MARCO DOELLING

QUALIFICATIONS

- · UI and visual designer with 20 years of experience working at Microsoft and in the IT industry
- Track record of achieving project deadlines and overseeing product launches
- · Heavy interaction with team leaders, project managers, developers, and UI designers
- Detail-oriented and meticulous about my work

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Fully proficient in using interface design tools like Figma to create components and design system. documentation
- UI / UX responsive design across mobile, tablet, and PC platforms
- Personas, user flows, interaction design mockups, and high-resolution wireframes
- Desktop and mobile design experience, working on both desktop and mobile platforms
- · Designed for search engines like Microsoft's Bing and Microsoft's Al productivity tool, Copilot.
- · Icon and brand identity creation
- PowerPoint presentation design
- Style guides and detailed specifications in compliance with company standards
- · Typography, color theory, and layout design
- Banner and swag illustrations for major web and public events
- Experienced in the use of Adobe Creative Desktop apps like Illustrator, Photoshop, and Figma

WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Visual Designer

Allovus | Redmond, WA

June – August and Nov. – Dec. 2024

Short-term contract

Job Description:

- Created high-fidelity color versions of two MS Azure Ignite Icons for a Microsoft Marketing campaign.
- Ideated and created new color icons for Microsoft's M365 Studio Expressions icon system.
- · Created visually compelling sub-brand icons for Microsoft Azure AI Studio as part of a marketing campaign promoting Azure's new AI features.
- Edited and created assets for PowerPoint presentations for senior staff presentations
- All designs and production of my work were completed in Figma

Senior Visual Designer

Home-based consulting | Bothell, WA

June 2022 - June 2024

Freelance

Job Description:

· Website design and maintenance, asset and content creation, marketing and collateral development, and social media management for Hello Nurse, an IV health and wellness clinic.

Senior Visual Designer Expedia Group | Seattle, WA

March 2022 - June 2022

Contract

Job Description:

- Lead visual content designer and producer for e-learning modules and podcasts for the EG Design
- Applied best practices to edit internal PowerPoint presentations and strive to make them visually more compelling
- All designs and production of my work were completed in Adobe Illustrator and Adobe Photoshop

Graphic Designer II

Microsoft Visual Studio (VSTS) | Redmond, WA

Feb. 2017- June 2021

Contract via Aquent, LLC

Job Description:

- · New icon concept and asset creation for Visual Studio Team Services' broad range of products and web pages, including Visual Studio, VS Code, and VS Marketplace
- Created brand identities for several Visual Studio and Microsoft open-source extensions and frameworks like Blazor, Tye, and Bridge to Kubernetes
- Created PowerPoint presentations for senior staff and stakeholders, demonstrating the process of developing a new brand identity from a concept to the final product
- Banner and swag illustration design for conferences and special events
- Design and production of my work were completed in Figma and Adobe Illustrator

Major achievements:

- Integral in helping to create over 3,000 redesigned product icons for Dev 2020 Visual Studio
- Refreshed the entire icon system for Visual Studio Code (over 200 icons)

Senior Illustrator

Pivotal Communications | Bellevue, WA

Oct. 2016 - June 2017

Freelance

Job Description:

· Created digital illustrations and animations for the company website. Each demonstrated how Pivotal's proprietary Wi-Fi technology works and identified the markets that Pivotal is targeting.

Graphic Designer III

Microsoft Bing | Bellevue, WA

April 2016 - Sept. 2016

Contract via MAQ Consulting

Job Description:

· Designed and produced icons for Bing's digital agent, Cortana

· Aided in the development of integrated brand strategy, visual design concepts, product attributes, and overall look and feel of iconography

· Supported the team in utilizing current and emerging scripting technologies

Visio Designer

F5 | Seattle, WA

Jan. 2016 - April 2016

Contract via Creative Circle

Job Description:

 Created custom stencils and a master template to enable F5 developers to connect their Visio diagrams to virtual data sources and display their data graphically

Graphic Designer III

HCL Technologies | Redmond, WA

Aug. 2015 - March 2016

Contract via Resource Logistics

Job Description:

- Visual asset creation for Microsoft's marketing campaigns and product releases
- Produced demo videos showcasing various proprietary tools developed by HCL

Major achievements:

• My creative input and design culminated in the successful launch of an event website for Windows 10 devices: Surface, HoloLens, MS Band, and Xbox

Presentation Designer

Intellectual Ventures | Bellevue, WA, & Offsite

April 2014 - Dec. 2015

Short-term contract via Creative Circle

Job Description:

 Technical illustrations for future-forward devices and applications based on newly patented technologies.

Major achievements:

· Created over 20 patent illustrations for major stakeholders' presentations within a narrow timeframe

UX Designer

Microsoft Xbox | Redmond, WA

May 2014 – April 2015

Contract via Comforce

Job Description:

- Designed new features and tools for Xbox.com Social and Support pages within Xbox design quidelines to create a seamless user experience
- · Created redlines and UI mockups to help developers build and deploy revised web pages and features · Updated design style guide to ensure a cohesive look and feel across Xbox.com mobile, tablet, and

PC platforms

Major achievements:

Successful and on-target redesign of Xbox.com Social and Support page features and UI, from conception to full implementation.

Work Experience before May 2014 available upon request

EDUCATION RUTGERS UNIVERSITY | New Brunswick, NJ

Bachelor of Arts

LANGUAGES English: Native speaker

German: Fluent reading, spoken, and written

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