

Akshay Kadambatt

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Experience

Manager, *Hangry Vegan, Waterloo, ON*

Jan 2023 - Current

Part-time role (helping with web (React, Figma), design and marketing needs for the business).

Volunteer, *Software For Love, Waterloo, ON*

Jan 2023 - Jul 2023

- Volunteered in the IDRF Relief Fund team (Palestine Urgent Appeal).
- Developed user-friendly and accessible website layouts using WordPress, improving the site's navigation and user engagement.
- Collaborated with developers to implement designs, ensuring consistency and usability across devices.

Full Stack Web Designer, *Ecesis, IN (Secondment)*

Jun 2022 - Dec 2022

- Provided software solutions to India's largest adventure trekking company.
- Advised development strategies, technology stack, UI/UX for e-commerce, subscription-based services, payment, and customer acquisition. This included development strategy for implementing fixes to existing codebase.
- Designed and implemented UI components for e-commerce and subscription services, focusing on creating an intuitive and visually appealing modern user experience.
- Collaborated with the development team to implement designs using Laravel and Next.js, ensuring responsiveness and accessibility.
- Tools: Figma, Adobe Creative Suite, Laravel, Next.js.

Web Developer, *Spawoz, IN*

Aug 2020 - Jun 2022

- Designed and developed a time-tracking tool with a focus on a user-friendly interface, which was later expanded into a full project management platform.
- Created and maintained UI designs for software solutions in industries such as e-commerce and healthcare, ensuring alignment with brand guidelines and user needs.
- Tools: Figma, Adobe XD, Electron, Node.js.

Education

Bachelors of Computer Science and Engineering, Kalam Technical University, India

2016-2020

- Scholarship of \$3100 (80%), awarded to applicants with high Higher Secondary GPA.
- Final year project: DeepSORT + YOLO security surveillance application with Python. Analyses realtime threats in a video feed locally with low computing requirements and broadcasts it to subscribed devices.

Computer Applications Development, Virtualization and Cloud Computing, Post-Secondary Ontario Certification

2023-2024

Skills

- **Design Tools:** Figma, Adobe Creative Cloud (XD, Illustrator, Photoshop, Premiere Pro).
- **Front-End Technologies:** HTML5, CSS3 (SASS, JSS, Tailwind CSS), JavaScript/TypeScript (React, Next.js), WordPress
- **Development & Deployment:** GitHub, CI/CD, AWS, Google Cloud Platform, Docker
- **Design Skills:** Wireframing, Prototyping, User Research, Usability Testing, Accessibility, Responsive Design, Interaction Design
- **Soft Skills:** Strong visual design sense, detail-oriented, excellent communication, ability to work collaboratively in a team environment, problem-solving mindset.

Works, Volunteering, Leadership

- Portfolio: akshaykadambatt.ca
- Blog: For learning and educating others: akshaykn.vercel.app/blog
- POC Prototype for File System Access API (Chrome web experiments): [akshayknz/Media-Organiser \(github.com\)](https://github.com/akshayknz/Media-Organiser)
- 1st prize (MasterCraft Ontario) runner up: [akshayknz/hobbies \(github.com\)](https://github.com/akshayknz/hobbies)
- Chrome extension for notes and documents: [akshayknz/ktab \(github.com\)](https://github.com/akshayknz/ktab)
- Google Student Developer Club volunteer
- Created people management, appointment platform for University technology fest (2020).