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UX Designer

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EDUCATION

University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont — BA

August 2013 - June 2017

BA in Anthropology and Global Religions

Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts — MA

August 2018 - June 2020

MA in Anthropology with a specialization in bioarchaeology

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

Google UX Design

October 2023 - February 2024

Earned the professional certificate by completing coursework for seven modules: Foundations of User Experience Design, Create High Fidelity Prototypes in Figma, Build Dynamic User Interfaces for Websites, Conduct UX Research and Test Early Concepts, Start the UX Design Process: Empathize, Define, and Ideate, Design a User Experience for Social Good and Prepare for Jobs, and Build Wireframes and Low-Fidelity Prototypes.

EXPERIENCE

Anderson Perry and Associates, Walla Walla, WA — Project Archaeologist

June 2022 - May 2023



Conducted archaeological research using field methods (survey, shovel test digging, monitoring) and archival data in order to write proposals and reports in compliance with federal, state, and tribal guidelines.

Fusion Academy, Lake Forest, IL — Teacher/Department Head






September 2020 - May 2022




Built curriculum, trained new teachers, supervised electives department, collaborated with departments and administration, led student groups and meetings, and taught a variety of history and literature classes

SKILLS

Design: User flow  Concept Sketches  Style guides

Prototyping: Prototyping using Figma and sketching with low fidelity wireframes

Research: Qualitative Research  Report Writing  Task analysis and persona hypothesis  Interview  Usability Testing  Survey

Collaboration: Organizing meetings and workshops  flexible  facilitating communication  Detail oriented

Tools: Figma  Adobe Creative Suite  Procreate

AWARDS

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Prize 2020

between grades 7 and 12.

Brandeis University, Waltham, MA — *Writing Consultant*

September 2018 - May 2020

Assisted undergraduate and graduate students with planning, executing, and editing their writing assignments, resumes, cover letters, and theses

Brandeis University, Waltham, MA — *Teaching Fellow*

September 2018 - May 2020

Assisted with grading, creating, and implementing curriculum for Bollywood, Introduction to the Study of Human Culture, Human Origins, and Paleoethnobotany. Organized course websites. Taught sections and held office hours.

PROJECTS

Create Prototypes Using User Research — *Google Professional Certificate Portfolio Project*

Incorporated lessons on user research and competitive audits in order to create the design for a plant identification application

Create Responsive Website Design — *Google Professional Certificate Portfolio Project*

Incorporated lessons on responsive website design and information architecture in order to create the design for an archaeological site information website and application

Create for Social Good — *Google Professional Certificate Portfolio Project*

Incorporated lessons on layouts, accessibility guidelines, and user research in order to create the design for an app to assist queer individuals in the US in finding and reviewing healthcare