

Alan Rodriguez

UX Engineer/Designer

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Experience

UX Engineer 2 | Office/Windows/Teams, Microsoft

2020 - Present

Currently creating prototypes, tools, and programs to help bring design coherence across various Microsoft products and experiences.

UX Engineer/Creative Technologist | Cortana, Microsoft AI

2017 - 2020

Built tools, sites, and AI prototypes for the Cortana Design team, which help in both shipping enterprise assistive experiences and exploring new technologies.

UX Engineer | Office 365, Microsoft

2015 - 2017

Helped transition Outlook Web App into modern web frameworks, including building various solutions for scalable iconography. Also built a variety of prototypes for research studies and presentations.

Product Designer | Office 365, Microsoft

2009 - 2015

Began as a visual designer, developing a completely new visual framework for Outlook and Exchange. Transitioned to a hybrid visual/UX role to design a variety of features, including notification system, settings, and themes. Also worked as a product designer, exploring the trends in communication and productivity to create our own in-house apps.

Proficiencies

Pretty good with:

JavaScript, HTML/CSS, React, Figma, Illustrator, Fusion 360, 3D Printing, Muay Thai

Getting better at:

Python, Blender, Adobe Premiere, electronics, PCB design, guitar

Education

Seattle Central Community College (SCCC)

2003 - 2006

A.A. in Graphic Design & Illustration