

# **Kevin Santos**

# **Product Designer**

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## **SKILLS**

User Experience
Empathic Research
Human-Centered Design
Interaction Design
Rapid Prototyping
Usability Testing
Information Architecture
UI Design
Graphic Design

## **TOOLS**

Sketch

Creative Cloud Suite

Invision

Figma

Personas

**Empathy Maps** 

Affinity Maps

Storyboarding

User Flow

Wireframes

Paper Prototypes

Moodboards

Hi-fidelity Mockups

HTML5 + CSS3

#### **LANGUAGES**

English

Portuguese – Dual-Citizen

Spanish

French

# **SUMMARY**

I approach problems with a strong sense of curiosity and excitement, and I enjoy the challenge of crafting an inclusive and impactful solution. I aspire to collaborate with and learn from a diverse group of thinkers and doers to create innovative, meaningful products. I have used my experience in web-design as an introduction to understanding the complexities of usability versus aesthetic. My passion for problem-solving and interest in product improvement has led me to user experience design.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Product Designer, Freelance

2018-PRESENT

- Applied research-based principles to drive the design of products that fully support end-user needs
  while achieving the business vision. Led user research and interface design processes by creating
  personas, storyboards, task flows, wireframes, high-fidelity mockups, and prototypes.
- Continuously measure and optimize the user experience through a combination of quantitative and qualitative research methods such as usability testing, contextual inquiries and surveys.

# All-round Designer, RitePick

2017-2018

- Coordinated, designed, and maintained the company's WordPress website.
- Designed concise audience-appropriate informational and educational content.
- · Actively researched industry trends to bring new ideas and applications to company.
- · Outlined goals, defined the target audience, and created content to help scale brand.

## Web Designer, Freelance

2015-2018

- Coordinated, designed, and maintained WordPress, Shopify and CSS/HTML websites.
- · Attended meetings, collaborating with clients on project updates, direction, and strategy plans.
- Created a system to manage the ordering experience to handle mass orders. The system
  distilled various channels of ordering into one seamless system and helped facilitate the
  back-end logistics of preparing orders.
- Designed promotional material, banners, graphics, and images for website, advertisements, and social media.

## **OTHER**

### Youth Development Coach, New York Red Bulls + Thistle F.C.

2017-PRESENT

- Create seasonal development plans to outline objectives and targeted learning outcomes.
- · Develop and conduct customized training sessions for teams to ensure development.
- · Establish a coaching curriculum to assist coaches with session planning and coaching conduct.
- Assist coaches with on-field instruction and implementation of the curriculum.

# **EDUCATION**

User Experience Design, Designlab UX Academy 2019

BS, Business Administration, Marketing, Montclair State University

Certificate in Music Production & Mixing / Mastering, Dubspot NYC