Andrei Vidaicu

As an experienced UX designer, I help solve complex business challenges through innovative solutions that deliver customer value using agile methodologies.

Work Experience

NSW DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMER SERVICE Senior UX/UI Specialist - Digital NSW

Feb 2023 - Jan 2025 Sydney, NSW

Digital NSW website

- Led the redesign of the Digital NSW website homepage using a data-driven approach to increase user engagement while ensuring a balanced representation across all Digital NSW branches.
- Translate user requirements, business objectives, and technically feasibility into high-quality design deliverables - including the NSW State Digital Strategy, NSW Automation Guide and Artificial Intelligence (AI) policy.
- Reduced team workload by mentoring other designers within the branch and implementing a Figma template workflow that enabled them to create Digital NSW website pages.

NSW Digital Design System

- Led UX/UI and manage an enterprise Figma UI Kit for 100+ product teams, creating standardised components including writing documentation.
- Increased monthly active users on the NSW Digital Community platform through data-driven engagement strategies.
- Conducted regular customer website audits identifying and implementing improvements.
- Actively contributed to implementing WCAG 2.2 AA guidelines and staying current with accessibility standards and best practices to ensure digital inclusivity across all design system components.
- Improved the navigation system on smaller devices.

STUDY GROUP

Aug 2011 - Jan 2023 Sydney, NSW

Lead UX/UI Designer / Front-end software engineer

 Led UX/UI initiatives for complex Salesforce integrated systems, including an agent portal, course finder, and completely rebuilt payment system. These improvements resulted in increased application form submissions and reduced support requests.

- Contributed to a UI Component library, standardising design elements and reducing design inconsistencies.
- Educated non-digital designers on UX principles.

EXPRESS MEDIA GROUP

July 2009 - June 2011 Sydney, NSW

Website designer/ developer

- Drupal CMS theming, design, and development.
- Provided CMS maintenance and support for a diverse portfolio of over 20 websites across various industries.
- Designed and coded EDM templates.

VARIOUS

2004 - 2009

Print designer, Pre-press operator

Sydney, NSW & London, UK

• Large format print design, stationary design, editorial design, branding, photo retouching and restoration.

Education

HORNSBY TAFE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

2000 - 2003 Sydney, NSW

Advanced Diploma of Graphic Design (Visual **Communications**)

Skills

 UX/UI design, interaction design, UX research, system thinking, design systems, content design, design strategy, usability testing, visual design principles, illustration, communication, accessibility, front-end development, Wordpress, Drupal, Sitecore.

Tools

• Figma / Figjam / Miro / Adobe Illustrator / Adobe Photoshop / JIRA / Trello / Notion / HTML / CSS / Javascript / jQuery / Angular / Github / VS Code / BrowserStack / JAWS (screen reader)