

# ZOSIA CZERSKA

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## SUMMARY

With a background in neuropsychology, I am very aware of the underpinnings of human behavior from a chemical to a psychological level. I believe this gives me great insight and a foundation for creating designs that speak to how people think and feel.

## SKILLSET

User Surveys  
Interviews  
Competitive Analysis  
Data Analysis  
Empathy Mapping  
User Journey Mapping  
Personas  
User Flows  
Wireframes  
Prototyping  
Usability Testing  
HTML, CSS  
Basic JavaScript, JQuery

## TOOLS

Adobe Photoshop  
Adobe Illustrator  
Adobe XD  
Adobe InDesign  
Figma  
InVision  
Balsamiq  
Google Analytics  
Usability Hub

## EXPERIENCE

ZDesign – UX Designer  
2017 - Present

- **Redesigned** reseller e-commerce site by implementing a new narrative that directly addressed the niche clientele resulting in **increased sales**.
- Currently **designing a portal** connecting swim instructors with their clientele for scheduling and billing. Working with stakeholder product goals and user needs by employing a **competitive analysis, surveys, interviews, journey mapping** and developing **personas**.

Project TrayLAB – UX Designer & Team Lead  
2019 - Present

- Redesign project also involves service design and is taking an in-depth look at the DCPS school nutrition program. Worked with **multiple stakeholders** conducting **interviews, journey maps, content analysis** and **usability testing**.

Bernie Scholarship Awards Program – Program Manager  
2011 - 2017

- Point person for all organization needs. Projects included the **development and maintenance** of their website.

Behavioral Therapist  
2011 - Present

- Help **direct and shape** the process that is a personal **toolset of social skills**. Work as a team with caregivers to ensure the client strives toward behavioral goals.

## RECENT PROJECTS

Well Universe – **Healthcare portal** that connects patients to providers and background information on their health. **Iterative process that included user research, information architecture, branding, visual design and user testing**.

BusyBus – Public **transportation app** that provides location and schedules of bus routes. **Iterative process that deployed user research, visual design and front-end development**.

## EDUCATION

Bloc – Certification in UX Design  
Present

Immersive design program guided by UX mentorship. A culmination of **800+ classroom hours, weekly mentorship meetings** and **group design critiques**. Produced projects based on real world challenges implementing **UX, UI and frontend skills**.

Emory University – Neuroscience and Behavior B.S.  
2014

Coursework focused on **neuroscience on a psychological, anthropological and anatomical level**. Included graduate level work and advanced independent study.

## IDF CERTIFICATION

1. Human-Computer Interaction
2. Design Thinking
3. Web Design for Usability