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ABOUT

I have wanted to pursue a career in UX ever since my introduction to the field, and have moved to NYC from New Zealand to make this dream a reality. (I do not require sponsorship to work in the US).

Solving problems and creating experiences is fulfilling work for me, and I enjoy all stages of UX design, from user research to low-fi wireframing and hi-fi prototyping. I have designed for websites, mobile, VR and AR and developed in HTML, CSS and JavaScript.

EXPERIENCE

Business Information Analyst Intern

ASB Bank, Mar 17 - Oct 17

- Updated ASB Bank's nation-wide Staff Roster System in a team of three.
- ASB Bank is one of New Zealand's Big Four Banks.
- Was in charge of the research, analysis and design phases.
- Was commended on my ability to analyze and present findings and on my UX design work.
- Designed screens in Sketch App and developed the front end in HTML, CSS and Javascript.
- The updated, intuitive solution is predicted to save tens of thousands of hours for branch staff across New Zealand.
- ASB Bank was impressed with our prototype and has decided to implement our system.

"Sophie was a critical member of the successful 345 project team. Her hard work and dedication was particularly evident in the high quality of her design and analysis work." - Chief Architect, ASB Bank

ACADEMIA

The University of Auckland | Feb 15 - Nov 17

Bachelor of Commerce | Information Systems and Marketing

- Top Information Systems Project 2017: ASB Bank gave us an A+.
- Top Team 2017: The best marketing team in the design of a visual ad campaign.
- Top of the class 2016: Highest grade in the Innovation & Entrepreneurship course (A+).

“Her ability to envision and then articulate in a storyboard of how the solution would appear to the end-user was outstanding. She has a talent of great value and I would love to have her working with me.”

- Lecturer, Information Systems Design

TOOLS

Sketch App

Photoshop

Illustrator

PowerPoint

Excel

Word

HTML

CSS

JavaScript

SKILLS

Communication

Teamwork

Empathy

Diplomacy

Leadership

Innovation

Organization

Sketching

Humor

REFERENCES

References are available on request. Testimonials and project walk-throughs are available at sophieburns.com.