# Ramsiddarth Kalyansundaram

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## **EDUCATION**

#### **Indiana University- Bloomington**

**Bloomington, Indiana** 

M.S. in Human-Computer Interaction

Expected Graduation, May 2025

o GPA: 3.90/4.00

o **Related Coursework:** Experience Design, Foundations of HCI, Interaction Design Methods, Intro to HCI, Meanings and Forms of HCI, Visual Design, Design Strategy.

## **PSG College of Arts and Science**

Coimbatore, India

B.Sc. in Visual Communication

2018-2021

- o First Class with Distinction
- o Concentration: Visual Design

Related Coursework: Graphic Design Production, VFX and Animation, Motion Design, Audio Production, Basics of Writing

## **EXPERIENCE**

IDS News Bloomington, USA

UX Designer (Part-time)

Aug 2023 - Present

- Designed a digital publication platform that increased retention rate by 13%
- Conducted thorough user research utilizing research methods like Heuristic analysis, User interview, and secondary research
- Created a complete design system with design tokens, Component library, and layout design for effective dev handoff

Timeless Ventures Chennai, India

Product Designer

Aug 2022 – Aug 2023

- Designed multiple greenfield digital products primarily in the fintech, SaaS, and ID verification sectors
- Researched and designed a complete marketing website for leading fintech company "Scripbox"
- Utilized design principles to design a SaaS platform in the HR management space called "Quicktest"
- Closely collaborated with Project Managers and Engineers for effective design handoff for project success. Extensively worked on design system and guidelines for project scaling

## **PROJECTS**

## **Salesforce AI in Cloud Marketing Solutions**

**Bloomington, USA** 

Team Member

Jan 2024 – Present

- Actively working on avenues to implement AI for effective marketing reach and ROI
- Researched the ethical concerns on the customer level, Business level, and social level of implementing AI on a scale
- Designing an effective solution that would use AI to aid marketing executives create marketing campaigns that are
  personalized and relevant also keeping ethical concerns in mind
- Explored solutions that would help marketers focus on content experimentation, aggregation and reporting with the help of AI insights

#### **ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP**

HCI/D Club Bloomington, USA

Active participant in organizing workshops and events

Aug 2023 - Present

# **SKILLS**

Designing: User research, Wireframing, Prototyping, User testing and Visual Design

Tools: Figma, Sketch, Adobe CC(ae, ai, ps,pr), Framer, Webflow, Rive, Asana, Slack, Miro, Notion, Coda, Cinema 4D, Blender