

# Israel Hinojosa

## User Experience Designer

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### Experience

#### SeedCMS / UX/UI Designer

Nov 2016 - Present - Orange County, CA

- Introduced and implemented practical UX methodologies to team and stakeholders.
- Collaborate closely with the Project Director on creativity and all timelines.
- Present multiple design concepts and show how deliverables meet client needs.
- Expert at idea formation, wireframing, prototyping, and mockups.
- Presents design recommendations based on all available information and best practices to clients.
- Assists with the creation of style guides and interactive design assets such as components, icons, buttons and more.
- Define the design process for varying types of web and mobile projects (using Sketch and InVision) - template design, component design, wireframes, prototypes, user flow and highly detailed annotations.
- Prototype in lo-fidelity with sketches and wireframes and in hi-fidelity when needed.
- Conduct market research and competitive analysis to identify ways to grow and improve the user experience.

#### Blue Studio Project / UX/UI Designer (Freelance)

July 2015 - Dec 2016 - Orange County, CA

- Focused on web and mobile apps UI design and UX strategy. Mainly simplifying and cutting unnecessary features, create user flows, workflows, prototyping.

#### CitrusBits / UX/UI Designer

May 2016 - Aug 2016 - Pasadena, CA

- Collaborate closely with Product and Engineering team.
- Drive UX/UI initiatives from concept to a defined user scenario.
- Re-designed the on boarding process, significantly shorten user input time, eliminated interface design confusions and increased design aesthetic.

#### District2 / UX Designer & Information Architect

Jan 2016 - Feb 2016 - Los Angeles, CA

- Conducted stakeholder interviews.
- User and market research to define user needs and business goals.
- IA: created personas, user flows, user stories, and sitemaps.
- Built low-fidelity and medium-fidelity prototypes to demonstrate functionality of design.

### Summary

A User Experience Designer who holds 5 years experience working in the e-commerce and creative industries. I strive to keep things clean, simple and functional in every project I am entrusted with. I love figuring out what the user really needs and creating beautiful solutions.

### Skills

Product Design  
User Interface  
Rapid Prototyping  
Design Research  
Interaction Design  
Wireframing  
Agile & Lean UX  
User-Centered Design  
Usability Testing  
Data Analysis  
Creative Strategy

### Tools & Technologies

Sketch, Figma, Photoshop, Illustrator,  
Adobe XD, Invision App, Zeplin,  
Omnigraffle, Marvel, Asana, Trello, JIRA.

### Education

**General Assembly**, Los Angeles, 2015  
*User Experience Design Immersive*

**California State University**, Fullerton, 2013  
*Bachelors of Arts in Cultural and Social Anthropology*

**Riverside Comm. College**, Riverside, 2008  
*Associates of Arts and Science:  
International Relations and Business*