

Valerie Inmon Anderson

UX Designer

Summary

Valerie Inmon Anderson

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UX Designer with a background in biotech quality systems, skilled in user research, usability testing, & translating complex workflows into intuitive, user-friendly digital & procedural experiences. Experienced in wireframing, prototyping, & documentation design. Adept at collaborating cross-functionally & mentoring team members. Currently completing an M.P.S. in UX Design.

Skills

UX Design • Wireframes & Prototypes • Usability Testing • User Research • Competitive Benchmarking • Design Systems • Information Architecture • Storyboarding • Agile/Scrum • Figma • Miro • Adobe Creative Suite • Jira • Confluence

Experience

Pneuma Games / Product Designer (Project)

May 2024 - Present, Austin, Texas

- Conducted usability testing with users to reduce dropout rates with users new to video games
- Designed UI for a game interface, creating wireframes, prototypes, & design system components in Figma
- Conducted user research & usability testing to validate features & refine designs
- Collaborated with developers to align technical feasibility with user-centered design

Natera / Quality Control Associate

April 2021 - May 2024, Austin, Texas

- Redesigned procedures into user-friendly visual workflows, improving clarity & reducing errors
- Conducted usability feedback sessions with operators & iterated processes to improve efficiency
- Trained & mentored staff, onboarding team members to standardized workflows
- Partnered with R&D, QA, & DevOps to translate technical requirements into accessible documentation

Thermo Fisher Scientific / Senior QA Technician

August 2020 - April 2021, Austin, Texas

- Documented & standardized manufacturing processes, incorporating visuals to improve usability

- Conducted CAPA investigations & root cause analysis, presenting findings to cross-functional stakeholders
- Trained technicians on complex SOPs, acting as a subject matter expert & mentor

Rules-Based Medicine (Q² Solutions) / Laboratory Intern

March 2019 - September 2019, Austin, Texas

- Assisted in assay development & automated dispensing, contributing to workflow improvements
- Supported audit readiness with clear documentation & process validation
- Designed an electronic system for inventory management through research

Education

Maryland Institute College of Art / MPS UX Design

Texas State University /B.S. Biochemistry & B.S.A. Animal Science

Certification

University of Texas at Austin / UX Design