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Álvaro Castaño's resume

UI designer and engineer with over 20 years of experience, having worked for agencies, startups, scale-ups, and global brands. I bridge the gap between design and front-end development, creating seamless user experiences that are both visually stunning and technically robust.

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Experience

UI Developer — Nestlé Nespresso S.A.

Jan 2023 — Present · Full-time contractor · Remote

Developed React and vanilla JS components, design tokens, and SVG assets for Nespresso HQ's Design System squad. Also developed React-based blocks and panels to build pages in the ecommerce globally.

Front-End Lead — Siroko

Jan 2019 — Sep 2022 · Full-time · Remote

Led a team of 4 designers and front-end developers; managed delivery, team development, and coordination with the CEO and other leads.

Designer & UI Developer — Siroko

Apr 2016 — Jan 2019 · Full-time · Gijón, Spain

Web and app UI design alongside UI development across Twig, Blade, WordPress, email templating, and Shopify.

Designer & Co-founder — Klokut Watches

Jun 2015 — Mar 2016 · Full-time · Barcelona, Spain

Designed watches, website, and marketing materials; built the online store for this e-commerce startup.

Designer & Co-founder — Cronnection

Sep 2013 — Mar 2016 · Full-time · Miami, US & Barcelona, Spain

Branding, illustration, responsive web design, iOS app design, wireframes, and concepts for an internet startup.

Freelance Web Designer & Developer — vivaestudio

Feb 2007 — Sep 2013 · Freelance · Oviedo, Spain

200+ projects spanning web design, branding, illustration, and WordPress theme development.

Skills & tools

Development

React

Vite

Storybook

HTML & CSS / SCSS modules

Vanilla JS

Vitest

GitHub Actions

Web Performance

Accessibility

On-site SEO

Design Systems

Design

Figma

UI & UX Design

Design Systems

Branding

Illustration

A/B Testing

Prototyping & Wireframing

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