

VERA HUANG

User Interface Designer

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SKILLS

Mobile/Web design
HTML/CSS
Javascript
Microinteraction
Prototyping
Wireframing
User interview
Data analysis
Usability test
User Research
Publications

TOOLS

Sketch
InVision
Proto.io
Principle
Framer X
Zeplin
Dreamweaver
Photoshop
Illustrator
Lightroom
Keynote
SAS

LANGUAGES

English
Mandarin
Taiwanese
Cantonese

HONORS

Winner of poster competition
in diet and cancer research
2014

Kathryn VanAken Burns
Memorial Fund Merit Award
2014

Dean's List — National
Kaohsiung Normal University
2007

EDUCATION

Designation Sep 2018 – Mar 2019
Bootcamp for UI/UX Design

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Sep 2012 – Sep 2014
Masters of Science in Food Science and Human Nutrition

National Kaohsiung Normal University Sep 2007 – Jun 2011
Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology

EXPERIENCES

Chinese Christian Union Church

Designer and Communications Coordinator Jan 2018 – Present
I maintain the church website, designing promotional materials, managing social media platforms, and currently working on website redesign.

Designation

UI Designer Sep 2018 – Mar 2019

During the 6-month immersive program at Designation, I researched, synthesized and designed four user-centered interfaces for both Android and iOS devices, and three responsive product marketing websites. I worked closely with the UX team, Creative Directors, Design Coaching Fellows, stakeholders as well as the target users throughout the design process. Key projects include:

Neopenda, a biotech startup that aims to provide low-cost medical solutions for patients and medical professionals in Uganda. We conducted desirability and usability tests, and based on the user needs, I designed an Android tablet interface of the vital monitoring wearable of newborns.

Stride 360, a dual functional fitness machine that can be transformed between elliptical and bike. I created the logo and style guide that represent the brand value, as well as the iPhone interface that works as the control of the machine and displays the workout metrics.

Rush University Medical Center

I worked for the Chinese Health, Aging, and Policy Program (CHAPP), where we were dedicated to improving the quality of life of the Chinese population through education, research and community engagements.

Assistant Communications Coordinator Feb 2017 – Jan 2018

I created promotional materials for the program, drafted press releases about new research findings and redesigned the program website. This increased the exposure of the program to research participants and potential funders. I also worked as a liaison for various stakeholders, such as community organizations, research institutes and medical professionals to promote the program, fundraise, and recruit new research participants.

Research Assistant Aug 2016 – Feb 2017

I conducted population studies by collecting both qualitative and quantitative data by interviewing 100+ research participants, performing statistical analyses, generating manuscripts and report and presenting findings to the Primary Investigators and program committees.