

# JONATHAN MONTALVO

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## SKILLS

### Tools

Figma  
After Effects  
Adobe XD  
Miro  
Axure

### UX Methods

Wireframing  
User Flows  
Information Architecture (IA)  
Task Analysis  
Journey Mapping  
Card Sorting  
User Stories  
JTBD  
Heuristics

### UI Design

Interface Design  
Interaction Design  
Advanced Prototyping  
Video Editing & 2D Animation  
Brand Identity Design  
Design Systems

### Languages

React Native  
CSS

## AFFILIATIONS

SoFLUX Lead (UXPA)  
UX Community Organizer

## AWARDS

**CBRE 2018 Ambassador Award**  
Leadership & Innovation

**Adobe Hackathon - 2019**  
1st Place | Reefstar  
[link to project](#) ←

## EDUCATION

**Miami Dade College**  
Associates Degree

**IronHack**  
UX/UI Certification

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### SENIOR UX/UI DESIGNER

Feb 2022 - Present

*Nearpod - Dania Beach, FL*

- + Revamping the product's core experience to align with teachers existing mental models.
- + Working with Growth team to experiment on potential solutions that increase activation rates, renewals, and subscription upgrades.
- + Lead in rebuilding design system library to unify workflow, efficiency and consistency between engineering and design team.
- + Consistently engaging in formative usability studies and other user research practices.
- + Working across multiple product segments (Growth, Internal Product, and Flocabulary) with close collaboration between PM's and engineering.
- + Recent success metrics: 15% increase in activation rates, over 500 new leads in first month for premium subscription, 10% increase in created lessons.

### LEAD UX/UI INSTRUCTOR

OCT 2021 - Present

*Ironhack Bootcamp - Miami, FL*

- + Preparing the future of UXers with the fundamentals of design thinking methodologies, strategy, design systems, digital interfaces, and visual design.

### SENIOR UX/UI DESIGNER

May 2021 - Feb 2022

*PwC Experience Center - Hallandale, FL*

- + Identifying business and user experience problems and ideating solutions.
- + Mapping out customer journeys, user flows, and site maps in order to blueprint the user experience.
- + Designing high-fidelity prototypes that facilitate user research and business decisions.
- + Lead stakeholder conversations and workshops to align with business goals and defend user needs.
- + Collaborating with developers and engineers to bring product ideas to completion.

### PRODUCT DESIGNER

Oct 2020 - May 2021

*Wrecking Ball - Ft. Lauderdale, FL*

- + Leveraging stakeholder insights and data, collaborating with internal leadership and engineers in order to strategize, design and develop exceptional digital experiences.

### SENIOR USER INTERFACE DESIGNER

July 2020 - Oct 2020

*Citrix - Ft. Lauderdale, FL*

(Contract)

- + Advocating for users and leveraging data to create the new Citrix.com end-user experience.
- + Lead in creating design system library, specs, constraints, and rules for web components and layout structures for the Citrix Brand Hub.
- + Collaborated with design team and developers in designing multiple web property experiences.
- + Ideated and prototyped web pages, interactions and animations.

### SENIOR DESIGNER/MARKETING SPECIALIST

May 2018 - Oct 2020

### LEAD GRAPHIC DESIGNER

November 2016 - May 2018

*CBRE - Florida*

- + Acted as a primary resource for photography, branding, artistic direction, digital publishing, and business development marketing solutions for the Southeast
- + Collaborated with researchers, marketing directors and stakeholders
- + Led design and strategy for pitch material with over \$23M in new business across multiple business lines including Retail, Office and Capital Markets