

Kieran Bollard

Senior UX/UI Designer

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I am a creative, and ambitious Designer with user-centred experience at heart and outside the box problem solving on the brain. Guiding an idea to a tangible form is a passion of mine. Some describe me as a listener, others describe me as meticulous and methodic, I see myself as naturally curious and driven. My goal is to create intuitive, aesthetically pleasing, and emotionally fulfilling designs with an eye on the endless possibilities that the future has to offer.

Education

User Experience Design

/ 2019

UX Design Institute/
GCU

- Advanced Diploma/
Associate Degree

Television Studio Production

/ 2014

The Park Studio
Dublin

- Technical course

Creative Digital Media

/ 2010-2014

National College of
Art & Design

- Bachelor of Arts

Frequent User of LinkedIn Learning/ Digital Garage/ Medium

Experience

- **Senior UX/UI Designer / 2021 - Present**

Tricentis - Developing new products and redesigning/updating existing flows..

Skills: Heuristic evaluation, Design systems, User Testing, Prototyping, Wireframing, Implementation, Design reviews.

- **UX/UI Designer / 2020 - 2021**

Freeware Lovers - Improving experience & designs of freeware websites.

Skills: Competitive Benchmark, Style guides, Personas, Remote User Testing, User Flow, Prototyping, Wireframing.

- **UX/UI Designer / 2020**

Startup Commons - Traineeship developing digital ecosystem software.

Skills: Benchmarking, Research & Presentation, Flow/Affinity Diagram, SWOT & PESTLE, Low fidelity Prototyping.

- **Fashion / e-Commerce Visuals / 2014 - 2016 / 2018 - 2020**

Packshot - Brown Thomas/Arnotts - Developing e-commerce visuals.

Skills: Photography, Leadership, Editing, Feedback, Teamwork, Marketing, Analytics, Composition.

- **Graphic Designer / 2018**

Juniors Read - Remote design work for a children's book series.

Skills: Working Remotely, Brief Development, Graphic Design, Animation, Content Creation, Package Design.

- **Wedding / Editorial Photographer / 2016 - 2018**

Adventure Photos - Location Shoots and Destination Weddings.

Skills: Adaptation, Customer Service, Sales, Motion/Graphic Design, Photography, Videography.

On top of this experience I have also worked on a lot of freelance projects in fields ranging from video production, graphic design, photography and content creation.

Professional Skills

- UX Design
- Benchmarking
- Prototyping
- Graphic Design
- UX Researcher
- User Testing
- Wireframing
- Photography
- UI Design
- Journey Mapping
- HTML & CSS
- Motion Graphics

This is a list that could have a page to itself, without getting caught up in too many details, **I have worked on a number of projects (UX, Design, Video, & Photo) close to the client so constantly push myself to develop my skills and explore new territories.**

Software Skills

- Photoshop
- Premiere Pro
- XD
- Wordpress
- Lightroom
- After Effects
- Framer
- InVision
- InDesign
- Ch. Animate
- Figma
- Unity
- Illustrator
- Dreamweaver
- Axure
- Sketch

I am always **developing my skills through new software** - in case there are any missing! If you use a different tool that works well in your workflow, **I can learn it.**

Interpersonal Skills

- Collaborator
- Empathetic
- Mindful
- Creative
- Design Thinker
- Problem Solver
- Consistent
- Positive
- Assertive

I have the **motivation to work on my own and the ability to work as part of a team** to get results. When it comes to research, I prefer to work as part of a team, whereas, in my design work, I am used to working individually.

Languages

- **English**
- Irish
- French
- Spanish

