Kara Jelley

UX/UI Designer

Product Design | Engineering Perspective | Business Mindset

Experience

Product Design Lead | Warner Music Group

August 2022 - June 2023

- Coordinated with over 10 teams globally, encompassing business, marketing, and engineering, to ensure a user-centric product
- Implemented a new design system within an existing product
- Executed end-to-end product development under a strict deadline including user research, stakeholder interviews, user interviews, usability testing, user flow mapping, and design phase deliverables

UX/UI Designer | Primion Technology GmbH

February 2022 - July 2022

- Cross-collaborated with various business units to provide a cohesive solution
- Set the foundation for design system implementation
- Streamlined the development handoff process
- Provided training to over 4 teams on UX principles and best practices

UX/UI Designer | TerraviewOS

September 2021 - February 2022

- Worked closely with the product team to build designs ranging from wireframes to working prototypes to create a customer-focused solution
- Collaborated with internal stakeholders, including C-suite members, to create over
 5 features customized for specific client needs
- Proactively sought and welcomed constructive feedback to refine design iterations
- Curated materials for marketing, fundraising, and sales (presentations, mockups, prototypes, web pages, graphic materials, etc.)

UX/UI Designer | Wisar

July 2020 - September 2020

- Utilized company OKRs to drive project goals
- Performed usability testing alongside a data analyst to provide an intuitive product
- Leveraged user research to create an enhanced user experience design that resulted in improved KPIs
- Increased user engagement by over 80%

UX/UI Designer | BMAT Music Innovators

May 2020 - July 2020

- Designed the user experience for a music metadata mapping software, integral to a Content Management System (CMS)
- Created an intuitive feature to upload and map metadata while complying with branding and style guidelines
- Showcased flexibility and a growth mindset through navigation of 3 project pivots and seamless adaptation to evolving requirements

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Portfolio

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LinkedIn

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Education

Product Strategy
allWomen Tech
Completed September 2023
Online

UXUI Design BootcampallWomen TechCompleted November 2019Barcelona, Spain

BS Engineering Management
Michigan Technological University
Graduated December 2017
Houghton, MI, USA

Skills

User Research | Design Strategy Heuristic Analysis | Usability Testing Content Strategy | Data Analytics Interaction Design | Visual Design Storytelling | Agile Methodologies Product Vision | Product Strategy Lean UX | Human-centered Design Design Thinking | Systems Thinking Information Architecture | Personas Empathy Mapping | Site Mapping User Journey Mapping | A/B Testing Jobs to be Done | Card Sorting Wireframing | Mockups | Prototyping Figma | Sketch | Adobe XD Typography | Illustrator | Invision Graphic Design | Accessibility | SaaS Data-driven Design | HTML | CSS

Principals of Development & OOP