# Gobu Gopal

Product Consultant | UX Researcher

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#### Skills

Design Audit
WCAG Standards
Generative AI
Discovery Workshop
Usability Testing
Stakeholder Management
Cross Team Collaboration

#### **Tools**

Figma
Miro
Axure RP
Adobe XD
Google Analytics
User Testing
Pen and Paper

## **Accomplishments**

- Won 'Remote Stellar Award' for the year 2022-23 at Bristlecone
- Researched and Developed a Unique Design System (Style guide) across workspaces for Corning (Bristlecone Client).

#### **Education**

#### **MCA**

Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore | 2004 – 2008

#### Certifications

**Google** Certified Foundation of User Experience

Certified in Figma UI UX Design Essentials

Certified in How to Design for Accessibility: for UX Designers (WCAG 2.2)

Certified in **Human Computer Interaction** – HCI

Udemy Certified **Customer Experience (CX)** Master Class

#### **About**

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Focused innovative delightful UX Researcher & Product Designer, facilitating efficient team environments and delivering solutions for mobile-first products for human-centered design with a passion. With 8+ years developing innovative, approachable user experience frameworks for B2B, B2C & SaaS products. Skilled at diverging from UX norms without alienating users. Expertise in client engagement, design direction, and team management, delivering exceptional results that scale businesses effectively.

Experience -8 years

### Product Consultant | UX Researcher - Sep '23 - Present

As a contractual UX consultant for an upcoming SaaS Platform, am focused on problem-solving at the heart of UX design, similar to how visual design addresses visual challenges. My approach goes beyond aesthetics, emphasizing a deep understanding of user needs to help them achieve their goals quickly and intuitively while maintaining a strong sense of accuracy in the design process.

Lead UX | Bristlecone - Jun '18 - Jun 2023

**Project Leadership:** Mentored junior designers on over 12 projects through discovery, research, whiteboarding, conceptualization, wireframing, and design handover while promoting **innovation** in every phase.

**Experience Design:** Developed B2B and B2C products across 3+ projects, both independently and collaboratively, driving business growth for clients through an organized approach and time management.

**Sales:** Boosted sales by creating proof of concepts, pitching to potential clients, providing detailed effort estimations, and converting pitches into projects.

**Hiring:** Expanded the UX team by interviewing candidates and evaluating their skills across multiple locations.

Senior UX Designer | Medetechie Infotech - Jan '17 - Apr '18

**Experience Design:** Designed and revamped user experiences for 3+rehabilitation healthcare applications used globally by employees.

**Project Management**: Oversaw 5 projects with a team of 2 designers, guiding them through the UX lifecycle and reviewing UI and HTML before delivery with a strong focus on efficiency.

**Usability Study:** Developed test scripts, conducted usability tests, analyzed results, and prepared reports for 2 applications.

UX Designer | Attune Technologies - Jun '15 - Jan '17

**Designing Healthcare Apps:** Conceptualized and designed over 5 healthcare apps, significantly boosting team productivity across various processes.

**Implementation:** Led the rollout of healthcare apps, collected feedback, and continuously refined the user experience utilizing a framework of iterative improvements.

## **UX & Research Skills**

Figma Axure RP Wireframing Prototyping
Adobe CC Surveying
MIRO Task flows
Framer Office 365
Usability Hub Problem-Solving
Hotjar Conducting Surveys and
UX Metrics Research

Design Thinking
Design Principles
Competitive Analysis
User Research
Usability Testing
Remote Testing
Qualitative & Quantitative

Research A/B Testing