

PHANINDER REDDY BARLA

UX/UI Designer

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SUMMARY

UX/UI designer with a Master's in Human-Centered Design and hands-on experience wireframing, prototyping, and testing interfaces in Figma. Front-end fundamentals in HTML, CSS, and JavaScript support clear communication with engineering teams during design handoff.

SKILLS

Research & UX: User research, usability testing, user flow analysis, information architecture, interaction design

Visual & UI Design: Wireframing, prototyping, responsive web design, icon/logo design, typography, color theory, style guides

Tools: Figma, Adobe XD, Sketch, Photoshop, Adobe Creative Suite, InVision

Front-End Fundamentals: HTML, CSS, JavaScript/jQuery

EDUCATION

Florida Institute of Technology – Melbourne, FL

Master of Science, Human-Centered Design – Expected August 2026

Malla Reddy University – Hyderabad, India

Bachelor of Technology, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning – May 2024

DESIGN PROJECTS

Buddies Meet – Housing & Community Platform

Independent Project | End-to-End UX/UI Design

- Led end-to-end UX/UI design for a housing and community platform helping newcomers find trusted housing and connect with people in an unfamiliar city.
- Defined user flows and information architecture for search, matching, and messaging, then translated them into wireframes and high-fidelity Figma prototypes.

Flofree – Proactive Budgeting App

Independent Project | End-to-End UX/UI Design

- Led end-to-end UX/UI design for a proactive budget allocation app built for young professionals who earn enough but lack a consistent system to manage it.
- Designed the core flow from onboarding through budget allocation and spend tracking, translating the concept into wireframes and interactive Figma prototypes.

CERTIFICATIONS

- Fundamentals of Graphic Design – Coursera (Jan 2024)
- Introduction to Typography – Coursera (Jan 2024)
- Ideas from the History of Graphic Design – Coursera (Jan 2024)
- Introduction to Image Making – Coursera (Jan 2024)
- Front-End Web Development with React – Coursera (Dec 2022)
- Programming Foundations with JavaScript, HTML and CSS – Coursera (Oct 2022)