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EDUCATION & CERTIFICATION

UI/UX DESIGN SPECIALIZATION

CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF THE ARTS
07/2024-09/2024

UX DESIGN SPECIALIZATION

GOOGLE'S PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE
07/2023-12/2023

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

FAR EASTERN FEDERAL UNIVERSITY, VLADIVOSTOK, RUSSIA
2006-2011

SKILLS

- User research
- Information architecture
- Interaction design
- Visual design
- Figma, Photoshop, Illustrator, Lightroom
- Web and mobile app design
- User persona creation
- A/B testing
- Storytelling, attention to details, teamwork
- Critical and analytical thinking, problem solving, cross-team collaboration

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

UI DESIGNER / PRODUCT DESIGNER, BubbleUp

CalArts UI/UX Design Specialization
07/2024-09/2024

- Led the design process for BubbleUp: conducted in-depth user research and developed personas to align design solutions with the target audience's needs, designed user flows that allowed customers to effortlessly customize their drinks, choose from a variety of flavors and toppings, and place orders quickly,
- Applied typography, color theory, visual hierarchy and other visual design principles to create logo and user interface elements that improved the overall aesthetics and usability of a hypothetical e-commerce mobile app.
- Created wireframes, interactive prototypes, and high-fidelity mockups using Figma to visualize seamless online ordering and drink customization experiences.
- Conducted usability testing to identify pain points and iterated on designs based on feedback.

UX/UI DESIGNER, The Oaks Gallery

Google's UX Design Specialization
07/2023-12/2023

- Led a complete UX design process from initial research to high-fidelity prototypes for a mobile app project.
- Conducted user research through interviews and surveys to identify pain points, created user personas, and mapped out customer journeys.
- Designed wireframes, prototypes, and high-fidelity mockups using Figma and Illustrator.
- Performed usability testing and iterated designs based on user feedback, increasing user satisfaction by addressing key pain points in navigation and usability.

UI/UX DESIGNER, Ferret, LedScreen, CatAngels

GeekBrains UX/UI Design
12/2022-06/2023

- Utilized Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, and Figma to produce high-quality visual assets for website interfaces.
- Redesigned of an existing brand's website (Ferret and CatAngels), showcasing a refined, user-centered design approach to improve brand identity and user experience.
- Designed wireframes, prototypes, and high-fidelity mockups using Figma and Illustrator.
- Developed strong foundational graphic design skills, focusing on typography, composition, and color theory.

WORK EXPERIENCE

PHOTOGRAPHER, HiddenFox Photo, 2016-2023, www.hiddenfoxphoto.com/

- Offered full-scale photography services for both individuals and couples.
- Managed the entire photography process, from initial consultation and understanding client needs to selecting locations, guiding poses, and post-production touch-ups.
- Demonstrated a keen eye for detail and sensitivity towards clients, ensuring a comfortable photography environment and capturing genuine moments.
- Set up lighting and equipment strategically and efficiently to obtain highest quality images without impeding an event.
- Photo edit, ensuring top quality of each individual image.

PROJECT MANAGER, Engineering Networks, part time, remote, 2018 - 2022

- Reviewed designs and provided technical guidance to other professionals involved in the project.
- Created and reviewed project documentation (such as acts of executive and concealed works/certificates of examination of hidden works).
- Communicated effectively with clients, stakeholders, and other professionals involved in the project.

LEAD ENGINEER, State government office, full time, on site, 2013 - 2014

- Techno-economic analysis of heat production and transmission.
- Calculated tariff rates on thermal energy for heat supply organizations.
- Handled state compliance filings and reporting duties.
- Collaborated with various team members on cross-departmental activities.

CIVIL ENGINEER/PROJECT MANAGER, Engineering Networks, full time, on site, 2011 - 2013

- Managed construction projects from start to finish.
- Supervised and managed construction workers, contractors, and other professionals.
- Identified and addressed construction challenges through problem-solving.
- Created and maintained project documentation (such as acts of executive and concealed works/ certificates of examination of hidden works).
- Advised and provided technical guidance to other professionals involved in the project.
- Conducted inspections and examinations of hidden or concealed parts of structures.
- Ensured compliance with applicable regulations and standards.
- Communicated effectively with clients, stakeholders, and other professionals involved in the project.