Semantics and Wolfram Alpha.
- Conducted the initial design research, picked the tech stack and developed GE's IIDS, an internal **design system and component library for web app development**.

Senior Developer, *Filter Talent, October 2008 - December 2008*
Senior UI Developer, *Ramp Group, August 2007 - October 2008*
Instructor, *School of Visual Concepts, August 2007- December 2007*
Senior Developer, *Razorfish, August 2005 - August 2007*
Graphic Designer, *Expeditors, August 2003 - August 2005*

EDUCATION

Associates Degree in 2D and 3D Animation from the Art Institute of Seattle, 1998 - 2001