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UI/UX DESIGNER

Keywords

- 10 YEARS EXPERIENCE
- MASTER'S DEGREE
- ISTD ACCREDITATION
- CYPRIT & BRITISH
- FRIENDLY
- ANALYTICAL
- VERSATILE

Main Areas of Skills

- UX
- USER INTERFACES
- VISUAL DESIGN
- VISUAL QA
- INFOGRAPHIC ANIMATION

Most Frequently Used Tools

- PEN & PAPER
- COMMON SENSE
- USE CASES
- USER FLOW DIAGRAMS
- RESEARCH
- WIREFRAMES
- PROTOTYPES
- FIGMA
- SKETCH
- INVISION
- ADOBE SUITE
- JIRA

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ABOUT

I am a practical thinker with a creative flair. I start each project by analysing the brief carefully and coming up with a concrete plan, before allowing the creative side to take over regarding the visual layer. When the main work is done, I make sure that everything looks and functions as it should. Attention to detail, and to the user experience, is key.

I have been designing user interfaces since 2013. I find nothing more exciting than solving a UX challenge in the most effective way. I had started my professional course in graphic design however, and I still enjoy working on the occasional infographic animation or static graphic.

I take pride in being reliable and consistent, while keeping a friendly and collaborative attitude at all times.

EDUCATION

Graphic Design Course
2008-2009
Domi Institute (Greece)

First year of BA Hons

Graphic Design BA Hons
2009-2011
Teesside University (UK)

*Completed with **First Class***

Future Design MA
2011-2012
Teesside University (UK)

*Passed with **Distinction***

WORK EXPERIENCE

UI/UX & Digital Designer, Opia (Sales Promotion Partner): November 2019 – Present

My work consists of continuously improving the UX of the solutions we offer our clients (which include Samsung, Google, Apple and LG), as well as designing promotional websites.

Design Lead, MMC (Digital Agency): February 2016 – November 2019

I was responsible for the UX and design output of the agency and ensuring that quality standards were met consistently. The role included interaction with clients.

Designer, MMC (Digital Agency): January 2013 – February 2016

The position was originally focused on branding, but soon evolved to digital projects (websites, apps and infographic animations), which became the firm focus of the role.

Freelance Work

I was doing freelance work occasionally while studying, and full time for 5 months after graduating (August 2012 – January 2013).

Work Placements

- » Reform Creative (August 2011): One month placement, in Manchester.
- » Cream Advertising (August 2010): Two week placement, in Athens, Greece.
- » Fat Frog (July 2010): One week placement, in Newcastle.

* For more details on education and work experience, you can visit my [LinkedIn Profile](#)

