## **Ulisses Guimaraes**

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### **Product Visual Design & Digital Art Direction**

Senior visual designer professional with a career that includes experience in product design and digital marketing. Skilled in optimizing user engagement and creating out-of-the-box solutions in first-class web and mobile applications for world-known brands such as NBCUniversal, The Walt Disney Company, FOX Networks, and Samsung.

#### **Experience**

Senior UI - Visual Designer Disney | ABC - DTCI Jul 2018 - Jan 2020 Designed and launched new features, including "Tokens Program", for DisneyNow apps on mobile, web and TV for both iOS and Android. Catering to the evolving needs of both child and adult users, the products' experiences followed user-centered design principles (UCD) and included illustrations, motion graphics & sound. Ran quick prototypes and conducted usability tests. Collaborated closely with product managers, engineers and marketing team to develop and implement design assets.

Updated and maintained design libraries using Sketch and Abstract. Established new and simplified master directories, symbols and components for DisneyNow's design system.

## Art Director, Visual Design FOX NG | TrueX

Jan 2018 - Feb 2018

Designed ShowRunner app and Fox Genius Interactive Game app concepts and prototypes for Samsung pitch. All visual designs incorporated brand and content integration and delivered optimum user experience.

Created all graphics for pitch decks for unique collaboration with Samsung digital product technology.

# Senior UI - Visual Designer ChezMana, Inc.

Jan 2017 - Jul 2018

Established UX design of web and mobile applications for ChezMana's MVP, instituting a user-centered design approach. Drove brand identity and UX vision; created UX workflows, personas and visual language; established visual patterns and developed flexible design system to accommodate future technological demands.

# Art Director, Digital Marketing Creative NBCUniversal

Apr 2004 - Sep 2017

Led Brand and Visual Design team of up to 12 designers dedicated to creating and producing well-crafted branded digital assets for 40+ shows for NBC.com, NBC mobile apps (NBC, SNL, The Voice), OTT devices and social. Established NBC Digital brand with digital marketing campaigns - CRM email newsletters and digital ads - to drive consumer awareness to SNL 40 app, resulting in 1.4 million downloads in the first three months after launch.

#### **Skills**

Wireframes

A/B, Card Sort, User Testing
Affinity Diagramming
Animation/Motion Graphics
Competitive Analysis
Information Architecture (IA)
Interaction Design
Persona Creation
Prototyping
Requirements Definition
UX & UI Design
Usability Protocols
Web Site Analytics

#### **Honorable Mentions**

#### **Emmy Nomination**

Best Fiction Show Website - The Office

Nonprofit Co-Founder/Board President/Director of Operations
Trailmixer - OUT Hiking for Our Community, Inc.

#### **Ovation Awards of Excellence**

The Office, The Jay Leno Show websites

#### **Education**

**Academy of Art University**Bachelor of Arts, Interactive Digital Media

#### Software

Abstract Adobe Photoshop

Adobe InDesign
Adobe Illustrator

Adobe Acrobat

Adobe Actobat

Atlassian Confluence

Atlassian JIra

Keynote

Microsoft Word

Microsoft PowerPoint

Microsoft Excel Sketch

Zeplin