# **Chris McGaughey**

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User Focused • Cross-Functional Collaboration • Operations Management • Data-Driven Analysis

### **Professional Summary**

Strategic collaborator with a record of delivering innovative solutions across software development, marketing, and design. I successfully launched digital platforms engaging over 50,000 users and empowering creators through intuitive self-service tools. I am skilled in improving operational efficiency, aligning diverse stakeholders, and facilitating international collaboration to drive impactful business outcomes.

#### **Skills**

Product Discovery • Stakeholder Partnerships • Roadmap Management • SDLC Management • Distributed Team Management • Product Strategy • Risk Management • Market Research • Al Integration • Product Design • Problem Analysis • Mobile Development • Javascript • SQL

#### **Experience**

Freelance: (November 2025 - Present)

- Serenity Acres Farm (Shopify)
  - Enhanced the online store by highlighting high-contrast CTAs for easy navigation and unifying the design system for effortless, on-brand updates.
  - Leveraged GPT-40 to master Shopify Liquid: updated cart & social-media icons and troubleshot code via Al.
- Design Templates & Al Prototypes
  - Designed versatile Canva templates for social posts, enabling plug-and-play branding and copy across multiple clients.
  - Explored Lovable dev for frontend prototyping and cut initial mockup time from a full day to under two hours while surfacing backend limitations.

**TuneGO:** Product / QA Manager (April 2020 - November 2024)

- Internal CMS & Executive Dashboard
  - Saved 6+ hours for each bespoke creator drop.
  - Prototyped a dashboard to centralize executive reporting.
  - o Conducted interviews and prototyped UX enhancements for improvements to internal tools.
- QuickSight Analytics Automation
  - Automated AWS→QuickSight pipeline, cutting engineering oversight by 50%.
  - Scheduled email reports to deliver real-time metrics to stakeholders.
  - Provided a self-serve data portal, eliminating the need for manual data pulls.
- Design Prototyping and Copywriting updates
  - Updated copy and made basic design updates to avoid the need to include marketing and design teams in simple updates.
  - Produced early feature wireframes, to align stakeholders on functionality.
- Software & Product Team Management
  - o Directed 10–15 cross-regional team members, managing roadmaps, backlogs & releases.
  - Centralized discovery and priorities in Notion for transparent goal-setting.
  - o Led user interviews and market research to surface opportunities for leadership.
- Software QA & Automation
  - Evaluated and implemented test-automation tools, saving 1 hour per regression cycle.
  - o Reviewed offshore TestRail suites to ensure production readiness.

#### Walt Disney World: Data Analyst (July 2019 - November 2020)

- Conducted audits to ensure accurate employee pay.
- Reported scheduling and pay software errors to improve SQL queries and help improve audit efficiency.
- Provided pay support for Walt Disney World leaders and employees by phone and email.

## **Education**

Bachelors of Arts, Philosophy, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky