

# Xiaowei (Ivy) Chen | Senior Product Designer

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Product designer with 8+ years building 0–1 enterprise SaaS platforms, cloud infrastructure, AI-driven tools, and mobile apps. Experienced in creating clarity out of complexity and crafting scalable design systems that grow with business needs.

## EXPERIENCE

### F5 (NGINX) – Senior User Experience Designer | Austin, TX October 2024 - Present

- Launched NGINX SaaS within 3 months, leveraging performance data and user insights to drive multi-cloud expansion across Azure and Google Cloud, achieving adoption in 5+ international markets.
- Led 3 iterative UX cycles and validated 20+ design concepts for the F5 AI Gateway, delivering LLM-based data security and bridging key usability gaps through a visualized, intuitive experience.
- Improved end-to-end user experience by designing dashboard metrics and deployment workflows through applying user-centric design solutions, boosting user engagement by 12% and user satisfaction rate by 10%.
- Led UX initiatives to streamline SaaS onboarding experience, increasing user acquisition and targeting 75 clients and 4,500 instances.
- Hosted bi-weekly ‘UX office hour’ sessions and maintained the internal UX charter page, aligning design priorities across product and engineering teams and managing incoming product requests.

### iFolio Cloud – Head of UX/UI, Founding Designer | Austin, TX April 2024 - October 2024, 2016-2017

- Improved marketing campaigns and analytics experience through user feedback and data insights, increasing adoption by 20%.
- Built the help center and knowledge base by market research, reducing support tickets by 15% and boosting user engagement by 30%.
- Created the MVP web builder powering the platform for 7+ years, supporting 3M+ live fundraising campaign sites and raising \$4B+, increasing donors by 50% and funds raised by 45%.

### Fungible (acquired by Microsoft Azure) – Product Designer | Austin, TX January 2020 - September 2022

- Launched Fungible Data Center Composer from 0–1, applying market research and UX strategy to design the end-to-end SaaS experience for a virtualized bare-metal data center, delivering 4–5x AI workload performance over AWS and Google Cloud.
- Designed and delivered core experiences for environment deployment, tagging, filtering, and dashboards across 3 major releases, driving adoption among 10+ enterprise clients (including Tesla and T-Mobile) and achieving \$1M ARR in the first year.
- Built 5 scalable design library components and pattern guidelines for the design system, reducing frontend development time by 40%.

### Cloudistics (acquired by Lenovo Data Center) – Interaction Designer | Reston, VA November 2017 - January 2020

- Designed and delivered 20+ key features with iterative UX design processes, reducing deployment cycles by up to 90% through public cloud-level automation, agility, and simplicity in enterprise private cloud environments.
- Designed hybrid cloud and workload migration workflows, increasing monetization by 15% and reducing migration errors by 30%.
- Built advanced dashboard visualizations for monitoring infrastructure health, speeding up IT incident detection and resolution by ~50%.

### Rent. (a Redfin company) – UX Design Contractor | Atlanta, GA September 2017 - November 2017

- Improved search and filter experiences for ApartmentGuide.com and Rent.com by prototyping and A/B testing mobile hybrid map search and search result list, increasing conversion rates by 5–10% across web and mobile, and enhancing search efficiency by 22%.

### Coca-Cola – UX Design Intern | Atlanta, GA May 2016 - August 2016

- Redesigned Coca-Cola’s internal device monitoring dashboard to support IT diagnostics and asset budgeting, translating insights from 6 stakeholder interviews into 3 interactive prototypes that improved data visibility by 20% and issue resolution accuracy by 15%.

## EDUCATION

**GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY** – Master of Science, Human-Computer Interaction | Atlanta, GA 2015-2017

**ZHEJIANG UNIVERSITY** (#45 U.S. News Global Ranking) – Bachelor of Engineering, Industrial Design | China 2011-2015

## RECOGNITIONS

**Red Dot Design Award (top 8%)** – Stablow: ergonomic household wash basin (non-slip and non-splashing) 2013

**iF Design Award** – Truly Touch-Type: keyboard concept 2014

**Mobile HCI Conference** – MusiSkate: enhancing the skateboarding experience through musical feedback 2016

**Certificate of Design Patent** – China (No.201420075755.3) 2014

## SKILLS

- Design:** User interface design, user experience design, responsive web design, mobile app design, accessibility design, agile environment, Enterprise SaaS design, design system, user flow, concept sketch, wireframes, high-fidelity prototype
- User Research:** User interview, usability testing, A/B testing, qualitative research, quantitative research, competitive analysis
- Tools & Tech:** Figma, Adobe XD, Jira, Confluence, GitLab, Miro, ProtoPie, Principle, LucidChart, HTML/CSS