UX+UI PRODUCT DESIGNER

Ottawa & Montréal, Canada [orig. brit]

I help better existing products and launch new ones from the tiniest idea through to delivery, validating and exploring concepts as we go, and always with a cheesy pun at the ready!

My core values lie in kindness, empathy, hard work, and transparency, and I'm always looking to better myself as well as the system I work in.

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Lead UX Consultant
Sportlogiq

- 2023-2024 Montréal, Canada
- Carried out competitor & market landscape analyses, led quantitative & qualitative prospective user research studies collaboratively with partners to inform user types, product direction, market fit, & feature map
- Designed easy-to-use web platform wireframes & final interfaces, using video editing tools to create demonstrable working prototypes, providing documentation for design system implementation
- Worked with designer, developers, & management to up-skill UX and UI knowledge and implement design thinking and processes cross-functionally across the product team

Software I regularly use Figma + Figjam Airtable Miro Notion inVision Chrome Inspect

• Performed design audits alongside full-time designer for multiple products and figma libraries, standardising and organising in order to ensure cross-platform efficiency and consistency

Product Design Lead	
Wayfair	

- Spearheaded UX & UI design solutions for key products in Talent Technology, integrating user-centric research approaches including interviews, shadowing, and usability studies
- Collaborated closely with cross-functional teams to evaluate and implement feature enhancements, ensuring alignment with user needs and business objectives
- Led design and product process workshops and audits, advocating for consistent collaboration expectations, and knowledge-sharing within teams across 15 different products
- Designed and created online collaborative experiences, branding, presentation decks and assets for Wayfair's annual Global Experience Design multi-day conference

Senior UX/UI Designer

Apple Music for Business / TouchTunes

2020-2022 Montréal, Canada

2010-2017

New Zealand, England, Canada

2022-2023

Ottawa, Canada

• Led UX & UI design efforts on new features for Apple Music for Business and new products for TouchTunes, engaging in comprehensive benchmarking, user research, and usability testing strategies

Adobe Creative Suite

Knowledge of HTML5 CSS3 Sass Languages I speak English French

Portuguese

2014 Philosophy BA Hons University of Southampton

2013 **Digital Champion** University of Southampton

- Adjusted & presented design strategies, approach, product positioning and prototypes to C-Level executives, informing business decisions and driving product innovation
- Proposed and created final UIs with UX behavioural rationale, and scalable responsive design systems, collaborating with developers and streamlining the handoff process for multiple web tools and applications

Senior Product Designer	2019-2020
Sportlogiq	Montréal, Canada

- Orchestrated competitor & market landscape analyses, collaborated on roadmap planning, feature prioritisation, and user research initiatives
- Designed and implemented intuitive web tool interfaces, leveraging data visualisation techniques to highlight key statistics, while working closely with dev teams to ensure seamless implementation and WCAG compliance

Lead Designer	2017-2018
C2 International / C2 Montréal	Montréal, Canada

- Managed design projects from UX conception to UI execution on interactive displays, websites, and mobile apps
- Provided creative direction for print and digital assets, overseeing production and ensuring alignment with brand extension guidelines I had created
- Designed collaborative workshop exercises and large-scale signage, created engaging participant experiences
- Organised & presented milestones to C-Level partners in line with contractual deadlines

Business & Customer Awareness Award Excel Placements

2008 Stage 2 Snowboard Instructor Snowboard Instruction New Zealand

2006 **2nd Dan Black Belt** Wado Ryu Karate

There is no hill that Ellie can't climb. She tackles every challenge with ambition and resolve. She elevates her peers in that process. She's resourceful, innovative and without a doubt, one of the hardest working people I've ever worked with.

Digital & Graphic Designer Freelance / Merchant Marketing Group / Triggered Messaging

- Conducted usability tests and designed user-friendly interfaces for various platforms, including websites & apps
- Developed promotional materials and branding assets, leveraging market research and best practices
- Collaborated on business proposals and marketing strategies, conducted market & competitor research
- Designed & coded transactional email templates, Ecommerce CRMs

VITHU N. - DESIGN MANAGER