



**MIKE HARSH** | **UI DESIGNER + DEVELOPER** | **WESTMINSTER, CO**

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I am a front-end designer and developer with more than 15 years of experience in web and interactive. I have strong conceptual design and visualization skills backed by a demonstrated understanding of the responsive design process. I thrive in collaborative, highly productive, agile environments. I am an organized and detailed team player who expects to make an impact leveraging my development expertise on new development, responsive design, and product enhancements. As an avid self-starter, learning enthusiast, and effective communicator, I am able to quickly make an impact in new environments.

**TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Software/SaaS:** Adobe Creative Cloud (Acrobat, Dreamweaver, Flash, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop), BBEdit, CodeKit, Eclipse, Email on Acid, FishEye/Crucible, IntelliJ IDEA, Jira, Microsoft Office, OmniGraffle, QuarkXPress, QuickTime, Sketch, Sublime Text, Visio
- Methodologies/Practices:** Agile/Scrum, cross-browser testing/debugging, graceful degradation, mobile-first design, progressive enhancement, responsive design, user-centered design
- Content Management:** Adobe CQ (Experience Manager), Drupal, Movable Type, ProcessWire, WordPress
- Frameworks/Libraries:** Bootstrap, Foundation, FreeMarker, Git, Handlebars, jQuery, Less, Maven, Modernizr, Mustache, Node.js, Pure, RequireJS, Sass, Subversion, YUI
- Languages:** ActionScript, ASP, CSS3, HTML5, JavaScript, PHP, SVG, XML

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

*JANUARY 2015—PRESENT*

**FREELANCE UI DESIGNER & FRONT-END DEVELOPER**

**SOLE PROPRIETOR**

- ◆ Front-end development of pages in ProcessWire and WordPress CMS websites using jQuery and Bootstrap.
- ◆ Coding and testing of HTML emails for consistent display across dozens of email clients/platforms.
- ◆ *Clients:* Boulder Massage & Neuromuscular Therapy, Process Interactive (Columbus College of Art & Design, Environmental Remediation Contractor, JobsOhio), Westminster High School Bands

*JANUARY 2006—JANUARY 2015*

**SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER, SENIOR ART DIRECTOR—INTERACTIVE DESIGN**

**OCLC, INC.**

- ◆ Acted as subject matter expert for UI design, HTML5, CSS3, and cross-browser compatibility in support of the OCLC WorldShare Modular Staff Interface (MSI).
- ◆ Participated in code reviews, prioritization/scheduling/implementation of visual, performance, and usability enhancements for the MSI and applications built on the framework.
- ◆ Designed and prototyped UX/UI through sketching, mockups, storyboards, and wireframing.
- ◆ Implemented UI design using HTML5, CSS3, and JavaScript in collaboration with UX and product resources.
- ◆ Designed and developed Flash interfaces, web components and presentation tools.
- ◆ Designed presentations in Flash and PowerPoint for national/international speaking engagements by OCLC CEO and key executives.



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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)**

MAY 2002—DECEMBER 2005

**CO-MANAGING MEMBER & DIRECTOR OF DIGITAL MEDIA**

**HYBRID37, LLC**

- ◆ Directed visual design, information architecture, prototyping and development for websites and applications.
- ◆ Met with clients to consult on proposed design projects, requirements gathering and analysis.
- ◆ Performed information architecture, UI design and development.
- ◆ Managed UI design projects from inception to go-live, which included all creative oversight.
- ◆ Developed branding and style guidelines.
- ◆ Hired, directed, and mentored contract designers and developers.
- ◆ Managed projects with clients, marketing firms and sub-contractors.
- ◆ *Clients:* Fahlgren Interactive, Highlights for Children, InvestQuest, Marketing Works, The Ohio Restaurant Association, SBC Advertising, Tattletale Portable Alarms, Wendy’s International, Working Partners

APRIL 2000—MAY 2002

**WEB/MULTIMEDIA DESIGNER**

**LSYDIGITAL/LORD SULLIVAN & YODER, INC.**

- ◆ Implemented information architecture, prototyping and design for web sites, promotions and applications.
- ◆ Coordinated with web and database developers, account managers and clients to complete web projects.
- ◆ *Clients:* Columbus Advertising Federation, Easton Town Center, Exel Logistics, Greater Columbus Arts Council, Nationwide Retirement Solutions, Worthington Industries

FEBRUARY 1998—APRIL 2000

**GRAPHIC DESIGNER, WEB DESIGNER**

**JONES ANASTASI + BIRCHFIELD**

- ◆ Designed and produced print collateral, corporate business systems, retail displays, direct mail, web/print/email sales incentive programs, and Flash-based websites.
- ◆ *Clients:* Allied Signal, Diamond Cabinet Company, Flight Options, Grimes Aerospace, National City Bank, Nationwide Insurance, Nationwide Retirement Solutions, Raytheon

**EDUCATION**

DECEMBER 1992

**THE ART INSTITUTE OF PITTSBURGH**

**PITTSBURGH, PA**

Associates Degree in Specialized Technology, majoring in Visual Communications

**AFFILIATIONS**

APRIL 2015—PRESENT

**AIGA, THE PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR DESIGN**  
Sustaining member

**COLORADO CHAPTER**

PAST

**CSCA, COLUMBUS SOCIETY OF COMMUNICATING ARTISTS**  
Professional level

**COLUMBUS, OH**