GARGI DEOGHARE

MARKETING | VISUAL DESIGN | **UI/UX | BRAND & STRATEGY**

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KEY STRENGTHS

Digital Marketing Packaging Design Visual Communication UI/UX Design Graphic Design Design Thinking **Brand Identity Systems** Digital A/B testing User Centered Design User research Google Analytics Responsive Web Design Social Media (Facebook, Instagram, Email) SEO Strategy

SKILLS

Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Figma, Sketch Adobe InDesign Adobe PremierPro Adobe Creative Suite Microsoft Power Point Midjourney, Al Apps HTML/CSS

EDUCATION

2022 - 2023

Master in Business Administration (MBA) University Canada West, Canada

2018 - 2019

Master in Strategy & Innovation (M.Des.) Istituto Europeo di Design, Italy

2013 - 2017

Bachelor in Industrial Design (B.Des.) ISD Rubika, France

PROFILE

Multi-disciplinary designer with a diverse background in leading Fortune 500 companies such as PepsiCo, Philips, and Lay's, with extensive experience across North America, Europe, and Asia Pacific region. I have expertise in a wide range of design disciplines, including visual communication, digital marketing, brand strategy systems, UI/UX, graphic design, service design, branding, packaging, and web design.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Lomi, Canada

Senior Brand & Strategy Designer | 2023 - 2024

- Evaluated, designed 11+ diverse projects with zero-waste packaging strategies, boosting sustainability & brand consistency.
- Led impactful **BCorp campaign** initiatives and developed comprehensive brand identity and packaging architecture across all digital and POS platforms, securing successful marketing partnerships with Costco and Williams-Sonoma in the US and Canada, reaching 200,000+ satisfied customers.
- Directed creative management initiatives, streamlining the design process to reduce time by 3x, boosting design team efficiency.

PepsiCo, APAC

Marketing & Brand Strategy Designer | 2019 - 2021

- Founding designer of the in-house design team Asia Pacific HQ.
- Directed and supervised 40+ projects across various brand portfolios under PepsiCo, resulting in elevated customer experiences and substantial brand visibility.
- Achieved an impressive \$25 million market share for Doritos, conceptualizing UX branding strategies and campaign initiatives.
- Shaped comprehensive visual identity systems and digital solutions that reimagined the brand strategy of Mountain Dew & Quaker Oats, fueling a notable 45% surge in sales growth.
- Executed 'Lay's Heartwork' digital campaign, supporting COVID essential workers, generating 50 million impressions.
- Crafted the brand identity and packaging strategy for Cheetos in the Middle East market, yielding an exceptional engagement rate of 780,000 active interactions.

BTS Design Innovation, Italy

Senior Strategic Designer | 2018

- Collaborated with cross-functional teams for **9**+ **projects**, including Vespa, and Vittoria Arduino, to revamp their products with UX research and marketing strategies.
- Led the team in designing a successful product Halo, and achieving new business acquisitions by securing Philips Innovation as a client for the company.

Prime Studio, USA

Junior Designer | 2017

- Strategized the branding and design for 15+ companies like Harry's, Tumi and IKEA, that included packaging, product design and marketing in order to create holistic solutions.
- · Formulated successful branding, packaging, and marketing strategy for a health startup - Care/of, which raised \$12 million in Series A funding.

AWARDS

- Huawei x Wired Italy Best Design Award
- **Hisense Europe** Gold Winner - Most Innovative & Futuristic Design
- IIT IDC, Cumulus Best Sustainabilty Concept
- **Design Talent UK** Best Circular Economy Concept
- **Society Interiors** National Best Design Award

VOLUNTEER WORK

Art of Living Foundation/ Worldwide Organizing & assisting with workshops promoting mental & emotional wellbeing, cultivating a sense of community, and promoting personal growth and selfdevelopment.

Art Vancouver/ Vancouver Provided assistance with managing social media communication, installing exhibitions, and planning and executing events

The Gallery George/ Vancouver Assisted with the planning and execution of the exhibition, including promotion through the creation and distribution of marketing materials and management of social media.

OTHER LINKS

- linkedin.com/in/gargideoghare
- www.behance.net/GargiDeoghare
- www.thedexigncollect.com
- adplist.org/mentors/gargideoghare

Philips Innovation, India

Product Designer | 2017

- Conducted user research, analysis, and ideation to conceptualize and wireframe an internal system - Philips Medical app, resulting in a 25% increase in engagement and seamless transitions between various micro platforms.
- Implemented a strategic plan for the renowned 'Viva home appliance series' through life cycle management to tap into new market segments, resulting in a 38% sales increase.
- Facilitated a comprehensive workshop on 'The Implementation of Circular Economy', empowering a team of 45 designers with advanced design knowledge and upskilling their abilities.

Beyond Design, USA

Design Intern | 2016

- Engaged with American healthcare company Medline, by conducting focus group interviews, ethnographic studies, and onsite research to support the launch of their Oral Kit series. surpassing 120% profit projections.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams for product design and research-based projects, including Harley Davidson, Zebra and Remington razors.
- Internship experience video: bit.ly/4c3ePdI

OTHER CLIENTS

PHILIPS

Developed baby care product and app for millennial parents.

harman/kardon

Designed 'Aura' speaker for connected homes.

Hisense

Designed an entertainment ecosystem for the new gen.

DECATHLON

Conceptualised sports good for newbies and professionals.

FEATURED INTERVIEWS & TALKS

Strate School of Design / Masterclass Presentation on portfolio, internship & job market.

Women in Design / Featured Designer Blog link: bit.ly/3NqycEj

Design Diffusion / Design Week Speaker

Video link: bit.ly/3Vq7Jew

ADPList/ Top 1% Design Mentor Blog link: bit.ly/3VorJSM

Prime Studio/ Featured Designer

Blog link: bit.ly/3X74EAk