Band Responsive Website design

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Project overview



The product:

This product is created to listen and buy an indie rock bands album.



Project duration:

Oct. 2022- Nov. 2022







Project overview



The problem:

The problem that needed to be solved was to create a responsive website for an Indie Rock band for the fans and potential fans to listen to and buy the album.



The goal:

The goal is to help the Indie Rock band get their music out for people to hear and buy.



Project overview



My role:

My role in this project was Lead UX/UI designer, and Lead UI/UX researcher, as I created it alone.



Responsibilities:

My responsibilities for this project include User research, wireframing, prototyping, study findings and mockups.



Understanding the user

- User research
- Personas
- Problem statements
- User journey maps

User research: summary

My research was conducted by showing each of my participants the functioning wireframes and mockups. Each of them were following a set of questions to navigate their way through the responsive website. It was conducted in person and also through zoom, where I sent the link to the participants and watched as they conducted the study.



User research: pain points



Pain point

Not being able to buy the merchandise



Pain point

The menu was not sticky and was floating



Pain point

The homepage was always returned to when hitting the logo



Persona: Linda

Problem statement:

Linda is a financial investor who needs to find a way to listen and buy her favorite bands music because she likes to listen to music while she works.



Linda

Age: 24 Education: USC

Hometown: Charlotte, NC

Family: 1 sibling

Occupation: Financial investment

banker

"Investment banking is the best job."

Goals

 Find a way to listen to her favorite band and buy the album, in one place.

Frustrations

 Always has to buy the album before listening

Linda is a music enthusiast, as a Investment Banker, she eniovs listening to music while she works. The problem that Linda has, is that she often has to buy the album she wants to hear before listening to it all. She would like an easier way to listen to the song before buying the whole album.

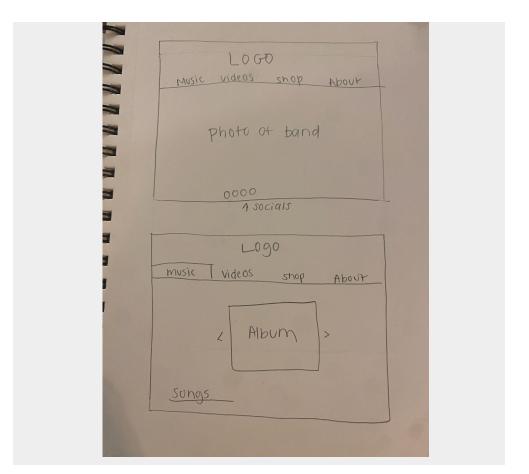


Starting the design

- Paper wireframes
- Digital wireframes
- Low-fidelity prototype
- Usability studies

Paper wireframes

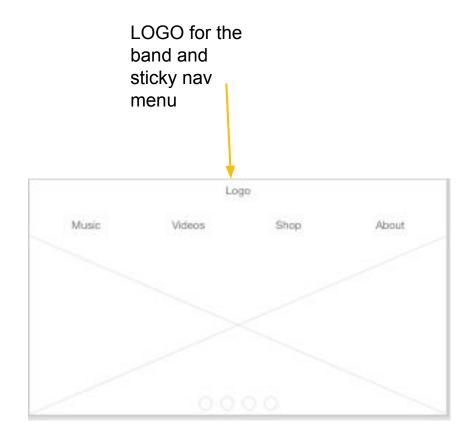
My goal was to create a paper wireframe that was good so i could transfer to digital.





Digital wireframes

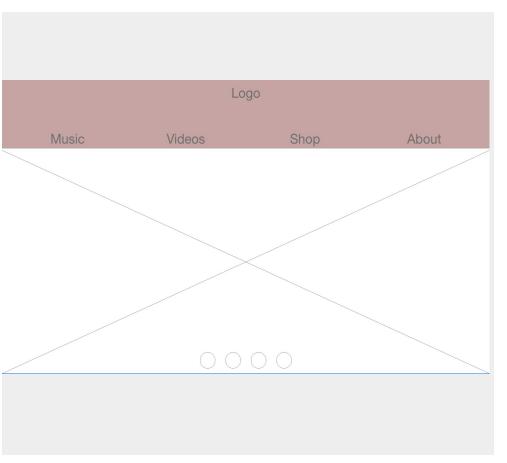
My goal was to create a good wireframe to work off of as I created my website.





Low-fidelity prototype

https://xd.adobe.com/view/115a6 ed1-b4fc-42cd-b90e-a9dfb6b5a34 b-4409/





Usability study: findings

findings

- People found it weird that the shop wasn't obvious in the picture
- 2 The header wasnt sticking correctly so i fixed it to be fixed at the top
- The social medias was not very obvious for people to realize what it was



Refining the design

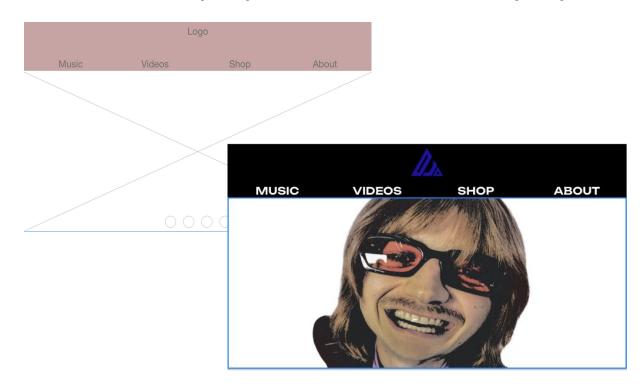
- Mockups
- High-fidelity prototype
- Accessibility

Mockups

Before I conducted my research, the stick nav menu wasn't sticking so every page would have a random screen flowing behind the content

Before usability study

After usability study





Mockups















High-fidelity prototype

Desktop

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Mobile

https://xd.adobe.com/vie w/a104aa06-55fd-4449-9 2b5-551b5c661532-f457/







Accessibility considerations

1

An accessibility consideration that i applied to my designs were the use of icons throughout the website

2

An accessibility consideration that i applied to my designs was the use of contrasting colors.

3

An accessibility consideration that i applied to my designs was the use of a easy to read typeface and font.



Going forward

- Takeaways
- Next steps

Takeaways



Impact:

The impact this design had was little since it was a course project, but as i tested it on others I had positive feedback.



What I learned:

In this project, I learned that making an responsive design website is good because you think about the web and mobile sites and how the designs coincide and differ.



Next steps

1

The first step would be to show to the band to see their critiques and edits. 2

The second step would be to find a team of engineers that can build this design to make it functional.

3

The third step would be to Publish it to the web for the band.



Let's connect!



Thank you for reviewing this. If you would like more information on this project or me feel free to reach out!

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