

# AMANDA PETERSON

User Experience Research and Design

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## EXPERIENCE

### **Pinterest, Remote — Product Designer**

JANUARY 2021 - PRESENT

- Worked with design and product team members to better understand the problem space around the business setup process and produce new design solutions.
- Collaborated with content strategist to define the strategy and vision for the business product landing page through design sprint activities.
- Contributed to product design team critique sessions to improve design quality and foster cross-product knowledge sharing.
- Provided standardized widget designs to engineers and collaborated with them to create a feasible and well-designed product.

### **Elsevier, Pittsburgh, PA — Senior UX Designer**

NOVEMBER 2018 - PRESENT

- Conducted usability testing and provided UX guidance for the Internal Tools development team. Collaborated with the product owner to create Jira tickets.
- Conducted contextual inquiry and user interviews to inform a redesigned content publishing process.
- Collaborated with other UX team members to redesign ClinicalPath, a clinical decision support tool for oncologists. Conducted usability tests and user interviews.

### **BNY Mellon, Pittsburgh, PA — Lead UX Designer**

JUNE 2016 - NOVEMBER 2018

- Developed, organized, and facilitated stakeholder workshops in which I identified their needs and transferred knowledge.
- Conducted user research including contextual inquiry, interviews, and usability testing in order to determine user needs, journeys, and goals.
- Created, presented, and user-tested interactive prototypes. Feedback received from stakeholders, users, and developers contributed to an iterative process to create designs that met both user and business needs.

### **NPR, Washington, DC — UX Design Intern**

MAY 2015 - AUGUST 2015

## SKILLS

### **Design**

Wireframing  
Paper Prototyping  
Sketching  
Storyboarding  
Affinity Diagramming  
User Journey Mapping

### **User Research**

Interviews  
Participant Observation  
Contextual Inquiry  
Focus Groups  
Personas  
Usability Testing

### **Technical**

Figma  
Sketch  
Axure  
InVision

## EDUCATION

### **Indiana University**

#### **Bloomington, IN**

AUGUST 2014 - MAY 2016

**Master of Science | Human**

Computer Interaction  
Design

### **Ball State University**

#### **Muncie, IN**

AUGUST 2009 - MAY 2013

**Bachelor of Science |**

Anthropology

**Minors |** Technical Writing,  
Foundations of Business