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EDUCATION

B.S. OF COMPUTER SCIENCE
ECPI University 2013
Web Development

SKILLS

User Research
Information Architecture
User-Centered Design
UI/UX Design
Wireframing
Journey Mapping
Prototyping
SCRUM/Agile Methodology
HTML
CSS
LESS

TOOLS

Photoshop
Adobe XD
Axure
Miro
JIRA

CERTIFICATIONS

Neilsen Norman Group Certified
User Experience Specialist

EXPERIENCE

LEAD USER EXPERIENCE DESIGNER
TORC ROBOTICS
JUL 2021 - PRESENT

- Using Axure to develop workflows, wireframes, and high-fidelity prototypes in order to create new user interfaces or features for multiple internal applications for autonomous driving semi-trucks.
- Working closely with product management to ensure that all requirements are gathered and met for each feature.
- Working closely with an agile software engineering team environment to deliver highly usable user interfaces.
- Participating in quarterly planning sessions with multiple project teams to define upcoming epics and features.
- Facilitating user research sessions to evaluate usability concerns with current applications and upcoming features.
- Contributing to the planning and creation of a company-wide design system.

USER EXPERIENCE DESIGNER
PRATT & WHITNEY
FEB 2021 - JUN 2021

- Worked with Adobe and Invision to develop user interfaces for multiple military SAAS applications for aircraft.
- Worked with organizational leads to ensure that all requirements are met for each of their departments.
- Facilitated user research sessions to evaluate usability throughout each business group.
- Gathered requirements and created user stories based on the needs of the users for each process.

USER EXPERIENCE ARCHITECT
INNOVASYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL
APR 2018 - NOV 2020

- Utilized Adobe XD and Balsamiq Mockups to develop workflows, wireframes, high fidelity prototypes, and user interfaces for the Navy Readiness Reporting Enterprise (NRRE).
- Worked within an agile software development team environment using the SCRUM methodology to deliver highly usable user interfaces.
- Gathered and documented functional requirements for upcoming web releases to optimize information architecture to promote usability.
- Facilitated user research sessions to evaluate usability concerns using user research methodologies.
- Contributed to the creation of an enterprise-wide design system in order to ensure consistency across all applications.

WEBSITE TEAM LEAD
DX1
NOV 2015 - APR 2018

- Assisted in leading a team of 6 Responsive Web Designers.
- Kept current processes up-to-date and assisted with getting the buy-in of the responsive design team.
- Managed the team workflow by assigning out new incoming projects and resolving any roadblocks with the customers or product so that it could be delivered by the preset service-level agreement.
- Collaborated on new design trends and implemented them into our current standards by sharing context and decisions.
- Creating new processes and workflows based on current initiatives and the company's needs.
- Also carried out duties from my previous position as a Responsive Web Designer.

EXPERIENCE

RESPONSIVE WEB DESIGNER
DX1
NOV 2013 - NOV 2015

- Utilized HTML, CSS, LESS, and JavaScript with the BootStrap framework to create responsive websites for the powersports industry within a SAAS application.
- Created high fidelity mockups of proposed websites and custom graphics utilizing user-centered design.
- Testing each site for quality assurance and proper responsiveness across all popular devices.
- Effectively communicated with customers regularly to create a website solution that fits their needs.