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Pekanbaru, Riau, Indonesia

Human-centered technologist with a master's in design Innovation Management and a bachelor's in information technology (Honors). Specializing in UI/UX design and business development, I combine technical expertise with creativity to deliver user-centric solutions. Passionate about strategy games and storytelling, I excel in analytical thinking and driving impactful results for innovative organizations.

EDUCATION

ASIA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

Master of Arts in Design Innovation Management

GPA: 3.93

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

February 2024 – February 2025

ASIA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Information Technology

GPA: 3.54

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

September 2020 – September 2023

SMAN 4 PEKANBARU (Highschool)

Science

Pekanbaru, Riau, Indonesia

April 2017 – March 2020

EXPERIENCE

Freelance - Hybrid

User Interface and User Experience Designer

- Created clean, intuitive interfaces for web and mobile applications
- Transformed complex issues into user-friendly design solutions
- Developed user-centered designs using wireframes, prototypes, and mockups
- Collaborated with teams to align designs with user needs and business goals

Pekanbaru, Riau, Indonesia

September 2023 – Present

Asia-Pacific Institute for Broadcasting Development

Research Delegate

- Participated in a global media and content creation summit, engaging in panel discussions about emerging technologies and storytelling. Networked with industry experts and gained insights into innovation and growth in the media sector while representing Asia Pacific University

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

October 2024 – September 2024

UNESCO Chair Apprenticeship and Rapporteur Program

Rapporteur and Research Delegate

- Documented and synthesized key insights, discussions, and outcomes from stakeholder dialogues on education, sustainability, and innovation
- Engaged with diverse experts and leaders to understand regional challenges and collaborative solutions
- Strengthened skills in critical thinking, communication, and real-time analysis
- Contributed to initiatives aligned with global sustainability goals

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

April 2024 – May 2024

PT. Bank Riau Kepri Syariah (Internship)

Tech Consultant and Project Manager

- Automated user input processes by developing Excel macros with Python
- Built an E-learning website with HTML, JavaScript, and CSS
- Designed client and executive meeting diagrams using Canva and Figma

Pekanbaru, Riau, Indonesia

Aug 2022 – Nov 2022

PROJECTS

LOX TCG Market (Website Design)

South Bridge, Singapore

- In response to the rise of Singapore's Trading Card Game (TCG) players, a website was developed to cater to the TCG market's needs. It allows enthusiasts to connect and engage with various TCG content and resources. This initiative reflects the popularity of TCGs in the region and the demand for a centralized platform for the growing player base.

January 2025 – April 2025

Clear Impact Framework (Thesis)

Kuala Lumpur Malaysia

- A seven-phase model to guide companies in adopting transparent, innovative, and sustainable practices. Findings emphasize technology's role in building consumer trust and supporting Malaysia's sustainability goals.

November 2024 – February 2025

Replate (National Competition – Bronze Awardee – Kancil Awards 2024)

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

- A mobile application that empowers individuals and businesses to reduce food waste and promote sustainable living. By connecting people with surplus food, RePlate fosters a community-driven approach to food consumption.

October 2024 – November 2024

Interactive Whiteboard Module for E-Learning Platforms (Final Year Project)

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

- A final year project that helps students and educators to learn more intuitively within an online platform that specializes in an Interactive Whiteboard Module.

May 2023 – August 2023

GCG (Online Gift Card Store)

Kuala Lumpur Malaysia

- A project of developing a gift card store that accommodates customers on gift cards for purchasing and gifting.

May 2023 – August 2023

Annual Audit Report and Insider Analysis

Pekanbaru, Riau, Indonesia

- Designed and developed an annual report and analyzed numerous aspects of Bank Riau Kepri Syariah throughout the year 2022.

August 2022 – November 2022

TECHNICAL SKILL SET

Figma

User Interface and User Experience design, mobile application mock-ups, and primarily web design.

Microsoft Office Suite

Advanced research level MS Word capability, Expert PowerPoint slide and template designer, and advanced Excel macro development for efficiency tuning.

Adobe Creative Suite

Capable of editing videos in Adobe Premiere Pro, photos in Adobe Photoshop, and concept illustrations in Adobe Illustrator.

Visual Studio Code (Python, C, Front-end Web Stack)

Capable of developing simple yet functional programs with Python and C programming languages, excel mainly in Front-end development within the web stack with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. .NET Framework based.

Canva

Designed a multitude of slides for meetings and project presentations, mainly in template development and design.

SOFT SKILL SET

Leadership

Led many successful projects and coursework in the past 4 years, mainly in research projects and practical design principles

Communication and Public Speaking

Connected with many people at events such as competitions, stakeholder summits, and research delegate gatherings

Problem-Solving

Capable of solving complex problems within the context of design, user experience, and business management

Adaptability

Capable of adapting seamlessly when given tasks that are new or within changing circumstances

Collaboration

Capable of collaborating with diverse teams across different countries and institutions

Analytical Thinking

Could process information and provide insights and comments tailored to address the issues

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

- Indonesian - **Native language**
- English - **Fluent**
- Malay - **Fluent**
- Korean - **Read and write**