

Education

Rhode Island School of Design
Providence, RI
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Illustration

Skills

Design & Research

User-Centered Design
Visual Design
Design Systems
Prototyping
AI-Driven UI Design
User Research
Accessibility
Data Visualization
Design Operations
Figma
Axure
Adobe Creative Suite

Development

HTML / CSS / JavaScript
React
Git / Version Control
Accessibility Standards / WCAG
Web Analytics

Soft Skills

Empathetic
Leader
Mentor
Collaborative
Strategic
Innovative
Growth Mindset

Volunteering

Local Leader - Portland, Maine
Interaction Design Foundation

Certifications

UX Certification, Interaction Design
Nielsen Norman Group

Summary

Senior Product and UX Designer with 10+ years of experience in user-centered design. A versatile contributor to cross-functional teams from concept to prototype to production. Proven experience in design strategy, systems design, user research, team leadership, and marketing.

Experience

● Product Designer IV – Charles River Analytics, Inc

Jun 2024 - Present

- Conceptualize AI-driven interface designs, through collaboration and research, to enable mission-critical decision making.
- Articulate complex workflows and data sets, through novel interaction design and data visualization, leading to intuitive user experiences.
- Facilitate strategic design reviews, by presenting dynamic prototypes for web and mobile, enabling teams to demonstrate thoughtful solutions to users and stakeholders.
- Implement design operations practices, through systems thinking, leading to greater efficiency across product teams.

● Senior UX/UI Designer – Sandia National Laboratories

Nov 2016 - June 2024

- Led design and research initiatives, leveraging design thinking and user testing, dramatically enhancing usability within corporate applications and developer tooling.
- Designed, developed, and maintained a corporate design system, cutting time spent across application teams by an estimated 30%.
- Redesigned an intranet hub application, by providing data-rich and user-customizable views, reducing managerial hours by 173 hours per manager annually and reducing work hours spent by staff to locate information by 49%.
- Evangelized UX design by delivering an influential “Foundations of UX” course to 150+ team leaders, significantly raising UX design awareness across the enterprise.

● Owner, UX/UI Designer and Front-End Developer – Leap3 Creative LLC

Jan 2012 - Nov 2016

- Provided a full spectrum of website services, from client engagement and requirements gathering to design and deployment, empowering 25+ small to medium-sized businesses to digital prominence.
- Crafted bespoke web solutions, harnessing modern UX/UI design principles and technologies, uniquely tailored to each client’s business ethos and identity.