Megan Hamilton Product Designer + Strategist

About

I'm an engineer-turned-designer using my analytical and creative skills to serve others. By making sense out of chaos and complexity with human-centered design practices, I help people live better financial lives.

Experience

Design Lead | Capital One | Aug 2019 - present

- Leading the customer experience strategy for a program historically grounded in credit policy and business analysis, impacting millions of customers.
- Grounded the credit limit increase program in new qualitative research, and socialized a CX vision along with a near-term testing plan.

Design Strategist & Researcher | Capital One | Aug 2017 - Jul 2019

- Led a new ecosystem design initiative to transform how marketers reach our customers, in service of driving unparalleled experiences and helping customers get the most from their relationship with Capital One.
- Successfully advocated for human-centered design methods and processes within a cross-functional, horizontal team, that is responsible for introducing millions of new customers every year to their credit cards.
- Worked closely with product, business and marketing partners to develop research plans, conduct and execute research activities, and led insight synthesis and communication to drive forward design and product decision-making.

UX Designer | Capital One | Jul 2016 - Jul 2017

- Converted foundational design strategy, evolving product requirements and tech constraints into elegant digital mockups and prototypes for two new products in the credit space.
- Proactively collaborated with product, legal, tech and brand partners to drive forward design work for an MVP release.
- Delivered quality design work within critical timelines, and helped launch a redesigned application experience equating to millions of dollars in increased value for the company.

Education

M.S. Human - Computer Interaction (HCI), Georgia Institute of Technology | May 2016 GPA 4.0

B.S. Materials Science & Engineering, University of Florida | Dec 2013 GPA 3.9 | Minor in Spanish, Linguistics focus

Portfolio

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Core Skills

Design Thinking + Service Design Stakeholder mapping Journey mapping Service Blueprinting Workshop Facilitation Synthesis Problem Framing Ideation

Research + Analysis Observation Interviewing Survey Design Usability Testing Card Sorts Focus Groups Remote testing Heuristic Evaluation Affinity Mapping

Interface Design Wireframing Prototyping Mockups

Tools Sketch Mural Figma Invision

Languages Spanish (fluent) Portuguese (conversational)