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I'm a multidisciplinary designer with some serious developer skills.

I have a diverse experience in design and development. As I love to think and learn about new mediums exhibiting different behaviours, I continuously practice and master new skills. For instance, I am able to design a visual identity for a product, create an API for a web service, typeset a book, or produce a stop-motion animation video.

On the other hand, I am mainly interested in creating and maintaining front-end of a cross-platform, multi-user tech product by designing simple and easy-to-use graphical user interface, developing a solid structure of interface components, creating meaningful interactions and improving the user experience day-by-day.

📌 know-how

- Understanding of basic design principles and Gestalt theory
- Expertise on user experience design and user research
- Using design patterns in semantically correct way
- Strong sense of visual identity
- Technical knowledge to create media for diverse platforms
- Organizing data in an obsessively precise way

🔗 analytical skills

- Design-oriented problem solving
- Creative ideation and conceptualization
- Balancing form and function on any given matter
- Developing models with contextual and visual coherence
- Discriminative and comparative case study and feedback analysis

📖 education

ANADOLU UNIVERSITY

Business Administration + Public Relations

October 2007 — September 2011

In the end of 4-year business study with a minor in PR, I have successfully earned a bachelor's degree of Business Administration and an associate degree of Public Relations.

MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

Urban Design + Industrial Design

September 2006 — June 2013

After having successfully passed 90% of 5-year Urban Design study, I decided to quit. Before dropping out officially, I have spent 2 years attending 17 additional courses in Department of Industrial Design including Product Design, Graphic Design, Interactive Multimedia Design, Visual Media, Design Management, and Intellectual Property Rights.

I have successfully taken 86 courses from 4 departments in 2 universities.

🔧 technical skills

Graphic Design

Photoshop Illustrator InDesign

Web Design

Mobile-first Responsive Cross-browser

User Experience Research+Design

Wireframing Scenarios Storyboarding

User Interface Design

Photoshop Xcode Interface Builder Sketch

Markup

HTML DOM XML Jade EJS

Styling

CSS LESS Sass

Client-side

JavaScript React React Router jQuery ES6

Server-side

PHP Node Express Webpack

Other

Git SSH Chrome DevTools

Expert Good Average Poor



work

DIGITORY GAMES

Social Media Marketing Consultant

December 2016 — Present | Remote

I am consulting Digitoy Games, a social games company, on the subjects of branding, targeted ads, and social media marketing.

SEMANTICA

Founder + CEO

December 2013 — April 2016 | San Francisco

I founded the company to create better social feedback tools. I raised a seed money, hired and managed a team of four, and took the role of main designer. We designed, developed and shipped three products called Piccture, Cardz, and Favogue. In 2016, the business failed.

FRAKTAL PROJE

Co-founder + Project Manager

January 2013 — July 2013 | Ankara

I co-founded the company and worked as the project manager. We developed and managed online media projects for our clients.

KODOBUR

User Interface Designer

October 2010 — August 2012 | Ankara

I designed and developed user interfaces for web-based projects and gaming platforms. I also participated in some multimedia design projects (e.g., video production).

LABRIS NETWORKS

User Interface Designer

August 2008 — April 2009 | Ankara

I designed and developed the administration panel UI of the network security software. I also designed the installation guide and the help screens of the company's Linux distribution.

FREELANCE

Multidisciplinary Designer

June 2003 — Present

I helped 50+ clients in making their product amazing.

interests

Design, geometry, linguistics, reverse engineering, typography, printmaking, architecture, juggling.

languages

Turkish (Native), English (Fluent), Techie (Fluent).