# **BRANDON BANNER**

# **UX/UI** Designer



### CONTACT

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### PROFILE

Approximately 2 years of experience in UX Design and research. B2C projects in tech and retail sectors. Web and mobile design experience. 7 years of customer service experience. Completed a Product Design Internship at RadicalX and now currently freelancing, actively looking for a full-time role. Constantly learning new things so I can become a better designer. Fusing beauty, usability, and functionality.

### SKILLS

Figma - This is my primary design tool. I know how to use plug ins. I've created design systems and built prototypes using Figma. **HTML5 + CSS3** - I understand the full concept and relationship between HTML and CSS. I've built a web app using HTML, and continuously learning new things.

**Miro** - I used this tool during my internship at RadicalX. This is where our team collaborated and kept all of our information (charts, design sprints, etc.)

Adobe Illustrator - I am certain familiar with this tool, I as updated used it to create the logo button. for my Pairings mobile application.

**JavaScript** - I understand the concept and how it works with HTML. I have used JavaScript to make certain aspects of my web app functional. Such as updating the theme of a page with a click of a button

Sketch (in-training) Prototyping User Personas Stakeholder Relations

Jira Wireframing Empathy Maps Collaboration

Storyboarding User Research Affinity Maps Problem-Solving

Information Architecture Journey Maps Presentation Leadership

# CERTIFICATIONS

User Experience for Web Design (LinkedIn Learning) - March 2023

Google UX Design Certificate (Coursera) - in progress

# EXPERIENCE

# Lucas Jewelry and Repair

- Built an e-commerce website for local jewelry store using the Shopify platform.
- Redesigned existing logo to meet needs of the website's design. Additionally created a favicon version of existing logo.

Shopify
Developer
July 2023 -

- Integrated outside solutions for website domain, business email, payment gateways, shipping, and live chat.
- Designed custom pages for product categories and store information based upon client's needs.
- Present Created custom code to tailor website to clients needs.
  - Added AI functionality into live chat feature, to suggest and locate products.

# Collaborated with global team to design a career quiz using the Agile methodology, determining stakeholders to create the best experience for user through the Agile Methodology.

#### RadicalX

Product Design Intern Aug 2022 - Nov 2022

- Led UI Design subteam, creating low to high fidelity prototypes and enhancing a design system with 95% stakeholder satisfaction.
- Crafted wireframes, conducted user research, competitive analysis, usability testing, journey mapping, user personas, storyboarding, empathy mapping, affinity mapping, design systems, site mapping and presented prototypes.
- Used agile methodology.
- Learned Figma and Miro through this project, honed in on leadership, presentation, and communication skills.
- Performed accounting duties for the store.

## **Harris Teeter**

Office Assistant

Aug 2016 - Present

- Oversaw a fast paced grocery store front end. Managed employees and made calls and decisions based upon number customers in the store.
- Handled customer complaints, refunds, special requests, money transfers and account signups.
- Performed technical support and resolution duties.

## EDUCATION

# University of North Carolina at Greensboro

B.S. Computer Science 2017 - 2022 3.7 GPA

- Notable Courses: Human Computer Interaction, Software Engineering
- Member of Strong Residential College
- Awarded Capstone Research Award from Strong Residential College (entailed a website, research essay, and magazine entry)