Olivia Soule Nelson

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education

Northeastern University, Boston, MA BFA Degree in Graphic & Information Design May 2020 Dean's List 2016 – 2020 Bishop Highest GPA Award 2020

Foundation for International Education, London, England Study Abroad, Fall 2015

skills & software

Adobe Creative Cloud Agile Process Sketch Figma InVision UserTesting.com Studio Photography DSLR cameras Microsoft Office MailChimp

leadership

Principal Designer, Sexual Violence Prevention Association

interests

Guessing dog breeds Reading fantasy books Women, Gender & Sexuality Studies Cooking New York Times recipes Watching the latest TV shows and movies Obsessively listening to podcasts

experience

Freelance Designer, Olivia S. Nelson Design July 2020 – Present | Boston, MA

Work with 7+ clients and small businesses to create brand identities, print assets, and marketing websites with e-commerce platforms; increased website engagement and media recognition. Present proposals and weekly designs to clients for websites, logos, brand identity, and business cards.

Junior UX/UI Designer, Tripadvisor July – August 2019 | Needham, MA

Supported team of 7 UX/UI designers for Tripadvisor's Flights, Cars, and Cruises pages. Improved UX/ UI on 6+ outdated pages, created internal marketing materials, conducted user research, and UX/UI testing through usertesting.com to refine customers' experiences. Presented weekly to team members and clients regarding upcoming projects.

Graphic Design Co-op, Ronik Design July – December 2018 | Brooklyn, NY

Collaborated closely with creative directors, designers, and developers. Designed UX/UI, marketing materials, social media content, email campaigns, storyboards, and animated marketing assets. Designed Interface for JKF Terminal 4 Kiosk; resulted in improved travelers' navigation and promoted special events or sales in terminal. Conducted customer and user research on competing companies to refine UX for new retail website. Select clients included WeWork and Reuters.

Project Lead, Scout Student-Led Studio January – April 2018 | Boston, MA

Managed team of 2 designers and 1 developer to create branding, packaging, web design, and develop UX/UI designs. Coordinated design, development sprints, and brand identity exploration activities. Facilitated weekly internal meetings, client meetings, and client communication through meeting recaps and agendas.

Graphic Design Co-op, New England Conservatory July – December 2017 | Boston, MA

Implemented rebrand and developed comprehensive system for future usage of brand throughout the institution. Redesigned 20+ internal print communication materials ensuring cohesive brand identity. Created print materials, website assets, and social media graphics to promote New England Conservatory's hundreds of events and concerts.