



# SAM DAWSON

UX DESIGNER

## ABOUT ME

I am a Sydney based UX Designer & Researcher with a background in marketing and communications. My iterative design process involves finding the right problem through empathy and inquiry - skills I have been developing throughout my career.

I am looking to work in a collaborative environment with interesting and engaging people who embrace a culture of learning.

## SKILLS

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|-----------------------|------------------------|
| User interviews       | Empathy maps           |
| Survey creation       | Persona creation       |
| Competitor analysis   | User journey mapping   |
| Workshop facilitation | Stakeholder management |
| Value propositions    | Wire-framing           |
| Business canvas       | Prototyping            |
| Service blueprints    | Synthesis              |
| User testing          | Mentoring              |

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

2022 - Present

### UX Designer Macquarie Bank

End to end UX & Service Design for Macquarie Bank internal products & services. The lead designer for an internal platform and native mobile application. Instrumental in foundation of Macquarie's design system GEL.

2021 - 2022

### UX Designer Arup

Arup is one of the world's largest engineering firms. I provide end to end UX & Service Design on a range of products including; 3D/Drone Inspections, lighting analysis platform, risk assessment and Carbon Tracking for the entertainment industry.

2019 - 2021

### UX Specialist RecordPoint

RecordPoint is a data management platform. I am responsible for developing the strategy and UX design. Building accessibility into the platform and creating machine learning into the platform.

2018 - 2019

### UX Strategist 8D Digital

Managing the design process from concept to product launch for app & website design, payment solutions, ride sharing, blockchain, machine learning & AI.

2017 - 2018

### UX Designer AKQA (contract)

Part of an agile team working on the Optus account. Developing projects with key stakeholders to create wireframes for front-end development

2017

### UX Designer Storage King (contract)

Tasked to make recommendations on the website after conducting qualitative & quantitative research through user interviews and analytics

## EDUCATION

2018

### PRODUCT MANAGEMENT

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

2017

### USER EXPERIENCE DESIGN IMMERSIVE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

2015

### DIPLOMA OF PROJECT MANAGEMENT

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT

1997

### BACHELOR OF ARTS, MAJORS IN PHILOSOPHY & HISTORY

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

## TOOLS

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|---------------|----------|------------|----------------|
| MAZE          | SKETCH   | FIGMA      | GOOGLE         |
| MURAL         | AXURE    | CHURN ZERO | ANALYTICS      |
| MIRO          | INVISION | ASKABLE    | ADOBE PRODUCTS |
| SURVEY MONKEY | MARVEL   | HOTJAR     | WORDPRESS      |