## SAKSHI LUNAWAT

User Experience Designer • (Open to relocating)

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#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **User Experience Designer**

Remote

Bot VFX

09/2024 - Present

 Leading end-to-end product design efforts in the expansion of S2, their in house productivity management tool reducing turnaround by ~60% and manual effort by ~20%.

# **Lead Project Manager (Visual & Creative Art Director)**BMW

Savannah, GA

03/2023 - 06/2023

• Led collaborative BMW SCADPro's entry into the virtual goods market, focusing on NFTs and achieving a 15% competitive advantage by aligning product offerings with Gen Z target audience preferences and business goals.

## **User Experience Designer**

Pune, India

Talentica

01/2022 - 09/2022

- Facilitated the redesign of HDFC Credila, India's first dedicated loan company with a customer base of over 4.9 million, focusing on the loan onboarding application process.
- Created and defined user journeys, wireframes, prototypes, interactions and design systems for customer-facing for HDFC Credila resulting in a 35% reduction in task completion time.

## **User Experience Designer**

Pune, India

YUJ Designs

07/2020 - 12/2021

- Designed dashboards for Honeywell Oil & Gas, boosting operational efficiency by 80% through real-time monitoring, predictive analytics and streamlined workflows.
- Collaborated with cross-functional partners like engineering, PM and design systems to ship multiple models.
- Led the redesign of the YUJ intranet, introducing multiple workflows for performance assessment and strategic decision resulting in 40% enhanced operational efficiency.

#### **User Experience Design Intern**

Thane, India

Lemon Yellow

12/2019 - 04/2020

- Led the design and development of the vehicle dealership application for Mahindra Finance, including research, prototyping, interaction flows and final delivery.
- Implemented a user interface redesign for the SonyLiv platform, focusing on improving user engagement metrics such as average watch time and page views by 50% on smartphones, tablets, and smart TVs.

#### **System Design Intern**

Pune, India

Nodes

06/2019 - 07/2019

• Led user research for a design thinking initiative at Pune University, identifying a need for design thinking principles among engineering students. This led to the development of new design thinking courses, impacting the curriculum.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)

MA in Interactive Design (3.9 GPA)

Savannah, GA 03/2022 - 03/2024

**MIT Institute Of Design** 

Pune, India

B.Des in User Experience Design

2016 - 2020

## **SKILLS**

Design Strategy, Interaction Design, Product Design, Rapid Prototyping, Systems Thinking, UI/UX, UX Research, Front-end visual design, WCAG, Design tools, Agile, UX Research, Storytelling, Design Thinking, Figma, Adobe XD, Adobe Creative Suite, HTML