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UI/UX DESIGNER | PRODUCT DESIGNER

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ABOUT ME

UI/UX Designer with a B.A. in Art from UCLA who believes in an easygoing, dedicated, and fast approach towards simplifying user experiences. I have a visual design background and experience working for a crypto startup building an MVP. I'm passionate about applying visual principles to build aesthetically appealing, intuitive designs for users.

SKILLS & TOOLS

Usability Testing
User Interviews
Market Research
A/B Testing
Competitive Analysis
User Surveys
Social Media Strategy
MVP

Prototyping
Wireframing
Design Thinking
Mobile and Web Design
Information Architecture
Design Sprints
Visual Design
Storyboarding
User Flows

Figma
Miro
Marvel POP
Adobe
Photoshop
Adobe
Illustrator
HTML
CSS
JavaScript

LANGUAGES

Product Education

English Korean French

EDUCATION

UI/UX DESIGN CERTIFICATE

Springboard

2021-2024

An industry mentor-led course, with 700+ hours of work in user experience and user interface design. Completed 4 UI/UX design projects.

B.A. - ART

UCLA

2017-2021

Focused on visual communication and a mastery of technical and conceptual abilities and involves intensive education in the formulation of ideas, problem solving and artistic skill and development of the individual style and viewpoint. My coursework in the program focused on topics such as Advanced Painting and Advanced Drawing.

GRAPHIC DESIGN COURSE

Self-Taught

2020-2020

Took a free tutorial course and used Adobe Illustrator's vector tool and pen tool to create graphic design pieces. Site: michng.com/othervisualprojects.

UI/UX EXPERIENCE

UI/UX Designer

JAN 2024 -FEB 2024

CryptoScans - Web App (crypto profiling)

 Developed intuitive user experiences by creating user flows, initial sketches, and both low and high-fidelity wireframes. Translated client requirements, previous design briefs, and suggestions into comprehensive design strategies and prototypes.

- Designed with a team to construct a streamlined experience for business owners researching more about **crypto assets and crypto blockchain strategies** and seeking to trade and to build a new platform.
- Created a web app used for **educating and helping entrepreneurs** to make a decision when investing in cryptocurrency through platforms.

UI/UX Designer

AUG 2023 -OCT 2023

Melody Mixer - Mobile App (music subscription)

- Conducted user interviews and rigorous usability testing, translating insights into low and high-fidelity wireframes and prototypes. Additionally, curated the brand image and style guide, incorporating images for a cohesive and engaging user experience.
- Focused on creating a way to help users get **better benefits and more features** by offering **to upgrade to a premium subscription**.
- Made a mobile app that gives people a way to enjoy music by playing music and discovering new music with a subscribed plan.

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CityPups - Design Sprint Website (dog adoption)

JUL 2023 -JUL 2023

- Effectively translated research insights from the team's plan and referenced from other products, to inform the design strategy for a city dog adoption website. Developed sketches and architectural elements that closely aligned with user needs and goals, ensuring a user-centric approach throughout the design process.
- Designed a matching quiz feature and a dog profile feature, improved readability of information, and helped users feel 100% confident in adoption decision.
- Created a website to help **people living in cities find right dog to adopt** for their specific needs.

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SuggestYou - Mobile App (personalized watching content)

SEP 2021 - MAY 2023

- Spearheaded user research efforts, conducting user interviews and crafting a comprehensive research plan. Synthesized findings through affinity maps and user personas, guiding design decisions with user-centric insights.
- Provided users with efficient tools to watch and to enjoy personalized streaming content.
- Focused on creating a mobile app to find a way to help users get accurate watching recommendations and to discover new watching content with a community.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE

Logo Designer/Brand Designer

JUL 2020 -JUL 2020

PetitBake

- Created a brand logo for a bakery in South Korea by drawing digital illustrations on a tablet and built high fidelity UX designs.
- Made **several versions** of logo with different colors and worked with **client** to choose **best version for brand**.

Research Assistant

JUL 2019 -JUL 2019

ChargeItSpot

• Analyzed data on correlation between mobile charging station usage and money spent per trip for B2C electric hardware company.