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Staff Product Designer

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Experience

Roblox

Staff / Senior Product Designer - Safety, Collaboration & NUX

February 2023 - Present | San Francisco Bay Area

- Leading a multi-year creator-safety vision spanning progressive trust, identity and age verification, platform-level defenses, and safer workflows for minors.
- Led Studio New User Education; grew DAU to 400K (+22%) and increased daily time spent 29%, while reducing hangs and crashes 19%.
- Created an onboarding curriculum that increased creator playtime 8%; secured leadership backing for a funded, cross-team two-year roadmap.
- Led collaboration features including Comments, Streaming, and Team Create, partnering across Product, Engineering, Content, Data Science, and Research.
- Manage an intern and mentor 3+ associates; built cross-org programs for craft, feedback, career development, and design quality.

Meta

Lead / Product Designer - MetaWorks, Portal AI & Voice

May 2019 - February 2023 | Menlo Park, CA

- Led third-party partnership strategy for MetaWorks and shaped Microsoft Office and Google Workspace integrations announced at Meta Connect 2022.
- Owned Meta Assistant experiences on Portal and multi-year strategies across social, utility, and privacy; built shared component libraries and quality standards.
- Set the interaction bar for natural language, dictation, voice search, and Alexa; partnered with Amazon on a shared-device, dual-assistant ecosystem.
- Designed Portal's out-of-box setup and first-use education across TV and touchscreen devices.

Samsung Electronics

UX Designer I-III - Galaxy Watch & Knox

July 2015 - May 2019 | Vancouver, BC

- Led the 0-to-1 Samsung Wearables Service Platform across Galaxy Watch and desktop, enabling enterprise deployments for Disney, ADT, and USPS.
- Led Knox Configure's design, providing 20K+ companies including the FBI, Bank of America, Bloomberg, and Boeing with white-glove device enrollment and management at scale.
- Spoke at Samsung Developer Conference 2018 (SDC18), presenting the Wearables Service Platform strategy to Samsung's global developer community.
- Ran monthly Galaxy Fold design sprints on the team that incubated both Fold and Z Flip; led technology patent exploration for the Galaxy series.

Capabilities

STRATEGY & SYSTEMS

- Product strategy
- Systems design
- Trust & Safety
- 0-to-1 products

EXPERIENCE DESIGN

- Onboarding & education
- AI & voice interactions
- Wearables & novel devices
- Design systems

LEADERSHIP

- Design direction
- Cross-functional alignment
- Mentorship & critique
- Research & facilitation
- Hiring

Speaking & service

TEDX SPEAKER

The Lessons of Chronic Lyme Disease, 2024

BOARD MEMBER

Rose Charities Canada, advising Vision Together Nepal

PRO BONO ADVISOR

LinkaChart Medical: Chronic Illness support