

# Ritish Bajaj

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## Experience

### User Experience Designer

FGFBrands | July 2024 - Present

- Supported senior UX designer by translating business needs into visual design concepts, accelerating timelines for manufacturing initiatives.
- Delivered final designs for in-house manufacturing tools by collaborating cross-functionally with development, product, and business teams. resulting in stakeholder-approved solutions for 70+ page business requirements.
- Achieved a 100% stakeholder approval rate by producing sketches, wireframes, and prototypes in Figma under tight timelines, aligning closely with user pain points and project objectives.

### User Experience Designer

Freelance | Jan 2023 - Present

- Reduced content deployment time from 3–4 weeks to 1–2 weeks by customizing and managing WordPress, Webflow, and Shopify sites based on user research and stakeholder strategy sessions.
- Increased client engagement by designing logos, brand visuals, and digital assets for 10+ small businesses, resulting in stronger visual identity and improved online presence.
- Accomplished 100,000+ views across music videos and promotional content by editing multimedia projects using Adobe Premiere Pro and After Effects, expanding visibility for artists and small businesses.

### Application Support Analyst

FGF Brands | January 2022 – July 2024

- Resolved over 900 technical support tickets annually by diagnosing and addressing level 2–3 application issues and administration requests, ensuring minimal business disruption.
- Saved over 200 hours annually by leading automation initiatives that streamlined repetitive workflows and improved operational efficiency.
- Supported software development lifecycle by participating in meetings and communicating recurring user pain points, improving end-user satisfaction.

## Recent Projects

### Designer Tool

FGFBrands | January 2025 - Mar 2025

- Designed and delivered a prototype within 3 months by leading design direction and collaborating with 5 developers and 2 PMs, incorporating A/B test feedback to finalize user flows.
- Enhanced company design system by creating 100+ reusable components, enabling faster prototyping and development for future internal tools.
- Presented designs based on requirements to internal team and stakeholders including head of business showcasing a potential final product.

### PetConnect

Freelance | January 2025 - Mar 2025

- Achieved 90% user confidence rating during usability testing by applying insights from researched insights to create a user centred experience and address key user pain points in prototypes.
- Performed competitive audit across 4+ industry-leading platforms, identifying user flows & features that led to their successful product experiences.
- Conducted user surveys with 10 participants to gather insights on usability and perceived value of concept, leading to uncover key user pain points that directly impacted design decisions.

## Education

### Information Technology (BA)

York University | September 2018 - April 2023.

### Google UX Design Specialization

Google | February 2023 - January 2024

### IBM Front-End Developer Professional Certificate

IBM | May 2025 - Present

## Skills

### Design

UI design · Interaction Design · User Interface · User-centered Design · Physical and Digital Prototyping · Visual Design · Wireframing · Low-High Fidelity Mock-ups · Branding · Typography · Design Systems · Site Mapping · Digital Content · Responsive design

### Research

User Interviews · User Testing · Information Architecture · Journey Mapping · Quantitative Analysis · Competitor Analysis · Storyboards · User Surveys · Usability Testing · User Heuristic Evaluations

### Software

Sketch · Photoshop · AfterEffects · Adobe XD · Adobe CC · ASP.NET · HTML · CSS · JavaScript · Java · Miro · Webflow · Figma · ServiceNow · Azure · Lottiefiles · Shopify · Wordpress · SAP