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| Objective | A position as Senior UX Designer where I can apply my passion for creating well-crafted products and services that are good experiences for the people who use them and good business for the ​organizations that build them. | | |
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| Expertise | * **Process & Methods**   Agile (Scrum, XP), Interviews, Workshops, Usability Testing, Surveys, Analytics, Card Sorting, Affinity Mapping, Research Synthesis   * **Deliverables**   Wireframes, Mockups, multi-fidelity Prototypes, Personas, Journey Maps, Requirements, Style Guides, client/executive-ready Presentations & Reports   * **Tools**   Whiteboard, Sticky Notes, Mind Mapping, Sketch, Axure, InVision, Adobe Creative Cloud (Photoshop, Illustrator, Acrobat…), Microsoft Office, VS Code   * **Web Standards**   HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript (ES5/ES6), Web Content Accessibility Guidelines   * **Libraries & Frameworks**   jQuery, Bootstrap, Lodash (expert), D3.js, Angular, React (working knowledge) | | |
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| Selected  Work Experience | The Home Depot | Atlanta, GA | Oct 2017 – May 2018 | |
| Senior Enterprise UX Designer (Contract)   * Conducted research, design and testing supporting The Home Depot's associates with a close-knit Agile team of UX, Product Management, and Software Developers. * Pipeline Engineering team: Conducted exploratory interviews, synthesized research, and developed roadmap for a tool to provide a traceable, holistic view of Home Depot's internal software development and deployment workflow. * Home Services Measure team: Supported iOS and Android mobile applications (phone, tablet) to gather detailed specifications for renovations. Conducted user research, design, and produced high fidelity mockups in Sketch for implementation by development team. | | |
|  | Bastille | Atlanta, GA | Feb 2016 — Sep 2017 | |
|  | Senior User Experience Engineer   * Designed and developed interactive dashboards, reports, visualisations, and configuration tools for Bastille's Internet of Things (IoT) security console. * Reported directly to Bastille's VP of Product to translate customer requirements and use cases into new features and enhancements. * Held primary responsibility for maintaining modular front-end codebase using HTML5, CSS/SASS, and modern JavaScript (TypeScript/ES6) technologies leveraging Angular and React frameworks. * Worked in a distributed, Agile environment in collaboration with back-end colleagues based in Bastille's San Francisco office. | | |
|  | GTRI | Atlanta, GA | Jun 2009 — Feb 2016 | |
|  | UX Designer/Research Scientist II   * Primary UX designer for FalconView aeronautical mission planning software: supported design and user testing of an iPad prototype; a re-build of the application's help system; migration to JIRA issue tracking and project management system; and analysis and visualization of software architecture. * UX Lead for multiple Georgia Department of Community Health (DCH) initiatives, including user research on health IT adoption and applications of Medicaid claims data to improve patient care. * Conducted user research (interviews, web/search analytics, card sorting) and developed information architecture for findability/usability-oriented redesigns of GTRI's corporate website and intranet. * Rapid iterative design and prototyping of a web-based interactive data visualization suite for DoD acquisitions decision support. * Other initiatives included a content management system (CMS) for exploring legislative trends; a web/mobile application for improved vaccination planning; and a resource coordination tool for intelligence analysts. | | |
|  | Razorfish | Atlanta, GA | Mar 2008 — Apr 2009 | |
|  | Information Architect   * Social marketing (Facebook, MySpace, Twitter) user experience design, research, analysis, and strategy for H&R Block's 2009 tax season. * Website internationalization road map to support translation and regional content needs for Travelport, a B2B travel services provider; deliverables included site map, wireframes, and content matrices. * Personas, scenarios, site maps, and rich internet application design for the online business center of an international direct sales organization. | | |
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| Education | MS, Human-Computer Interaction | 2002 — 2004 | |
|  | Georgia Institute of Technology | | |
|  | BS, Computer Science | 1997 — 2002 | |
|  | Georgia Institute of Technology  Certificate in Social-Personality Psychology | | |
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| UX Leadership | * **IxDA (Interaction Design Association) Atlanta**   Local Leader (2008-2014), Founding Member   * **CHI Atlanta**   GTRI Sponsorship Coordinator (2011-2014), Technology Chair (2010),  Media Chair (2009), Member (2005-2014)   * **Atlanta UX Book Club**   Founding Member (2009-2012) | | |