

Nirmal Mangalvedhekar

UX Designer

US Citizen

Summary:

Product designer with a passion for strategizing customer-focused solutions that positively impact the product design process to reach the team goals. Driven by innovation, connection, collaboration, and curiosity, resulting in unique solutions which have the potential to drive change. Experienced in the E-commerce domain with UX/UI design, graphic design, wire-framing, and system requirements.

Core Achievements:

Creative mind with strong organizational skills & work ethic.
Excellent Understanding of Digital analytics & strategy.
Eye for detail & quality briefing skills.
Proactive problem solver & collaborator.
Experience working in a fast passed environment.
Excellent teamwork skills including strong sense of ownership.

Education and Certificates:

MA in Interactive Media & UI/UX Designing.
Academy of Art University in San Francisco.
2022 – 2023.
Post Graduate Degree in Graphic Designing and Multimedia, India
2003 – 2004.
Graduate Degree in Fine Arts (Drawing and Painting), India
1997 – 2002.

Masters projects have provided a solid foundation in:

Product Branding, Visual & Graphic Designing
HCI (Human Computer Interaction)
Usability, Usability Testing
Designing
User Research & Persona Creation
Website & Multimedia Design
Strategy & Analytics
Wireframe Production
Prototyping
HTML, CSS, Javascript, Json, PHP & my sql
InDesign, Illustrator & Photoshop

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Technical Skills

UX Design
User research
User Interviews
Usability testing
Product design
HTML / CSS
Javascript, Json, PHP
Wire-framing
Graphic Designing
Image Editing
Product Branding

Softwares

Figma
Axure
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe Indesign
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe After Effects
Adobe Premiere

Soft Skills

Interpersonal Communication Skills.
Complex Problem Solving.
Working in a remote environment & culture.
Decision Making Skills.
System Thinking.
Collaborative Thinking.
Strong Critical Thinking Skills.
Project Management Skills.
Distributed Team Operations.

Skills:

- User flows, Mockups, Wireframing, Prototyping.
- User research and usability testing, design a product that solves a user problem, meets a user need and understand the user.
- Wireframing a web page layout stripped of visual design used to prioritize page elements based on user needs.
- Prototyping sample or simulation of a final product used to test and gather feedback. Sketch Low-fidelity prototypes on paper and design computer-based interactive High-fidelity prototypes.
- Mockup a realistic visual model of what a final webpage or application will look like.
- Design thinking, decision mapping, provide a high-level theoretical overview on how to approach and solve problems.
- Expert knowledge of visual design softwares like Figma, Sketch, Photoshop, Illustrator and Indesign, to create the visual elements of a product.
- Knowledge of visual design best practices like typography, color theory, layout, icons, and design theory.
- Visual Communication, understand Front End/Back end Coding.

Employment History:

Ezee Cosmetics- Little Elm, TX

Freelance Graphic Designer / Jan. 18 – Jan. 22.

Efficiently work on a high volume raw images.

Demonstrate skills in recognizing color correction, resizing, retouching, background fixing, shadow edits.

Utilize masking, selections, and adjustment in layers.

Prof reading and adjusting images for print or web use.

Lead the design, development & implementation of the graphic layout.

Developed marketing programs like logo, brochure, newsletter, presentation & advertisements.

Hagger Clothing- Dallas, TX / Freelance Image Editor / Jan. 19– Jan. 19.

Strong attention to detail and capability to perform multiple tasks with a fast paced environment.

Time manage the image editing process between curating, editing, labeling, approving & uploading high quality images.

Maintain image quality while cropping, color correcting, sizing and retouching the raw images.

Manage workload of images prioritizing and complete editing to meet deadlines.

Import Branded / San Francisco, CA. Graphic Designer / Image Editor. Jan. 08- April 12

Affinity Expree- Pune, India / Graphic Designer / Sept 05- May 06.

Itrism Software Solutions / UX Designer / Graphic Designer. April 04-Sept 05.