

Senior Product Designer

Paylocity

January 2023 - Current

Returned to an enterprise environment where I can focus on one part of a large product, collaborate with a team of 40 designers, and help contribute to a complex design system in the payroll and HR space.

Director of UX

Soltec Health Freelance

June 2020 - January 2023

Early stage startup helping the founders build the initial mobile experience. Collaborated with the product team to extract requirements, create flow diagrams, and visuals comps. Worked directly with the development team on sprints to provide specifications and quickly create new features to test directly with users.

Director of Design

Unveil.Social

June 2018 - June 2020

Leading the design at a startup from initial idea to a product in the market with hundreds of daily active users. Worked aside the COO to craft timelines, define features in Asana/Jira, design concepts in Sketch, prototype ideas in Principle, and create a design system for the iOS engineers.

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SPS Commerce

February 2016 - May 2018

Revitalizing an enterprise platform in an Agile environment. Worked with a large development team to create and maintain a design system for their platform. Helped product owners and managers turn requirements into prototypes to test new ideas with heavy data visualization elements.

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November 2011 - April 2015

Lead a variety of projects in an agency environment, working between setting client expectations and ensuring the development team has what they need to build it within budget. Helped mentor new designers and provided thought leadership via presentations and lectures.

Front End Developer

XO Communications

November 2008 - April 2011

Helping small companies in an agency setting design and build new websites or features/additions to their marketing sites. Experience creating HTML/CSS from the scratch and using frameworks like Twitter Bootstrap.

Network Technology - AAS

Delta College

Spent four years attending various classes on computers, interpersonal communication, and other helpful topics to build a wider understanding of technology and people. I began working for an ISP during my studies that enriched my education much faster than school.

Conference Speaker

IOT Fuse - 2015

Spoke at the first Internet of Things conference at The University of Minnesota. I presented my concept for smart offices using embedded devices to make the workplace more efficient.

Tutorial Author

Adafruit.com

Contributed to open source software and tutorials for Adafruit's website for the internet of things.

App Creator

Bark Park

Created a proof of concept for a location based app that helps dog owners find dog parks, learn about which dogs are there, and helps people make friends through their pets.

YouTube Creator

The Sleep Sherpa

Working as a content creator for a review channel focus on sleep products. I help film the owner give reviews, setup lighting, edit video, upload to YouTube, create thumbnails, and help coordinate assets and releases with brands. (It's a ton of fun)