Ariel Nguyen

A data-driven UX Designer with a marketing and graphic design background specializing in prototyping with coding proficiency.

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Experience

WEB DESIGNER • XL Construction

Oakland, CA | AUG 2021 - PRESENT

- Responsible for the holding company and all subsidiaries' websites.
 - + Conducted user research, created user flows, wireframes, and collaborated with developers to redesign XLConstruction.com. Administrating the website using WordPress. As a result, web traffic has increased to over 200%.
 - + Redesigned and developed Bradleyconcrete.com, ElevatedCS.com, and Timber-Quest.com. Helped drive the user engagement rate from 33% to 75%.
 - + Ideated and executed the organization's intranet system and landing pages using SharePoint and Interact to improve user engagement by over 50%.
- Using analytics and research monthly to inform approaches for new features for all websites, intranet, and digital campaigns.

PRODUCT DESIGNER • SAFI Label

Remote | APR 2022 - MAY 2022

- Audited current website using Google Analytics and competitive research
- Conducted in-depth interviews with end users to identify pain points.
- Based on the research, worked with 3 UX designers to design an e-commerce website for wholesale buyers to source supplies from Africa.
- Created journey mapping, wireframe, and prototype.
- Perform two rounds of usability testing on likely end users.
- Documented all key findings, takeaways and presented to the clients in weekly check-in.
- Exported prototype using Zeplin to transfer the work to developers.

MARKETING CONSULTANT • CSE Insurance Group

Walnut Creek, CA | JAN 2020 - AUG 2021

- Developed style guides, UI components and performed usability testing for CSE Quick-Fix mobile app.
- Designed and developed the company's intranet using SharePoint Online.
- Administrated the company's public website, user web portal, and email marketing system.
- Performed A/B testing, analyzed data to the executives, supported the decision making process which led to new product launches.
- Created branding guidelines, marketing assets, and collaterals.

MEDIA AND MARKETING MANAGER • Franciscan Charity

San Francisco, CA | JUN 2016 - JAN 2020

- Redesigned the company's website, managed web content, and implemented the company's e-commerce system.
- Produced video content on multiple channels: social media, website, and television.
- Created visual art, print ads, email newsletter, and marketing collaterals.

Skills

UX/UI

User Research User Empathy
User Flows Heuristic Evaluation
Affinity Mapping Design Thinking

Journey Mapping Ideation
Wireframing Prototyping
Iterative Design Design Systems
Interaction Design Responsive Design

Information Architecture

OTHERS

Graphic Design Video Editing

Motion Graphics HTML

CSS JavaScript

TOOLS

Adobe XD Adobe CC
Sketch Illustrator
Figma Photoshop
InVision Premiere Pro
Miro After Effects
Jira InDesign
Zeplin HubSpot

WordPress Google Analytics

KeyNote MS Office / SharePoint

Education

ACADEMY OF ART UNIVERSITY

BS in Motion Pictures and Television JUL 2012 - MAY 2016

Specialized in Cinematography and Animation

SPRINGBOARD

UX Design Career Track AUG 2021 - MAY 2022

6-month, 300+ hour, mentor-led UX Design Intensive. Includes a Capstone Project and an Industry Design placement.

Languages

English

Vietnamese