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Ref. No. : EEA/TTD-UIUX/IT/2024

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IT Professional Corporate Training Curriculum for IT/Non-IT Participants

# Name of the Corporate Training : UI/UX Design

Course Duration: 80 Hours

Course Code: TTD-UIUX

**Target Audience:** Students, corporate trainees, or professionals interested in designing engaging and effective user interfaces.

**Prerequisites:** A basic understanding of design principles and any graphic design software is beneficial(Optional).

# **Course Outline**

Module 1: Introduction to UI/UX Design Fundamentals

- Topics Covered:
  - o Overview of UI and UX design
  - Differences between UI, UX, and graphic design
  - o Design thinking process and user-centered design principles
  - Key tools for UI/UX design: Figma, Adobe XD, Sketch
- Milestone 1 Project:
  - Analyze and present a case study of an existing app, focusing on user experience and interface design.

# Module 2: Understanding Users and User Research

### • Topics Covered:

- Conducting user research (interviews, surveys, and observational studies)
- Creating user personas and empathy maps
- o Analyzing user journeys and identifying pain points
- o Competitive analysis for market insights

#### • Milestone 2 Project:

• Create user personas and map a user journey for a hypothetical app.

#### Module 3: Wireframing and Prototyping

- Topics Covered:
  - Introduction to wireframes and their importance
  - Low-fidelity vs. high-fidelity wireframes
  - Creating wireframes in Figma or Adobe XD
  - Prototyping basics and creating interactive wireframes
- Milestone 3 Project:
  - Design low-fidelity wireframes for a simple app, like a to-do list or news reader.

#### Module 4: Visual Design Principles and UI Components

- Topics Covered:
  - Core visual design principles: alignment, contrast, proximity, and hierarchy
  - Colour theory, typography, and iconography
  - Understanding and designing UI components (buttons, forms, cards)
  - Designing for accessibility and inclusivity
- Milestone 4 Project:
  - Design a UI component library with basic elements like buttons, input fields, and cards.

#### **Module 5: Creating Layouts and Grids**

- Topics Covered:
  - Designing layouts with grids and spacing principles
  - o Designing responsive layouts for different screen sizes (mobile-first design)
  - o Creating consistency across screens with design systems
  - Tools for layout and grid design in Figma/Adobe XD
- Milestone 5 Project:
  - Design responsive layouts for a multi-page mobile app, ensuring consistency across screens.

#### Module 6: Interactive Prototyping and Micro-Interactions

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- Topics Covered:
  - Creating clickable prototypes and defining user flows
  - Introduction to micro-interactions and their importance in UI
  - Designing animations and transitions (hover effects, button clicks)
  - Prototyping tools: Figma, Adobe XD, and InVision
- Milestone 6 Project:

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• Create a mid-fidelity prototype with basic interactions for an e-commerce product page.

#### Module 7: Usability Testing and Iteration

- Topics Covered:
  - Conducting usability testing (A/B testing, card sorting, and user interviews)
  - Analyzing test results and identifying areas for improvement
  - Iterating on designs based on feedback
  - Recording and presenting findings in an organized way
- Milestone 7 Project:
  - Conduct usability testing on a prototype, gather feedback, and refine the design based on results.

#### **Module 8: Design Systems and Consistency**

- Topics Covered:
  - Introduction to design systems and style guides
  - Building a design system with reusable components
  - Creating a style guide that includes colour palettes, typography, and spacing rules
  - Understanding atomic design and component-based design
- Milestone 8 Project:
  - Develop a mini-design system with reusable components for a brand.

# Module 9: UI/UX for Mobile Apps and Web Applications

- Topics Covered:
  - o Differences between mobile and web UX design
  - Mobile-first design principles and touch targets
  - Web design considerations (desktop navigation, screen ratios)
  - o Cross-platform consistency and adaptability
- Milestone 9 Project:
  - Design a fully responsive homepage for a service or product, optimized for mobile and desktop.

# Module 10: Portfolio and Final Project Presentation

- Topics Covered:
  - o Building a design portfolio and documenting projects
  - Final project development and refinement
  - Presentation skills and storytelling in design
  - Tips for preparing for UI/UX job interviews

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- Final Project:
  - Create a full-fledged mobile or web application design, from wireframing to high-fidelity prototypes, incorporating all the principles learned. Present the project as a case study.

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# Assessment and Evaluation

- Milestone Projects: 60% of final grade
- Final Project: 30% of final grade
- Participation and Attendance: 10% of final grade

#### Resources

- Recommended Books:
  - o "Don't Make Me Think" by Steve Krug
  - "The Design of Everyday Things" by Don Norman
- Online Platforms:
  - o <u>UX Design Institute</u>
  - o <u>Coursera Interaction Design Specialization</u>

# **Course Delivery**

- Method: Blended learning (theory and practical)
- Format: Lectures, hands-on design sessions, and project work