

# Theodore Zurek-Dunne

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## Professional Summary

Versatile **Full-Stack Developer** and UI/UX Designer with **7+ years of experience** delivering high-impact digital solutions. Proven track record of enhancing user experiences, optimizing performance, and driving business growth through innovative web applications and design systems.

## Skills & Technologies

Full-Stack Development | UI/UX Design | Frontend & Backend Development | Design Systems | Agile Methodologies | SEO Optimization | Project Management | Team Collaboration | Emerging Technologies

Typescript | React | Git | Tailwind | NextJs | NodeJs | Figma | Docker | MongoDB | Netlify | HTML5 | CSS3 | NestJs | GraphQL | SASS | Socket.io | Vue | Svelte | Pnpm | Npm | SvelteKit | Cypress | HTTP/REST

## Professional Experience

### Structura Biotechnology Inc - (Full-Stack Developer) | July 2024 - September 2024

- ◆ Refactored legacy Meteor-based methods, resulting in **16% faster API response times** and a more maintainable codebase.

### Indie Tech - (Full-Stack Developer, UI/UX Designer) | May 2022 - June 2024

- ◆ Spearheaded UI/UX overhaul, resulting in a **43% improvement in user testing scores** and a **27% decrease in UI-related support tickets**
- ◆ Implemented design systems and reusable components, **reducing development time by 33%** and decreasing technical debt **by 42%**
- ◆ Collaborated to build full contract creation flow with DocuSign integration
- ◆ Collaborated to ensure **SOC 2 compliance**, enhancing data security

### Kato.Studio - (Founder) | October 2020 - July 2021

- ◆ Elevated client websites to achieve **95+ Lighthouse scores**, resulting in an **average increase of 53% in organic traffic** and a **152% decrease in bounce rates**
- ◆ Engineered custom CMS and microservices architecture, **improving content management efficiency by an average of 62%**
- ◆ Simplified Google Analytics for clients, leading to better visibility and data-driven decision-making
- ◆ Leveraged emerging industry trends to deliver innovative solutions, resulting in a **100% client satisfaction rate**

### Freelance - (Full-Stack Developer) | December 2019 - October 2020

- ◆ Collaborated with cross-functional teams to integrate design concepts and backend functionality, **reducing project timelines by 27%**
- ◆ Contributed to design systems and reusable components, increasing development **efficiency by 43%**
- ◆ Delivered innovative solutions that exceeded client expectations, resulting in a **100% client retention rate**

### SalesGrowth Development Inc - (Frontend Engineer, UI/UX Designer) | December 2018 - December 2019

- ◆ Optimized four client websites, **improving SEO rankings by an average of 21%**, **accessibility scores by 42%**, and load times by **22%**
- ◆ Led comprehensive redesign of the client application, resulting in a **65% increase** in user adoption
- ◆ Enhanced usability in existing client applications, leading to a **32% reduction** in user-reported issues and a **28% increase** in user satisfaction scores

### Freelance - (Graphic Designer) | January 2016 - December 2018

- ◆ Collaborated with **23 clients** to identify and execute optimal design solutions
- ◆ Delivered tailored solutions for rebranding, packaging, and marketing materials, **resulting in an average 45% increase** in brand recognition for clients

## Awards & Achievements

- ◆ Winner of the 2019 McMaster Design League UI/UX Designathon
- ◆ Achieved **100% on-time project delivery** rate across all roles
- ◆ Consistently received 5-star client ratings for freelance projects