# Niels Dikken

# **UX DESIGNER**

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## **SKILLS**

#### Design

Sketch, Figma, Adobe XD, Balsamiq, InVision, Principle, Photoshop, InDesign, User-Centered Design, Lightroom, Design Thinking, Prototyping, Wireframing

#### **User Research**

Usability Analysis, User Research, Qualitative & Quantitative Analysis

#### **Web Development**

HTML, CSS, JavaScript

#### Languages

Dutch (native), English (C2), German (B2), French (A2)

# **EXTRACURRICULAR**

# Winner of Digital Retail track

Junction hackathon, Helsinki

Bringing mispurchases to an end by predicting the return behavior of customers from website interaction.

#### **Business Course**

Trinity College, Dublin

2019

Business course of 1 week, Planning Your new Venture, focused on creating a startup.

#### **Business Summer School**

TalTech University, Tallinn

2019

EIT Business course of 2 weeks focused on creating a startup that solves a problem in the field of urban mobility.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **UX** Designer

#### Athom, Enschede, the Netherlands

SEP 2020 - APR 2021

Assisted with the thought process and creation of new designs for both the mobile application and web app. Created various designs, both Lo-Fi & Hi-Fi prototypes combined with micro-interactions in Principle.

#### **UX/UI** Designer internship

#### The Mobile Life, Stockholm, Sweden

FEB 2020 - JUN 2020

Performing research for my Master Thesis Project and creating both Lo-Fi & Hi-Fi prototypes for a Hotel chain application as part of the internship.

#### Web Development Intership

# Monty Global Payments, Madrid, Spain

FEB 2019 - APR 2019

Assisted with the development and design of both websites and applications. Mainly worked with a platform called ionic, to develop hybrid applications using HTML, CSS, TypeScript, and Angular.

## **EDUCATION**

#### Msc. Human Computer Interaction & Design

#### **EIT Digital Master School**

SEP 2018 - JUL 2020

Double Master degree in HCID combined with a business minor.

- Kungliga Tekniska Högskolan (KTH), Stockholm
   2nd year of EIT HCID Master, specialization: Physical Interaction
- Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (UPM), Madrid
   1st year of EIT HCID Master, specialization: Accessibility
- EIT Business Minor, Innovation & Entrepreneurship
   Divided over both years at both universities: Study, plan and present market research, patents, value chain innovation, business models, marketing strategies, and financial resources.

## **Bsc. Exchange Semester**

# Universitet i Stavanger (UiS)

AUG 2017 - JAN 2018

Business Minor in Stavanger, Norway, focused on Marketing, Business Ethics, and Environmental Politics.

#### **Bsc. Creative Technology**

## University of Twente

SEP 2015 - JUL 2018

Bachelor of Science focused on Computer Science, Human Computer Interaction, and Electrical Engineering.