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Senior Product Designer

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Professional Summary

Senior Product Designer with 10+ years leading **end-to-end product strategy** for SaaS, e-commerce, and B2B platforms. Proven track record of **driving \$2M+ revenue growth** through user-centric design systems, cross-functional leadership, and data-driven optimizations. Expert in **scaling products** from $0 \rightarrow 1$ and aligning UX with business KPIs.

Core Skills & Expertise

- Product Strategy: UX/UI Design | Design Systems | User Research & Testing | Information Architecture
- Technical Tools: Figma (Advanced) | Sketch | HTML/CSS | React Components | Tailwind | WCAG 2.
- Leadership:
 Agile Methodology | Cross-functional Workshops | Stakeholder Management | Mentoring

Professional Experience

Founder & Principal Designer – SummerDays Studio

April 2024 – Present

- SaaS Platform Optimization: Redesigned core workflows for a B2B analytics tool, increasing conversion by 15% (\$450K annual revenue uplift) and reducing checkout time by 30%.
- **Cross-Functional Leadership**: Led remote workshops with engineering and PM teams to align on a unified design system, **cutting sprint cycles by 20%**.

Product Designer – CapitalBBQ

May 2022 – April 2024 Ottawa/Gatineau's Largest Specialized BBQ & Grill Store

- Checkout Redesign: Simplified a 12-step flow to 6 steps, slashing checkout time by 50% and increasing conversions by 20% (\$1.2M annual revenue).
- **Design System Scaling**: Eliminated 200+ hours of design debt by implementing a component library, **boosting engagement by 25%** and accelerating feature launches by 40%.
- Data-Driven Retention: Conducted A/B tests on 15+ UI components, improving 6-month user retention by 15% (3K+ active users).
- Accessibility Overhaul: Restructured IA for 1,000+ products, achieving WCAG 2.1 compliance and reducing search time by 30%.

Senior Product Designer – ProGroup X

May 2021 – May 2022

Specialized in email marketing and job postings across 20 job aggregators.

- **Design System Implementation**: Developed and deployed a component library, reducing design debt by 40% and improving UI consistency.
- **Agile Process Leadership**: Mentored 3 junior designers and reduced project delivery cycles by 30% through sprint prioritization.
- **Email Toolkit Development**: Created modular email system that reduced design production time by 75% while maintaining brand consistency.

UX/UI Designer – CSL

June 2014 – September 2021 Boutique Web Design Studio for SMBs

- E-commerce Excellence: Created 20+ digital storefronts for SMBs, increasing mobile conversion rates by 35% and average order value by 20%.
- **Design System Adoption**: Introduced reusable UI components, reducing design inconsistencies by 30% and improving brand coherence across platforms.

Leadership and Strategic Impact

Cross-Functional Collaboration

- Developed framework for aligning product, engineering, and marketing teams that reduced feature delivery time by 25%.
- Led 20+ stakeholder workshops that transformed business requirements into user-centered design solutions.
- Mentored 5 individuals in social media and marketing strategy, improving campaign effectiveness and engagement.

Education

- Master of Design University of New South Wales
- Bachelor of Arts, Communication Universidad Iberoamericana

Certifications and Courses:

- Dynargie Soft Skills Facilitator Certification
- Verified Designer Uxcel
- Certified WordPress Expert Codeable
- Product Analytics Certification Pendo
- Design Systems 101 Design System University