# Aaditya Vaze

XR Rapid Prototyper and Designer with 7+ years of experience in working with multidisciplinary teams to lead and develop fast-paced tech products for startups and research labs.

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## EXPERIENCE

### Circuit Stream
XR Instructor
2023 – Present / Remote

Delivering XR design and rapid prototyping courses to 50+ learners with a focus on UX and Unity for prototyping.

### Adaptive Context Environments Lab
UX Research Assistant
2022 – 2023 / Toronto

Building contextual XR spaces and interactions for Meta Quest.

### CuriosityXR
Creator, Graduate Thesis Project
2022 – 2023 / Toronto

Mixed Reality educational app for Quest 3/Pro for curiosity-driven learning in real world environments with hand and voice interactions.

### Nonsense
Head of Product Design
2021 – 2022  / Utah

Led Design for a Movie-based language learning app.

### GreedyGame Ads
Product Designer
2020 – 2021 / Bengaluru

Created a responsive design system for mobile ads achieving 5x revenue increase and 10x reduction in onboarding time.

## PROJECTS

### Benvision  /  Innovation lead
Jul 2023 – Present / Oregon, USA

Transforming vision into sounds for the low-vision using smartglasses.

### Wearable Intelligence System  /  Design System Developer
2022 – 2023 / Remote

Open-source AI toolkit supporting 100+ Android smartglasses to enable developers to build AI XR applications.

## EDUCATION

### Master of Design / Digital Futures
OCAD University, Toronto / 2021 – 2023

### Visiting Researcher / HCI
University of Toronto / 2018 – 2019

### Bachelor of Engineering / CS & Math
BITS Pilani / 2014 – 2019

## SKILLS

2D / 3D UI Design
UX Design, Product Design
Rapid prototyping, Storyboarding
Wireframing
AR/VR/XR Design

## TOOLS

Figma, Adobe Suite
React, node, p5.js
Android Studio
C#, Java
Python, JS

## ACHIEVEMENTS

MITACS Globalink Research Award
OCADU Graduate Scholarship
INSPIRE Scholarship (Top 1% in India)

## RESEARCH

IEEVR 2023 Research paper
M.Des. Thesis