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UX DESIGNER

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SUMMARY

As a UX Designer proficient in coding and a keen eye for software evaluation, I specialize in crafting user-centered solutions infused with a technical edge. My passion lies in seamlessly merging design principles with coding expertise to create intuitive interfaces and elevate user experiences. With a discerning eye for software evaluation, I ensure that every tool is optimized for peak performance and functionality.

SKILLS

- Html
- CSS
- Java
- JavaScript
- JavaFx
- React
- Node.js
- Python
- Git
- SQL
- R
- SPSS
- Adobe
- Microsoft Office
- Figma
- User Research Moderation
- Interviews
- Reporting
- Data analysis
- Test group screening and recruitment
- Diary research
- In-depth interviews

EXPERIENCE

UX Designer, Software Evaluation Specialist | 01/2022 - Current

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- Proficiently manage user research studies, conduct comparative testing, heuristic evaluations, and UX testing to ensure software solutions align with client specifications.
- Specialized in projects within the healthcare industry and public sector, focusing on evaluating software product features and crafting test setups for machine learning methodologies.
- Demonstrate expertise in overseeing diverse projects, ensuring adherence to quality standards and client expectations.
- Drive the enhancement of software solutions through comprehensive testing methodologies and meticulous evaluation processes.

UX Designer | 07/2021 - 09/2021

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- Developed comprehensive user flows for new services, ensuring seamless navigation and interaction.
- Presented low-fidelity prototypes to stakeholders, fostering collaboration and refining design iterations.
- Facilitated feedback collection on prototypes, incorporating user input to enhance usability and functionality.
- Produced high-fidelity prototypes, aligning with stakeholder expectations and user requirements.
- Defined user needs and crafted services tailored to meet those needs, fostering user-centric design principles throughout the development process.

Prop Designer | 08/2016 - 12/2021

The Hämeenlinna City Theatre

- Spearheaded the design, procurement, creation, and management of props for theatrical productions.
- Facilitated close collaboration with the director, stage designer, and costume designer throughout the design phase.
- Managed the production process independently, ensuring seamless execution.
- Collaborated effectively with actors and technical professionals during rehearsals and performances.
- Demonstrated adeptness in both solo responsibilities and team-oriented tasks within the theatrical production environment.

Contract Roles of Different Lengths | 01/2012 - 01/2016

- Proficient scenic artist, builder, painter, and carpenter with expertise in occupational safety coordination and rope technology.
- Hosted Metroradio's SuomiPopin Aamu show, demonstrating strong communication and presentation skills.
- Engaged in diverse performing roles, showcasing versatility and adaptability in various creative endeavors.
- Demonstrated ability to multitask and thrive in dynamic environments, blending technical expertise with entertainment industry experience.

Entrepreneur | 01/1996 - 01/2011

- Demonstrated expertise in makeup artistry, event production, and dance instruction.
- Orchestrated the production of events and performances catering to restaurants and fashion shows.
- Managed operations of a clothing store for a duration of two years.
- Established Rock the Pole Oy and Pole4fit Oy, pioneering dance and acrobatics schools.
- Successfully operated and later divested ownership in all mentioned enterprises.
- Held CEO positions across multiple ventures, overseeing both operational and financial aspects.
- Contributed to payroll management as a payroll calculator.

EDUCATION

University of Jyväskylä - Cognitive Science

- Credits: 24 ECTS
- GPA: 4.43

University of Helsinki - Computer Science

- Credits: 52 ECTS
- GPA: Basic studies 5/5
- GPA: All studies 4.22/5

Xamk University of Applied Sciences - Information technology

- Credits: 13 ECTS

CERTIFICATIONS

Google UX Design Professional Certificate

- Foundations of User Experience
- Start the UX Design Process: Emphathize, Define and Ideate
- Conduct UX Research and Test Early Concepts
- Build Wireframes and LowFidelity Prototypes
- Create High-Fidelity Designs and Prototypes in Figma
- Responsive Web Design in Adobe XD

Graphic Design

- Introduction to Iagemaking
- Ideas from the History of Graphic Design
- Fundamentals of Graphic Design
- Introduction to Typography
- Presentation Design
- Adobe Illustrator Dynamic Vector Illustration
- Compositional Techniques for Graphic Design

ONGOING STUDIES

- Cognitive science (University of Jyväskylä)
- Graphic design (California Institute of the Arts)

LANGUAGES

- Finnish (native)
- English (B2-C1)
- Swedish (A2)
- Tagalog (A1)

DESCRIPTION

In the intersection of psychology, where decisions are based, and computer science, where they can be implemented, UX Designer is building a bridge between human needs, business goals and technology choices.