

**Experience** Leader

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Experience Leader with 21 years in UX/UI design leadership, leveraging tools like Adobe Creative Suite, Figma, and JIRA to drive innovation and enhance user satisfaction. Demonstrated expertise in leading cross-functional teams and implementing user-centric strategies that align with business goals. Passionate about fostering intuitive design evolution and elevating digital product portfolios to achieve award-winning results.

## **Employment history**

Jun 2024 - Present

## Lead UX Designer

Papa Johns at Atlanta

- Lead cross-functional teams to design engaging loyalty experiences, enhancing user satisfaction.
- Conduct user testing and create wireframes, ensuring seamless design integration across platforms.
- Collaborate with stakeholders to develop strategic initiatives, driving customer retention.
- Mentor junior designers, aligning insights with business goals for evolving loyalty programs.
- Shape the future of loyalty offerings, delivering personalized experiences fostering brand loyalty.

#### Nov 2020 - Feb 2024

#### **Principal Experience Designer**

Stellar Elements

- Led cross-functional teams to create user-centric designs, enhancing engagement and satisfaction.
- Facilitated design thinking workshops, boosting team skills and collaboration.
- Implemented brand guidelines across digital platforms, ensuring consistency and strengthening identity.
- Drove innovation in user experiences, achieving measurable improvements in satisfaction and retention.
- Spearheaded global brand migration, ensuring consistent implementation across digital touchpoints.

May 2020 - Oct 2020

#### **Director of UX**

Macquarium

- Led a team of UX designers on multimillion-dollar global projects, ensuring alignment with goals.
- Collaborated with diverse teams to achieve corporate objectives, driving successful project outcomes.
- Directed international projects with substantial budgets, delivering measurable results.
- Fostered growth and development of UX designers, enhancing team performance and project success.

## Lead Senior UX Designer

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- Collaborated with stakeholders to align objectives and ensure design coherence.
- Led offshore teams, ensuring prototype fidelity and seamless development integration.
- Enhanced transparency with robust design documentation standards.
- Facilitated cross-functional team collaboration, improving design and development cohesion.
- Led UX design initiatives, driving cross-functional collaboration and aligning stakeholder objectives. Managed offshore teams, ensuring prototype fidelity and design coherence.

#### Jan 2019 - Aug 2019

### **Director of UX**

The M Group

- Led diverse projects in web and mobile applications, enhancing user experience and design consistency.
- Collaborated with product owners to develop user flows and productivity metrics, ensuring design alignment.
- Translated complex ideas into interactive prototypes, effectively communicating design concepts.
- Liaised with development teams to deliver cohesive and reliable designs, fostering team alignment.
- Streamlined design solutions, resulting in significant improvements in project delivery and user satisfaction.

#### May 2018 - Dec 2018

### **UX Director**

WGVS

In my role as UX Director, I led and facilitated user experience projects, serving as the project lead. I established an Agile project management environment and conducted training sessions to equip the team with best practices. With oversight of UX designers and researchers, I successfully conducted focus groups, developed user personas, implemented user testing, and validated usability standards. This effort resulted in a thorough understanding of our audience, and our prototypes received exceptionally high scores.

Jan 2017 - Dec 2017

## **Senior UX Designer**

MiracleSoft - Home Depot

- Led design of high-priority web applications, collaborating with stakeholders for cross-departmental impact.
- Ensured top-tier solutions by working closely with engineers and developers.
- Oversaw all creative initiatives post-successful project delivery.

Sep 2013 - Jan 2017

### **Experience Director**

The Lunchboxx

- Directed client mobile app projects, ensuring alignment with goals and seamless deployment on iOS and Android.
- Validated client objectives using low-fidelity wireframes, achieving high-fidelity prototypes for approval.
- Optimized and published apps, enhancing user experience and meeting client vision.

#### Jun 2012 - Sep 2013

## **Application Developer**

Blue Cross Blue Shield

- Collaborated on Affordable Health Care Act implementation, enhancing online content using MySQL, C#, HTML5, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Designed and developed UI, ensuring alignment with organizational requirements and regulatory objectives.
- Worked with developers to update content, resulting in improved user experience and compliance.
- Contributed to significant updates, leading to measurable improvements in online engagement and accessibility.

## **Creative Director**

Manifest Media Group

- Designed web and mobile apps, developed style guides, pattern libraries, enhancing user experience.
- Translated client objectives into prototypes, presented for feedback, improving client satisfaction.
- Managed focus groups, user testing, synthesized insights, creating tailored strategy presentations.
- Collaborated closely with clients, ensuring alignment with their mission and objectives.
- Delivered measurable results through strategic design and user feedback integration.

#### Sep 2010 - Oct 2011

## **Senior Director Web of Administrator**

New Birth MBC

- Managed global website development, online streaming, and social media for multiple campuses.
- Contributed to weekly strategy meetings to outline global objectives and milestones.
- Established a successful team and implemented intuitive design principles.
- Achieved a 60% growth in online membership through strategic initiatives.

Mar 2003 - Sep 2009

## **Creative Director**

Madkreative Studios, Inc

- Led web and interactive projects, specializing in Joomla CMS development and maintenance.
- Created detailed project plans, specifications, and wire-frames to guide development.
- Managed project change orders and conducted impact analysis to ensure alignment with goals.
- Secured a major contract with the third-largest pharmaceutical company in the country.
- Oversaw business process analysis and requirements gathering, ensuring project success.

## Education

*Jun 1992 - Sep 1994* Rhema Bible College at Broken Arrow, OK

Majored in Theological Studies with an emphasis on pastoral leadership

## **Techincal Skills**

Figma	Sketch
Experienced	<sub>Expert</sub>
Pitch Expert	Adobe Creative Suite
Sales Force	<b>JIRA</b>
Skillful	Skillful
Miro	

Experienced

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Professional Website

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