# Vika Mikhlai | Product Designer (UX/UI)

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UX/UI Designer with **2+ years** of experience delivering responsive, accessible, and data-driven digital experiences. Strong background in finance and front-end development, bridging business, technical, and user needs to design at scale. Skilled in accessibility (WCAG), prototyping, analytics, and cross-functional collaboration.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **UX Designer -** Truist Bank, Hybrid

Aug 2024 - Present

Truist Bank is a top-10 U.S. bank with over \$500B in assets and more than 7M digital banking customers.

- Develop and optimize **responsive web** interfaces for **online banking**, with a focus on investment and mortgage account management tools.
- Defined UX goals and questions, partnering with researchers to validate through studies and prototypes, improving adoption by 10%.
- Partnered with PMs and engineers on requirements and alignment, reducing iteration cycles by 15%.
- Champion accessibility (WCAG/ADA), increasing compliance, and reducing accessibility-related support tickets by 25%.
- Leveraged Adobe Analytics and storytelling to influence executives and drive product priorities.

### **Product Designer -** ValueGlance, Remote

Jan 2024 - Aug 2024 (Full-time) - Sep 2025 (Part-Time)

ValueGlance is a fintech startup building an investment analysis and visualization platform.

- Delivered the investment tool end-to-end from MVP to MDP, improving task completion speed by **20**% and onboarding drop-offs by **15**%.
- Conducted research and usability testing, implementing improvements that increased customer satisfaction by 25% and boosted retention.
- Provide ongoing design support to maintain consistency and scalability as the product evolves.

## Design Internships - Immer | Radical AI, Remote

Oct 2023 - Apr 2024

- **Immer**: Event ticketing startup. Designed onboarding and verification flows that improved customer journey efficiency; produced wireframes and prototypes supporting product launches.
- **Radical AI**: Al career coach platform. Redesigned career-coaching chat interface, improving readability and usability; delivered prototypes and visuals that drove engagement and user growth.

#### **SKILLS**

Design Tools: Figma, FigJam, Adobe Creative Suite, Miro, Jira, Airtable, Linear.

**Core Skills:** UX/UI Design, Wireframing, Prototyping, Design Systems, Accessibility (WCAG/ADA), Usability Testing, Informat Architecture, Responsive Web Design.

Methodologies: Human-Centered Design, Agile, Lean UX, Design Sprint.

**Technical:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript (React basics), Tailwind. **Analytics:** Adobe Analytics, A/B Testing, Data-Driven Design.

#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor's degree in Economics | Belarusian State Economic University
Google UX Design Certificate | Coursera
Web Development & JavaScript Certifications | freeCodeCamp

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