# **Dillon Hickey**

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### **Objective**

Apply principles of business to UX design, designing for the end consumer at all times to strengthen businesses and empower consumers.

#### Skills

**Applications** 

- Adobe Creative Cloud
- Microsoft Office Suite

**UX** Design

- Wireframing
- Prototyping
- HTML5, CSS3
- User Research
- User Interface
- Responsive Web Design
- Mobile Optimized Design
- Sketch
- Invision
- Figma

Visual Design

- Graphic Design
- Typography
- Branding and Identity
- Advertising

**Professional** 

- Creative Problem Solving
- Project Management
- Organizational Leadership

#### **Honored Distinctions**

- SCAD Graphic Design Student Ambassador
- SCAD Graphic Design Majors and Minors Representative
- Academic and Achievement Scholarships 2020 – 2021
- Dean's List 2016 2020
- Athletic Scholarship 2016 2018

#### **Education**

Savannah College of Art and Design, Atlanta, GA M.A. in Creative Business Leadership Graduation Date: May 2021

Savannah College of Art and Design, Atlanta, GA B.F.A. in Graphic Design Focus in User Experience Design Minor in Business Management and Entrepreneurship Graduation Date: May 2020

Cornell University Certificate in Project Management Completion Date: August 2020

## **Employment History**

Founder, President and CEO Apr 2020 – Present, AREngaged

Atlanta, GA

- Build augmented reality education technology platform from idea to execution within 1.5 years
- Create all necessary content to launch business across the country
- Build relationships with investors and customers to further progress business and build relationships
- Build and manage multifaceted, lean team to keep expenses low with high results featuring a basic functioning prototype and scalable business model

#### Bar Manager

Apr 2021 - Present, Murphy's Virginia Highland

Atlanta, GA

- Get promoted from server to bartender to bar manager within one year with no prior restaurant experience
- Manage a team of 5 bartenders while running and improving bar program
- Manage a team of 5-10 servers while running the restaurant floor

Lead User Experience Designer, Project Manager Jan 2020 – Mar 2020, BlackRock SCADpro Collaboration

- Atlanta, GA
- Lead team of 11 designers to streamline institutional consultant workflow
- Streamline investing process from 1-2 years down to several months
- Re-imagined, modernized, and digitized institutional client experience
- Designed a tiered release for the new experience based on BlackRock's data library construction

Lead User Experience Designer, Project Manager Sep 2019 – Nov 2019, MARTA SCADpro Collaboration Atlanta, GA

- Lead team of 14 designers to redesign MARTA bus shelters
- Built 3 new bus shelter designs with diverse functionality
- Conceived 3 appearance packages per new bus shelter
- Created intuitive wavfinding system for rider ease
- Designed website to empower communities to design their own shelters