# Akhil Raveendran

UX Designer creating scalable enterprise solutions.

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I work in enterprise UX, making complex systems intuitive and efficient. With expertise in design systems, UX strategy, and prototyping, I collaborate with cross-functional teams to streamline workflows. Proficient in Figma, I create digital experiences that align user needs with business goals. I thrive in agile environments, working closely with engineering, product, and business stakeholders to deliver accessible, well-crafted solutions.

**Experience** 

# **Senior UX Designer**

Nissan Digital India, Trivandrum.

April 2024 - Present

- Led the UX delivery of a flagship information management tool from PoC to product, reducing turnaround time from 10 days to one hour, and error reduction by over 50%.
- Collaborated with the Data Science team to discover and lead UX delivery for a DX initiative to reduce the Product Planning team's effort from weeks to an hour.
- UX Delivery of GEN AI management platform that enables product and data science teams to monitor LLM usage, optimise expenditures, and forecast budget allocations for new projects
- Plan the delivery schedule and timelines, gather requirements based on stakeholder and user interviews, ideate and generate concepts, wireframes and mockups, followed by user and stakeholder validation and feedback collection.

## **UX Designer II**

Nissan Digital India, Trivandrum.

January 2022 - March 2024

- Delivered 11 features across four releases for 3 different products and 10+ PoCs
- Developed and implemented a platform with the Engineering and Design System teams, enabling automated project status reporting, saving 4 hours per week for the user, and streamlining communication with senior management.
- Textual review and recommendations of CTA Buttons, Labels, Feedback message and Email template for a product with over 100 screens, adhering to the market release timeline.

#### **Assistant Professor**

College of Architecture Trivandrum.

June 2015 to April 2021

- Led 10 design studios of 40 to 120 students and guided 100+ thesis and dissertations.
- Conducted more than 20 design workshops for various NGO's in design, manufacturing, etc.
- Part of the panel of 20 SME to draft the B.Des Syllabus for Kerala Technological University.

#### **Product Designer**

Fuego Health & Furniture, Bengaluru.

February 2014 - March 2015

- In charge of the design and development of prototypes for validation. Created four prototypes and signed off on two for mass production.
- Signed off on multiple start production and installed over 4000+ workstations across India.

#### **Associate UX Designer**

EY Wavespace, Trivandrum.

September 2013 - February 2014

- Part of a team of 4 who worked on the design library according to the new brand guidelines of EY enterprise solutions.
- Worked on two features in a release for one product that was approved for production.

# **Awards and Recognition**

## Nissan Digital India, Trivandrum.

- Ace Employee Award FY24, FY22
  - Major Programs were led in challenging situations and managed delivery as per the timeline.
     Instrumental in all deliveries and supporting NDI delivery on time. Beyond a tremendous contribution to all NDI UX COE initiatives and evangelisation to make this happen.
- Stellar Spotlight Award FY24
  - Presented by the GM Finance, ISIT Strategy Planning and Control Office, for being an essential part of the chargeback project.
- Second Runner Up, Hackathon FY23
  - Presented for representation of the Idea "Personalised Car Configurator"

## **EY Wavespace, Trivandrum**

- Rockers Award FY13
  - For high-impact performance in group projects and teaming skills.

#### Education

M.Des (Master's in Industrial Design) School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi. 2011-2013

B.Arch (Bachelor's in Architecture) College of Engineering Trivandrum.

2006-2011