# Makana Dumlao

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Competencies

Entrepreneurial

**Design Thinking** 

**Customer Focus** 

Marketing Skills

Interpersonal Savvy

Communication Skills

Organizational Skills

**Teamwork** 

### **Experience**

### **Public Consulting Group**

IT Project Manager | February 2018 - July 2022

Product Owner of numerous PCG Health products including electronic visit verification.

- Manage and lead teams of developers using an agile methodology
- · Conduct design research to validate features and user interactions
- Design graphical user interfaces and workflows
- · Define technical requirements by drafting specifications and user stories
- · Work with shareholders to define and prioritize new feature development
- Provide technical subject matter expertise in evaluating & crafting RFP responses

### Careify, Inc.

Founder & CEO | July 2015 - February 2018

Responsible for the creation, vision, and acquisition of Careify, Inc. - A company that provided modern electronic visit verification technology for the home care industry.

- Performed market research and industry analysis
- Structured the company and secured angel funding
- · Created technical specifications and led a team of developers
- · Defined branding and led all marketing efforts

### **Technical**

UX/UI Design

Sketch/InVision

**DevOps** 

TFS/Jira/GitLab

**Graphics & Animation** 

Adobe Creative Suite

CAD

Solidworks/Fusion360

Rendering

Keyshot

Productivity

MS Office/iWork

CMS

Wordpress/Squarespace

### Bridgera

User Experience Manager | Feb. 2016 - June 2017

Worked with multi-national clients to design, develop, and deploy user-centric applications across a variety of platforms.

- Translated complex technical requirements into user-friendly applications
- Managed critical issues and feedback with clients and employees
- Created and implemented rebranding campaign
- · Led a team of designers and developers through varied client projects

### Apple, Inc.

Mac Specialist | Aug. 2009 - April 2011

Performed sales and visuals merchandising tasks while mentoring new employees.

- Generated yearly revenue of over \$1 million in sales
- Provided exceptional customer service resulting in a NPS of 9.5 out of 10
- Acted as a mentor to new hires, and worked with regional new hire training

### **Volt Technical Services**

Apple Campus Rep | March 2008-Nov. 2008

Acted as the brand ambassador responsible for campus-wide sales, support, marketing and training to students and faculty.

- Grew online sales by 25% year-over-year
- Consulted & trained faculty on the use of Apple's technology in the classroom
- Worked with students and parents to share and cultivate the Apple brand

#### **Education**

Graduate Studies: Industrial Design | North Carolina State University | 2013 - 2015

B.S.B.A.: Entrepreneurship | Western Carolina University | Magna Cum Laude, Dec. 2008

Study Abroad Experience | Avans Hodgeschool | Breda, The Netherlands, 2007

## Patents

US D833260S1

Online Portfolio www.makanadumlao.com