

GYAN LAKHWANI

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EDUCATION

IDC School of Design, IIT Bombay June '20
M.Des. Interaction Design

MAIT, IP University, Delhi June '18
B.Tech. Information Technology.

Delhi Public School, RK Puram June '14
CBSE Board

SKILLS

UI Design

Sketch & Figma for mockups, Zeplin for handoffs, Principle for prototyping interactions, Invision for rapid prototyping.

UX Research

Quantitative and qualitative user research
Usability evaluation, User testing

Web Design

HTML, CSS, Javascript

Graphic Design

Illustrator for illustrations and graphics
InDesign for print and layouts

COMMUNITY

Internship coordinator, IDC August '18
Contacted companies and helped organise campus internship placements at IDC School of Design, IIT Bombay.

Organiser, Delhi Dribbble Meetup March '16
Organised a Dribbble meetup for designers in New Delhi.

Moderator, HH Design July '15
Moderator for 17,000+ member student-oriented design community on Facebook.

INTERNET

Medium

www.medium.com/@gyanl

LinkedIn

www.linkedin.com/in/gyanlakhwani

Dribbble

www.dribbble.com/gyanl

Instagram

www.instagram.com/gyanl/

WORK EXPERIENCE

UX Design Intern, Microsoft | June '19 - August '19

- Conducted user interviews and used existing Microsoft research to identify areas where Microsoft AI could be used to boost productivity in the office by helping users manage their tasks better.
- Collaborated with a team of 3 engineering interns to design and build a working prototype of an AI powered intervention in Microsoft To-do for Windows.

Designer (Remote), Foodcache | March '17 - February '18

- Worked on branding and UI for iOS and Android for a food inventory management app aimed at reducing food waste.
- Created clickable prototypes using Invision to brainstorm product functionality and worked with developer to implement consistent designs across platforms.
- Designed and coded a landing page for the app: <https://foodcacheapp.com/>

Designer, Indian Prime Minister's Office App | June '15 - August '17

- Part of a team of 6 students who worked with the PMO and mentors from Google to design and build an app that has support for 10 languages, accessibility features, optimisation for old devices, slow connections.
- Worked with a team of 6 on maintenance and updates for 1 year, the app has 400,000+ users and a 4.6 rating on Google Play.

Product Design Intern, Zomato | December '16 - January '17

- Conducted qualitative user research, interviewed primary & secondary users to gain insights into the problems with Zomato's restaurant data collection.
- Streamlined process of collecting and updating information from restaurants using field research and inputs from collections & engineering teams.
- Redesigned Zomato Collect, an internal app used to collect data from restaurants. Created prototypes and conducted usability testing.

Designer (Freelance), Fitso | October '17 - December '17

- Worked on an updated visual design for Fitso for iOS, created mockups and a design system in Figma to allow other designers to quickly create new screens.
- Created prototypes for new animations and interactions using Principle.

Designer (Freelance), Billions in Change India | June '16 - January '17

- Designed an online volunteer platform and social media presence for Billions in Change as they set up operations in India.
- Created mockups and clickable prototypes for Android, iOS, mobile web and desktop web.

PERSONAL PROJECTS

Plutonium Sans | April '18

- A playful sans serif typeface inspired by the geometric forms of Futura. Designed using Glyphs for Mac.

Paisa.tech | August '17

- Runners up, Design 360: IIIT Delhi's bi-annual design hackathon.
- Designed a proposal for an improved Internet Banking system with a focus on UX after analysing problems in apps from the major Indian banks.

Faux | March '17

- First prize, Design 360: IIIT Delhi's bi-annual design hackathon.
- Designed a concept for a chatbot + game that helps fight fake news by providing people an easy way to find out if a message is fake using a crowdsourced database.