# **IPEK BAHAR UYAN** UX/UI DESIGNER

Highly accomplished designer with over 10 years of experience in the fashion industry, demonstrating exceptional team working abilities and a talent for problem-solving. Known for my keen eye for detail, I have a good command of fashion e-com products as I have been using hundreds of them for many years due to my profession. Passionate about leveraging my skills in graphic design, I am now venturing into the realm of UX/UI design to expand my expertise and contribute to innovative solutions. With a proven track record of collaborating effectively in fast-paced environments, I am adept at tackling challenges head-on and delivering results. My relentless pursuit of perfection and eagerness to learn make me a valuable asset to any team.

# EXPERIENCES

# Freelance Designer 04/2022 - Present

- UX/UI Projects Re:Coded Study Realm, Remote Learning Platform EducareMe, Online Charity Platform Empowering the Youth
- Working for a graphic design company in Ireland for Inditex Group's apparel design
- Designing kidswear/ girl graphics and licensed graphic designs, to deliver with technical detailed artwork files

# Mavi 05/2015 to 09/2021

# Womenswear Jersey and Graphic Designer

- Designed womenswear jersey collections and graphic styles, consistently achieving top positions on "best seller" lists
- Achieved exponential growth in both collection and sales volume by providing licensed product design
- Responsible for the management and briefing of freelance graphic designers
- Responsible for the impactful 30th-anniversary collection, showcasing a deep understanding of the brand's DNA, resulting in significant sector impact upon release
- Developed the first sustainable collection with organic and recycled materials such as yarns, accessories and print techniques with an innovative apporach

# Womenswear Jersey and Graphic Design Assistant

- Seasonal trend research followed by supplier visits
- Researching new print techniques suitable for brand aesthetics
- Working on artwork files, get them ready for the best production
- Creating color palettes and following up on lab dips
- Sketching, preparing detailed techpacks under tight deadlines in accordance with the design calendar and line-plan
- Guiding fit meetings and following up samples
- Archiving samples and prototypes, keeping them organized
- Preparing a slide show of images introducing the general mood of the seasonal collections

# Serdar Uzuntas 12/2013 to 04/2014

# High Designer Assistant/ Menswear

- Scheduling fits and meetings for the designer
- Hands-on research for innovative materials for collections
  Assisting backstage for faction shows
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#### Mavi 08/2012 to 09/2013 Design Intern

- Computer sketching ideas and details
- Keeping the sample archive organized
- Preparing presentation boards



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# QUALIFICATIONS

# **Graphic Design Skills**

Excellent knowledge of Design Principles, Colour Theory and Typography

# **Computer Skills**

Proficient in design tools such as Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Marvelous Designer, Figma

#### Language Skills

Turkish	•••••
English	$\bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \bigcirc$
Dutch	●0000

# EDUCATIONS

# Re:Coded 04/2023-08/2023

- UX/UI Design Bootcamp
- Proficient in user-centered design principles and methodologies
- Extensive practice in wireframing, prototyping, and mockup creation
- Experience with usability testing and user research techniques
- Understanding of information architecture and interaction design
- Developed responsive and user-friendly interfaces
- Designed intuitive user flows and conducted heuristic evaluations for enhancing user experiences

# Isik University 2010-2014

*Faculty of Fine Arts/ Fashion And Textile Design Bachelor's Degree* • 100% Gifted Talented Scholarship • GPA: 3,82/4

# **DESIGN CONTESTS**

# Arcelik

Uniform Design Contest 2016 - Finalist

# Istanbul Carpet Exporters' Association

8th Annual Carpet Design Contest 2014 - Finalist

# Southeast Anatolian Exporters' Association

5th Annual Carpet Pattern Design Contest 2014 - Finalist

# **Uludag Textile Exporters' Association**

4th Annual Home Textile Design Contest 2013 - *1st Place* "Accepted to a two-year design masters degree in ISTITUTO MARANGONI and NUOVA ACCADEMIA DI BELLE ARTI"

# Istanbul Carpet Exporters' Association

7th Annual Carpet Design Contest 2013 - Finalist

# Southeast Anatolian Exporters' Association

4th Annual Carpet Pattern Design Contest 2013 - Finalist

# **REFERENCES** - Available upon request

Nilay Ozdil C&A- Mens Legwear Designer Guney Ekrem Oktar MAVI- Chief Design Officer

