Abhay Syal

Portfolio summary | **LinkedIn**

Senior Product Designer with 7 years of experience, specialising in crafting solutions and leading teams for complex SaaS products. Passionate about intuitive fintech and enterprise solutions. MSc in HCI

Work experience

02.2023 - present
Berlin / Remote

Senior UX/UI Designer, LIQID Investments

Led a 3-4 person design team in a high-scale startup, driving digital onboarding, dashboards, and websites for institutional investors. Built design systems from scratch, streamlined product launches, and organised sprints. Launched a private equity platform with an 88% completion rate, facilitating $50M in signings. Improved dashboards and mentored the team.

07.2022 - 01.2023
Konstanz / Remote

Product Designer, Exporto

Solo designer who contributed to improving experience for cross-border logistics web platform used by e-commerce shops, retail clients, and internal teams. Conducted user research and contextual inquiries, delivering high-fidelity wireframes and designs.

08.2019 - 05.2022
Weimar

UX/UI Designer, Bundesministerium für Bildung und Forschung

Designed and enhanced UX concepts for a scalable OER infrastructure on Germany's education platform. Conducted workshops with educators and institutions to refine these concepts, which were showcased at the Open Education Resource Conference 2021.

02.2017 - 02.2019
Hyderabad, India

UX Designer, *Kony (now Temenos)*

Delivered high-fidelity wireframes and designs, conducted accessibility and usability audits, and created end-to-end user experiences for SaaS applications in banking and credit unions, as well as for enterprise and energy projects.

Education

2019 - 2022

Masters in Human-Computer Interaction
Bauhaus Universität, Weimar, 2.1 GPA

2013 - 2017

Bachelors in Computer Science Engineering
Chandigarh University, India, 2.2 GPA

Contributions

George UX Conf, Vienna, 2024
Designing for Investments: Building Trust and Embracing Innovation
Watch talk

MuC '21: Mensch und Computer 2021
Carpet Tiles: Interactive and Modular Carpets to support International Students in Shared Dorms to Feel at Home
Read publication

Skills

Full stack designer

Led the end to end process from concept to review in fast-paced environments, ensuring seamless deliveries.

Mentor designers

Developed and supported the design team, fostering growth and a collaborative learning culture.

Cross functional collaboration

Proficient in communication, collaboration, sprint organisation, and documentation to align design, development, and product management.

Attention to detail , Organised & creative problem-solving

Tools

Figma, JIRA, Slack, Notion (mainly). Others include Sketch, Axure RP, Adobe XD, Maze etc

Other

Nationality: Indian
DOB: 02.12.1995
English: C1
German: A2