

# DERRAIN DE SILVA

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## Professional Summary

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Enthusiastic UX Designer with a creative eye, specialised in Frontend Development with a combined experience of over 10 years in the industry. Proven ability to craft intuitive, user-centric designs and breathe life into them using frontend web technologies.

## Relevant Work Experience

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**Digital Assist Coordinator** 08/2025 to Present

**The Safety Cabinet Warehouse** – Auckland, New Zealand

- Optimising performance of WordPress websites and search engine optimisation.
- Enhancing the UX of existing pages through design and partial development.

**Volunteer UX Designer** 06/2025 to 12/2025

**Vision for Humanity** – Auckland, New Zealand

- Advised frontend developers on code optimisation, component-based architecture and styling.
- Designed user interfaces for the Visionaire social media platform Higher Consciousness Network (HCN) and 2<sup>nd</sup> Genome.
- Conducted periodic accessibility and performance optimisations.

**UX Lead** 09/2019 to 06/2023

**99x Technologies** – Colombo, Sri Lanka

- Led the design and development of a custom UI component library in AureliaJS, used for a financial product suite (Adra by Trintech) featured on the Microsoft Dynamics 365 platform.
- Championed accessibility and refactored UI components, improving the accessibility score by 25%.
- Together with the Senior UX Lead, observed user behaviours in FullStory and enhanced the usability of UI components by 10%.
- Collaborated with product owners and engineers to align design strategy with business goals, enhancing the user experience and engagement.

**Software Consultant – UI/UX Lead** 08/2018 to 08/2019

**Well Tech Solutions** – Colombo, Sri Lanka

- Led the UX Design of a range of products for various clients.
- Crafted wireframes, prototypes and high-fidelity mockups for both web and mobile applications.
- Collaborated on the design and development of an online illness data gathering platform in partnership with Google and UK-based university students for the South-Asian region.

**Software Consultant – UI/UX** 12/2016 to 08/2018

**Telenor Health A/S** – Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Crafted intuitive user interfaces for both web and mobile applications.
- Contributed in the design and development of a Q&A platform to help with health-related questions, resulting in an 85-90% user engagement within two weeks of launching.

- Optimised and enhanced the user interfaces and experience of the in-house CRM system during the transition to a cloud-based solution, improving the workflow efficiency by 42%.

**Associate Software Engineer – UI/UX**

05/2016 to 12/2016

**Salpo Technologies** – Colombo, Sri Lanka

- Designed intuitive user interfaces for mobile and web applications.
- Engineered web applications in HTML, CSS and Bootstrap.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams.

**Associate UI/UX Engineer**

09/2015 to 04/2016

**Creation Application** – Colombo, Sri Lanka

- Engaged in discussions with cross-functional teams to ensure the crafting of seamless user experiences.
- Designed user interfaces for mobile and web applications, and engineered web applications in HTML, CSS and Bootstrap.

## Education

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**Master of Business Informatics**

11/2024

**ICL Graduate Business School** – Auckland, New Zealand

**BSc. in Software Engineering**

07/2015

**Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology** – Malabe, Sri Lanka

## Skills

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- Development: HTML5, CSS3, SCSS, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, Bootstrap
- Frameworks: NuxtJS, AureliaJS, NextJS, ReactJS
- Accessibility, SEO and Observation: WCAG 2.2, Google PageSpeed Insights, Microsoft Clarity, FullStory
- Collaboration: Agile Scrum, Jira, Git
- UI/UX Design: Adobe XD, Figma, Design Systems
- Soft Skills: Teamwork, Communication, Cross-Team Collaboration, Time Management, Problem-Solving