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Data-driven systems thinker with 19 years of experience designing adult education experiences. Experienced business learning consultant seeking an agile, bold, creative team to establish the standard for 21st-century professional development.

SUMMARY

- 19 years crafting educational experiences for adult learners: ILT, eLearning, hybrid, infographics
- Evidence-based design supported by current cognitive & behavioral science
- Proven success in managing multiple, diverse project teams
- Practiced in qualitative and quantitative methods of learning and project assessment
- Orchestrated large-scale gamification learning projects
- Systems thinker trained in analysis of information flows through business organizations

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Senior Instructional Designer

11/2019-present

EPAM Continuum

- Create ILT and eLearning modules for international clients such as Google
- Coordinate internal professional development of 15+ colleagues, documenting work and mentoring process
- · Craft storyboards, design media assets, and outline module structures, leveraging current cognitive research

Instructional Designer/Content Developer

10/2017 - 10/2019

IntraEdge, contracted to Facebook

- Consult with internal stakeholders to chart learning goals, methodologies, and metrics
- Research information flows among and within Facebook teams and analyze breakdowns in the systems
- Collaborate with development team to deliver multimedia learning and information management solutions

Senior Technical Writer 10/2016 – 10/2017

The Home Depot

- Wrote all documentation for Home Depot's Infrastructure Services Catalog, the hub for HD IT services
- Designed and illustrated infographics for Project Management Office of Home Depot
- Assisted management and colleagues with presentation design and delivery

Freelance Graphic, Instructional, & Interactive Designer

1/2013 - 12/2018

Decent Being, UnInc.

- Consulted with clients to determine business pain, skills gaps, and knowledge management strategy
- Created online and print materials to engage learners and provide resources on demand
- Advised businesses on curriculum, pedagogy, cognition, and distributed systems

Writer 1/2013 - 12/2018

Academic Partnerships; American Health Information Management Association

- Researched and wrote content to drive traffic and improve SEO
- Published over 120 articles on a range of subjects
- Wrote documents across business and technology genres (proposals, manuals, web copy, grant applications)

Instructor of Technical Communication

9/2001 - 10/2015

University of Texas at Austin; Bellevue College; University of South Alabama

- Coordinated over 100 teams of ~20 to produce persuasive and informative deliverables for nonacademic audiences
- Developed and presented curricula in technical documentation, qualitative research, rhetoric, and gamification
- Established learning objectives, allocated department resources, and calibrated standards

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Rhetoric and Digital Communication, University of Texas at Austin	2016
M.A. in English, Writing; University of South Alabama	2002
B.A. in English, University of South Alabama	2000