# CHRIS COREY

UX LEADER

310-795-5861



CHRIS@UXIT.CO



WWW.UXIT.CO (Pass: UXD)



LAS VEGAS, NV.



#### **EDUCATION**

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE PSYCHOLOGY

> SUNY Empire State 2007-2009

# ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE COMPUTER GRAPHICS

Tompkins Cortland College 1996-1997

# COURSEWORK ILLUSTRATION

Pratt Institute 1994-1996

#### **SKILLS**

#### >> LANGUAGES

HTML 5

CSS 3

jQuery

PHP

#### PROFILE

UX leader with 15+ years of experience blending research, design thinking, and a strong visual aesthetic. Skilled at uniting psychology, design, and technology to create intuitive, empathetic solutions for complex problems.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **WESTERN DIGITAL**

- Senior Manager of UX Irvine, CA. / 2020 Present
  - Manager and Creative Director for Western Digital's UX design organization, overseeing the company's global web presence. This includes B2C and B2B eCommerce which grossed ~\$24M in revenue and 5M unique visits this quarter.
  - Developed and implemented a comprehensive UX design strategy, aligning product vision and business objectives resulting in a 21% increase in overall user satisfaction (CSAT) this year.
  - Develop and nurture a high-performing design team, strategically building bench strength through talent development and continuous improvement initiatives.
  - Efficiently manage a high volume of projects across diverse disciplines which include UX engineering, user testing, visual design, photography, and video.
  - Organize and lead ideation workshops, stakeholder reviews, pitches, creative reviews, daily standup meetings, team building events, and more.
  - Championed a user-centric culture across the organization, impacting company-wide approaches and procedures.
  - Created an Al strategy and roadmap, while integrating it into creative workflows to drive efficiency and self-sufficiency.
  - Led the creative for a major brand spin-off, designing the site, visual system, and Figma workflows to establish a distinct identity while leveraging shared infrastructure.

#### UX Design Lead

- Promoted to oversee all design projects, simultaneously mentoring and recruiting new designers to enhance team capabilities and drive success.

## Senior UX Designer

- Founding member of the Irvine UXD team responsible for creating an extensive design system and numerous other revenue driving projects. This includes a checkout redesign that generated over \$1.2M of incremental YOY revenue in the first 3 months.

SKILLS

>>> SOFTWARE

Figma

Adobe XD

Anima

Photoshop

Illustrator

UserTesting.Com

Userlytics

Adobe Marketing Cloud

Shopify

Google Analytics

lira

## EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)

#### **COMPLETE NUTRITION**

Consulting Creative Director - Omaha, NE. / 2019

- One-year engagement to revitalize the consumer experience for Complete Nutrition, a leading dietary supplement company with over a dozen successful inhouse brands; strong online presence; and 37 retail locations.
- As lead UX designer, directed creative strategy and managed graphic designers, revitalized corporate identity, built new Shopify eCommerce site and executed dynamic social media strategy.

#### ORGAIN

Director of UX - Irvine, CA. / 2016 - 2019

- UX and digital design Lead for Orgain, a category leader in organic plant-based food products. Awarded Cleanest Packaged Food Award by Prevention Magazine.
- Played pivotal role in the conception of Orgain's DTC eCommerce sales channel.
- Led UX execution for diverse web experiences, including eCommerce on AEM, healthcare portal, B2B portal, blog, micro-sites, and landing pages.
- Owned UX optimization and personalization using Adobe Target and AEM.
- Directed software development partners on the implementation of user interface design to assure quality and adherence to design specifications.

#### **OUEST NUTRITION**

Director of UX - El Segundo, CA. / 2013 - 2016

- Directed digital design operations for Quest Nutrition, the 2nd fastest growing company in America with 57,000% growth in 3 years. In 2016 alone the company achieved over \$1B in total revenue, up from \$100M in 2014.
- Lead design initiatives for 40 new products, 20 marketing campaigns, and 10 content verticals and played pivotal role in the incubation of 8 brands.
- Hired, trained and lead a team of UI and visual designers.

#### Senior UX Designer

- Incorporated UXD into software, product, and campaign development processes, fostering a user-centered culture throughout the organization.
- Created SOP's for the design process and acted as Liaison between the marketing and software development departments.

#### **IWMULTIMEDIA**

Founder & Creative Director - Los Angeles, CA. & Syracuse, NY. / 2008 - 2013

- Maintained full responsibility for maximizing the long-term operating performance of a digital multimedia design firm while overseeing project team, directing and developing all design and research artifacts for desktop and mobile e-commerce, social network, and marketing-based websites and applications.