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EXPERIENCE

Google Maps — Senior *Interaction Designer*

Seattle, WA | Apr 2019 - Present

Owned & led the design system and framework for Google Maps Directions, establishing core principles, information prioritization and UI guidelines that enhanced consistency and feature development efficiency.

Led the design & launch of multiple high-impact mobility features, enabling millions to navigate effectively across various transportation modes on mobile and in-car platforms (eg., tolls, disruptions, vehicle profile, search along route)

A11y advocate and expert, integrating inclusive design practices to ensure features were accessible to diverse user groups.

Google Drive — *Interaction Designer*

Boulder, CO | Aug 2016 - Apr 2019

Led the end-to-end redesign and successful launch of the Google Drive Mobile app, significantly enhancing the on-the-go experience.

Built a high-fidelity interactive React prototype for realistic user testing and critical feedback.

Designed “Team Drives” and improved the sharing flows

EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania — *Master of Integrated Product Design*

Philadelphia, PA | Aug 2014 - Jun 2016

Zhejiang University — *Bachelor of Industrial Design*

Hangzhou, China | Aug 2010 - Jun 2014

SKILLS

UI & UX design

A11y design

Motion design

Design sprints

Storytelling

Interactive prototyping

Coding

Illustration

Industrial Design

3D modeling & rendering

TOOLS

Figma

Sketch

Adobe Creative Suites

Principles

HTML 5, CSS 3 & JS

React

Procreate

Rhinoceros & V-ray