Hello, My Name is

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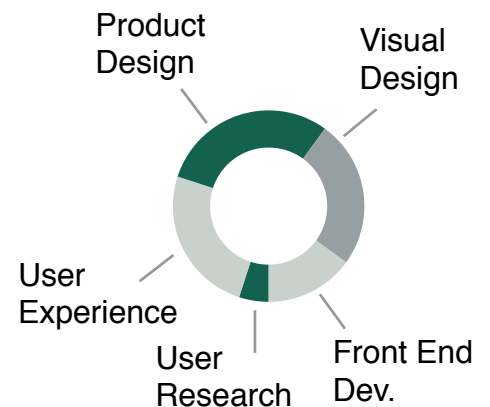
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WORK EXPERIENCE

Present ● **AVP - User Experience and Design**

Global Association of Risk Professionals

- Built new team consisting of designers and developers to bring innovative problem solving and stratgic long-term thinking to the public website and online apps.

2011 ● **AVP – User Experience Designer**

Global Association of Risk Professionals

- In charge of running usability studies, creating user flows, sitemaps, and wireframes for new products or feature upgrades
- Helped team design and develop production ready website and mobile application

2009 ● **New Media/User Experience Designer**

Global Association of Risk Professionals

- Managed small team of designers and developers to make updates to the website based on customer and business requirements.
- Oversaw and coordinated software developers, designers and web producers implementing online media projects with budget responsibility of up to USD 300,000

2008 ● **Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Major in Marketing**

University of Dayton, Dayton, OH

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Teacher Assistant – User Experience Design

General Assemb.ly

- Taught students how to apply best practices as they analyze problems to create effective process flows and designs
- Helped students express research and design ideas through, personas, feature needs matrix, card sorting, sitemaps, user flows, wireframes and prototypes

TOOLS

Axure	●	●	●	○	○
Bootstrap	●	●	●	●	○
Balsamiq	●	●	●	●	○
Github	●	●	●	●	○
Illustrator	●	●	●	○	○
InDesign	●	●	●	○	○
Invision	●	●	●	○	○
OmniGraffle	●	●	●	●	●
Photoshop	●	●	●	●	●
Sketch	●	●	●	●	●
CSS	●	●	●	●	○
HTML	●	●	●	●	○
Javascript	●	●	○	○	○

SKILLS

Product Design

Visual Design

User Experience

User Research

Front End Dev.

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Scrum Master
Scrumalliance

Visual Design
General Assemb.ly

User Experience Design
General Assemb.ly

Front End Web Development
General Assemb.ly