

# BRIGETTE SKLAR

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## SUMMARY

Experienced in both **fast-paced startups** and **enterprise environments**, I'm a strong advocate for **inclusive design** and **accessibility**, with a passion for **storytelling through design** and mentoring emerging UX talent.

## SKILLS

- **UX/UI Design:** Wireframing, Prototyping, Design Systems, Information Architecture
- **Research & Strategy:** User Flows, Usability Testing, Accessibility (WCAG/508)
- **Tools:** Figma, Adobe Creative Suite, Microsoft Office, Google Workspace
- **Collaboration:** Cross-functional Teams, Agile Environments, Stakeholder Communication

## EXPERIENCE

### Founding Product Designer

**WithOdyssey - State Education Savings Account** | Remote | Contract | **April 2025 - Current**

- **Founded design system** end-to-end, created components in Figma and implemented into React.
- Built a **wallet and dashboard experience** for parents to manage state funds by paying tuition or buying services/supplies.
- Created **flows, documentation, and designs for complex workflows between parents, school, and vendors.**
- Redesigned the application experience to enable parent self-resolution, resulting in **99% of issues resolved without support involvement** (4,821 parent-resolved vs. 39 internal).

### Senior Product Designer

**BaseCamp Franchising - Franchisee of National Thrift Stores (Kid2Kid & Uptown Cheapskate)** | Remote | Contract | **August 2025 - Current**

- Supported development teams with **implementation of a customized MUI Library.**
- Designed a **custom Point of Sale system** across over 300 locations.
- **Researched and implemented** improvements for existing processes for storefront employees.
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### Senior Product Designer

**LightCI - AI Focused SaaS startup** | Remote | **August 2024 – December 2024**

- Led the end-to-end design of **core product features.**
- Built 4 **scalable design systems**, improving **dev handoff and consistency by 40%.**
- Collaborated closely with engineering and product teams to ensure seamless implementation of designs.
- Championed accessibility, **aligning designs with WCAG standards.**

### Senior Consultant

**Booz Allen Hamilton - Government Consulting** | Remote | **January 2022 – August 2024**

- Delivered UX solutions for government and enterprise clients, while supporting over 20 agile teams.
- Designed and prototyped **30+ interactive wireframes** using Figma, achieving an **85% client satisfaction rate.**
- **Ensured WCAG/508 compliance** for federal products.
- Presented design concepts to stakeholders, securing approvals for high-impact projects within tight timelines.

## EDUCATION

## UX/UI Bootcamp

Thinkful | Graduated: Oct 2021

- Focused on **accessible design, user research, and rapid prototyping.**
- Created a portfolio of **web and mobile design projects.**

## AWARDS

### Booz Allen Hamilton

- **Passionate Service Award** – For going above and beyond to support product goals.
- **Teamwork Award** – For outstanding cross-functional collaboration.