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Key skills

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Journey mapping Wireframing Low- & high-fidelity prototyping Co-design approaches Human-centred design User story writing Backlog prioritisation

Figma, Sketch, Adobe, InVision (etc) Designing with code Design systems Interaction design Responsive design

User research

Remote & in person user testing Surveys Persona building

Market analysis

Ethnographic approaches

Scripted and unscripted interviews Analytics analysis

Content Content strategy Tone and voice specification

Copy writing

Micro-copy

Content analysis

SEO awareness

Graphics

Branding

Screen and print assets

Photo editing

Vector illustration

Digital painting

Multi-channel marketing imagery

A11y

WCAG compliance Accessibility audits Inclusive design Diversity awareness

Bonus skills

HTML. CSS and JS basics Presentation to senior stakeholders Expert facilitation of workshops Impact analysis & ethical design Fabulous hair

Owns their own wizard hat

Terrible puns

Experience

The answer to my parents oldest question: "How is mucking about on the computer ever going to get you a job?"

NannyML

Senior Product Designer Nov 2021 - June 2023

Progressed the open core business from ideation, through product launch of the OSS python library, to the release of freemium-model web application. Led design, user research & testing, collaborating with founders, growth team, data scientists, engineers, and users. Designed workflows, wireframes & high-def prototypes, initiating & facilitating product strategy workshops. Crystallised and documented the company vision - including a multi-year roadmap of features prioritised by aligning user research insights with business goals.

Highlights

- Reaching 750 Github stars in 6 weeks after launching on Product Hunt, following a six week cycle taking the OSS library from MVP to beta phase.
- Took the web app dashboard interface from vague idea to initial high-fidelity prototype in 6 weeks, including multiple user testing rounds.
- The final version of the web dashboard received glowing responses from design partners, with one senior data scientist stating that he "would chose this over what we have in PowerBI or Graphana."

Product Designer, UX Consultant and Business Analyst BJSS June 2017 - Oct 2021

Agile consultant across a wide range of clients, including public sector security, healthcare, aeronautics, finance, energy, media, retail, and B2B services. Projects included digital transformation, brand launches, ecommerce elevation, iterative app delivery, and content strategy. Volunteered as office D&I champion and taught classes on UX and the basics of frontend development as part of BJSS's graduate program.

Highlights

- Rebuilt a complex, security-sensitive digital application form, resulting in user satisfaction ratings of 98%, while also contributing new components to the GDS.
- Awarded "Spirit of the Hack" for EDFs 2018 Powerhack event, while also being part of the winning team for our voice-integrated help chatbot.
- Measurably improved the efficiency and accuracy of safeguarding-focused data matching activities, by creating a GDS-compatible employee-facing design library, through collaborative design with expert users.

Zeta

Senior web designer and Lead front-end developer

Oct 2012 - June 2017

Lead the generation and iterative improvement of multi-channel marketing for clients across many sectors, including the creation of white label brands to expand available audiences. Designed and managed the delivery of innovative internal tools to improve efficiency, including a GUI operated email builder and JS landing page framework.

Highlights

- Rapidly iterated campaigns based only on performance analytics & user recordings, increasing conversion rates by up to 60%.
- Individually responsible for designing, running & managing the branding and technical operations of campaigns with revenue in excess of £70,000.

Web designer and Front-end developer **Digital Visitor** Sept 2011 - Oct 2012

Designed & built custom service instances for various client brands, integrating Digital Visitor's comments and discussion plugins into their web experiences.

Highlight

 Helped re-establish trust in a client's platform after a serious server crash by rapidly rolling out new features and customer-tailored designs.

Color Confidence

Website & email designer and Front-end developer

Feb 2011 - Feb 2012

Designed and built emails and microsites for multiple marketing campaigns, both B2B and B2C. Guided migration to cloud-based internal operations while working remotely.

Independent contractor 2006 - present

Contracting designer and front-end developer for varied clients including bands, cabaret events, artists, various small to medium sized businesses, and agencies.