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Skills

Visual Design
UI Design
UX Writing
Interaction Design
Prototyping
Testing
Wireframing
User Research
Information Architecture
Icon & Logo Design
Print Design

Tools

Sketch
Axure
Photoshop | InDesign | Illustrator
HTML5 | CSS3 | SASS | LESS
Bootstrap
Git

Education

School of Visual Concepts
2018 UX Design Certificate

Willamette University
2015 B.A. Studio Art
summa cum laude
Phi Beta Kappa

Experience

UX Designer and Developer

Atomic, Issaquah, WA 2018-present

In my current role, I design a wide range of both commercial and enterprise products for a variety of clients, including Microsoft, Amazon, Wizards of the Coast, Mud Bay, Complete Office, Rainier Industries, Seattle Sun Tan, and Pawn 1. My primary tasks include creating user flows, sketching, wireframing, and creating high-fidelity mockups. I also work closely and collaboratively with developers and management to see products through development.

Freelance UX Designer

Brita Ness Design, 2013-present

As a freelance designer, I've worked on a variety of both nonprofit and commercial projects. My most recent projects include a clubfoot treatment decision app for medical professionals in underserved areas, and the branding and website design for an environmentally-focused industrial water machine company.

Creative Projects

Global HELP, Seattle, WA, 2016-2018

Among other projects, I led the redesign effort on Global HELP's website to increase relevant traffic, improve the site's bounce rate, and create a structure to support the organization as it continued to expand its services. As a result of my efforts, the site's bounce rate dropped from 54% to 20%.

Artist in Residence

Confluence Gallery, Twisp, WA 2015

I was selected for a 3-month artist residency, during which I conceived and executed a cohesive body of work for a solo exhibition.

Graphic Designer

Willamette University, Salem, OR, 2013-2015

Working in the Willamette Integrated Technology Services (WITS) Graphic Design and Media Services office, I collaborated on projects for on-campus departments, organizations, and clubs. For many projects, I practiced strict adherence to Willamette University's visual identity guide.

Digital Media Lab Assistant

Willamette University Art Department, Salem, OR, 2013-2015

Trained in the Adobe Creative Suite and basic video editing, I helped fellow students with a range of creative projects.