Profile

Design

Skills

- interaction design
- visual design
- mobile design IOS, ANDROID,
- RESPONSIVE WEB
- design documentation
- style guides
- design systems
- wireframing
- prototyping
- sketching
- illustration
- user research
- usability testing

Tools

- Sketch
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Invision
- Zeplin
- Abstract
- Code CSS, HTML, SASS, HAML
- Git
- Agile methodology

Languages

- Japanese WORKING PROFICIENCY
- Spanish BASIC PROFICIENCY

As a self-taught multidisciplinary designer, I create experiences that elegantly solve user problems.

Experience

Sep 2016 to

Mar 2015 to

Aug 2016

Jan 2013 to

Mar 2015

Dec 2017

Jan 2018 to present

Senior Product Designer | Versus Systems | Los Angeles, CA

- Conduct end-to-end design for Versus System's Platform product, a system of dashboards used by our clients and internally by our team. These dashboards enable brands to integrate into games to offer prizes for players.
- Responsibilities include: conducting initial research; creating workflows and information architecture; designing mocks and wires; building prototypes; completing any necessary QA tasks or user testing, and working with engineers during the development process
- Act as lead designer for the creation and maintenance of Versus System's first design language system for its dashboard products
- Rebuilt previous dashboard using the new design language's style and patterns

Product Designer | BloomNation | Santa Monica, CA

- Created a comprehensive style guide to define BloomNation's UI for the product and engineering teams
- Organised BloomNation's first-ever user testing sessions
- Established a design process for product design at BloomNation
- Provide all required deliverables for the design process—including wires, mocks, CSS code samples, visual designs, and any other design deliverables
- Work closely with the engineering team to ensure designs are implemented during the development phase

Product Designer | Rocket Lawyer | San Francisco, CA

- Created storyboards, wireframes, and high fidelity mockups for Rocket Lawyer's eCommerce platform (for desktop and responsive web)
- Planned user testing to validate design decisions
- Delivered assets and specs to the front-end developers
- Worked with product managers and product marketing managers to create experiences that are both engaging for users and meet business goals and needs
- Presented projects to key stakeholders and the executive team
- Designed and provided deliverables for Rocket Lawyer's first mobile app

UI/UX Designer | VMware | San Francisco, CA

• Created mocks in Balsamiq and implemented designs in CSS/HTML (Sass/Haml) for the Socialcast web and desktop apps.

• Contributed to the complete repackaging of both the Socialcast Android app and the Windows Phone app—from initial concepts and flows to generating assets and design specifications; also designed feature updates for the Socialcast iOS app.

• Worked with product managers and other designers to understand user pain points and define solutions

• Organized and conducted user testing for multiple mobile and web projects.

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Experience, continued

Jan 2012 to

May 2011 to

Oct 2009 to

April 2011

Dec 2011

Dec 2012

Client Success Manager | VMware | San Francisco, CA

Socialcast acquired by VMware

- Designed and developed internal/external websites for Socialcast's client services, sales, and marketing teams.
- Ensured that our clients' needs were met and that their Socialcast networks were running smoothly
- Managed client product trials (from SMB to Fortune 100) for the sales team

Technical Support Engineer | Socialcast | San Francisco, CA

- Acted as a liaison between clients and developers for support inquiries
- Prioritized and responded to all incoming Socialcast support requests
- \bullet Assisted with the transition from Social cast's support team to VM ware's team after the acquisition

Office Admin | Socialcast | San Francisco, CA

- General clerical work such as filing and answering phones
- Internal design projects for sales and customer support teams

Education

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User Interface for UX Designers (Certificate)

- The Art Institute of California, San Francisco 2009 2010 (transferred)
- Media Arts & Animation B.S; Dean's List (2009)
- Maryville University | 2004 2006 (transferred) Graphic Design B.F.A; Dean's List (2004 - 2006)

References

Available upon request