

# Samuel Obior

## UX/UI Designer

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## PROFILE SUMMARY

A creative UX/UI Designer with a Google UX Design Professional Certificate, skilled in Figma, Adobe XD, Illustrator, InVision, and Sketch, plus HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React, and NextJS. Experienced in user research, wireframes, and high-fidelity prototypes. Strong communicator and team player, freelancing as a UX/UI Designer since May 2024, collaborating on user-focused designs. Also a freelance Graphic Designer since 2020 and an IT Technician, since 2013. Holds an MSc in Environmental Management (University of Derby, 2018) and a BSc in Agriculture (University of Benin, 2012). Passionate about crafting intuitive, inclusive user experiences.

## SKILLS

UX/UI design tools proficiency: **Figma, Adobe XD, Adobe Illustrator, Invision, and Sketch.** Also good with development tools: **Html, CSS, Javascript, React and NextJS.**

Great communication and analytical skills. A very good team player.

## EDUCATION

**Google UX Design Professional Certificate** — Online  
December 2023 - May 2024

Successfully completed comprehensive training tailored for entry-level job preparation. Covered topics such as UX research fundamentals, inclusive design, wireframes, high-fidelity prototypes, and proficiency with tools like Figma and Adobe XD. Engaged in hands-on projects and built a portfolio featuring four completed projects.

**University Of Derby** — Master of Science (Environmental Management)  
(January 2018)

**University Of Benin** — Bachelor of Agriculture (November 2012)

## EXPERIENCE

### Freelance — UX/UI Designer

May 2024 - Present

- Research users requirements, evaluate them in collaboration with product managers and engineers.
- Illustrate design ideas using storyboards, user flows and sitemaps.
- Create UI mockups and prototypes that clearly show how sites work and look.

### Freelance — Graphic Designer

August 2020 - Present

- Designing graphics for digital (websites, social media, ads) and print (brochures, posters, packaging) using tools like Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, or Figma.
- Crafting logos, colour schemes, and typography to align with a brand's identity.
- Preparing files for production, ensuring proper formats, resolutions, and specifications for print or digital use.

### Freelance — IT Technician

December 2013 - Present

- Diagnosing and resolving hardware, software, and network issues for users via phone, email, or in-person.
- Installing, updating, and maintaining operating systems, software, and applications.
- Setting up, repairing, and upgrading computers, printers, servers, and other IT equipment.

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Google UX Design Professional Certificate, May 2024.
- Become a Graphic Designer, Aug 2020.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I am willing to relocate; therefore, location is not a concern for me.

References will be provided upon request.