# **Ben Fraser**

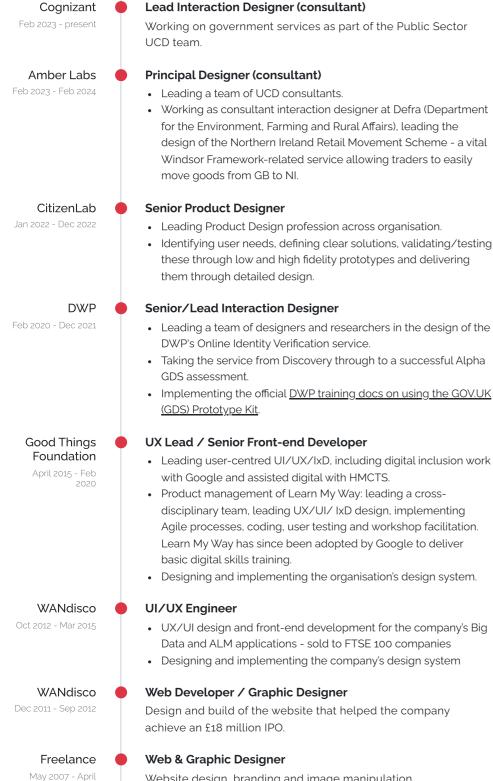
UX/Interaction/Product designer

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Having first acquired designing for humans skills through an architecture degree, I later found my calling in applying these to the field of digital product design. With experience in government, start-ups and the charitable sector, I am a versatile designer, an accomplished team leader and a proficient front-end developer.

My aim is the creation of products and services that ultimately work seamlessly for the user - irrespective of their level of skill, disability or education. It is my way of distilling my creative drive towards helping people lead better lives.

## Employment history



Website design, branding and image manipulation.

### Skills

DESIGN

UX/UI/IxD	Expert
Prototyping tools / Figma	Expert
GOV.UK Prototype Kit / Heroku	Expert
GDS Standards	Expert
Workshop facilitation	Advanced
Adobe Creative Suite	Advanced
Accessibility	Advanced
Content design	Proficient
DEV	
HTML / CSS	Expert
JavaScript	Proficient
OTHER	
French	Fluent
Logic X	Expert

### Education / Conferences

O Nov 2021, virtual event Presentation at Think Digital Identity for Government

O May 2021, GDS Government Digital Services (GDS) assessor training

- O April 2018, ILM Level 3 Award in Leadership and Management
- O Nov 2017, London Leading a usability workshop at Mozilla Fest 2017
- O Nov 2016, London Presentation at Digital Evolution conference
- O 2009 2011, University of Sheffield Website Design / Advanced Web Scripting

#### O 2007, Sheffield Teaching qualification: BTEC Level 4 Preparing To Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector (PTTLS)

O 1998 - 2001, University of Sheffield BA (Hons) Architectural Studies