



IAN MATENAER

UX/UI Designer based in
the Twin Cities

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EDUCATION

University of Minnesota
B.I.S Individual Studies:
UI/UX Design
Computer Science
Asian/Middle Eastern Studies
Expected May, 2025

SKILLS

- User Interface Design
- User Experience Research
- Photography
- Python and TypeScript

SOFTWARE

- Figma
- Photoshop
- VS Code and Git

AWARDS

- State Winner (Photography Competition). Issued by WRKXFMLY
- National Merit for Photography

ABOUT ME

UX/UI designer and award-winning photographer with a strong foundation in user research, seeking to apply and develop skills in a collaborative and growth-focused environment.

EXPERIENCE

Mojo Solo

Creative Agency
Twin Cities, MN
May '25 - Present

UI/UX Design Freelancer

- **Design**, design critical interfaces for a private project as well as order forms for clients. Worked within Figma.
- **Research**, directly interacted with clients to conduct user research and feedback cycles. Research was conducted first-hand or through Qualtrics or SurveyMonkey.

May - Aug, '24

UI/UX Design Intern

- **Design**, created a backend dashboard view for full-time employees as well as work on a private project for clients. Worked within Figma.
- **Research**, initial user research and user feedback cycles. Research was done with full-time employees with Qualtrics or SurveyMonkey.
- Attended daily meetings to go over design and project debriefs.

UMN

Office of IT
Twin Cities, MN
Oct '22 - Feb '23

IT Support Desk

- Support, answered calls from UMN students, alumni, and staff to provide IT support.
- Critical Thinking, quickly solved technology support problems.
- Quickly accessed information through a support database.

Camp Olson

Summer Camp
Longville, MN
Summers
'20-'22

Camp Counselor

- Worked with new groups of 10-12 children each week to develop their communication, responsibility, and respect skills.
- Collaborated with other staff to create a fun, safe, and enriching experience for children ages 8-14.
- Maintained facility equipment, vehicles, and buildings to promote a safe and secure environment for staff and campers.