

Amber Stickel

Seasoned problem solver who designs and builds digital products, with an affinity for systems and refined experiences.

EXPERIENCE

Product Design Manager at Sprout Social 06/2021 - Present

- Defined new Design Engineer role, successfully hiring two new candidates
- Defined a vision that redefined Design Systems' value to the business and set a north star for where the team should be aimed
- Grew our team from two designers to 12 cross-functional team members, with four direct reports
- Maintained regular 1:1s, feedback, and career growth conversations with all individual contributors to check-in and support
- Leveled up the team's knowledge of design systems to ensure the team thought deeply about the "why" behind their work

Senior Front-end Developer at Shopify 08/2020 - 05/2021

Collaborated closely product marketing managers, designers content strategists, and engineers to build marketing experiences for Shopify's financial products.

Advisory Front End Developer at IBM 08/2019 - 08/2020

- Led the app development for IBM Cloud Pak Experiences including roadmap planning, backlog refinement and prioritization, and delivering two major releases.
- Built components for a net-new product, IBM Cloud Security and Compliance Center, and collaborated closely with our design system team.

Senior Design Technologist at Indeed 10/2017 - 08/2019

Served as a liason between UX and engineering teams to prototype components, defined animation guidelines for our design system, and facilitated design system trainings for internal product teams across the globe.

Front-end Developer at IBM 10/2016 - 10/2017

Collaborated closely with other UX disciplines to create usability prototypes, assist in product design decisions, and developed interactive guides for our engineers.

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TOOLS

Figma, Sketch

HTML5, CSS3, Javascript

React, Vue

Git, Github

SKILLS

Prototyping to validate design decisions and roadmaps

Building with scalability and maintainability in mind

Crafting inclusive and accessible experiences

Deep understanding of CSS and modern features

Modern Javascript features and frameworks

Implementing purposeful, refined, and accessible animations

Version control using Git

Utilizing Agile methodologies

EDUCATION

BA — Mass Communications

University of South Florida

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