## Vlad-Matei Ciutacu

**UX Designer & Technology Enthusiast** 

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#### Bio

UX designer and technology leader with 10+ years of experience building user-focused platforms across e-commerce, footwear, and digital media. Skilled at blending strategic vision with hands-on design and development to build impactful, scalable digital products that drive business growth and user engagement.

# **Work Experience**

### World Wide Zoo

Bucharest, Romania | https://wwz.ro

Chief Executive Officer 2020 - Present

### **Sneaker Industry**

Bucharest, Romania | https://sneakerindustry.ro

Chief Technology Officer 2021 - 2024

Information Technology

**Digital Marketing Specialist** 2019 - 2021

Marketing

**User Experience Designer** (Intern) 2019 - 2019

Customer Experience

### **Sneaker Industry**

Bucharest, Romania | https://sneakerindustry.ro

**Product Photographer** 2015 - 2016

Photography

## Suburban Magazine

Bucharest, Romania | https://suburbanmagazine.ro

**Event Photographer** 2013 - 2016

Photography

UZR.ro

Bucharest, Romania | https://uzr.ro

**Event Photographer** 2012 - 2013

Photography

# **Education**

# The Hague University of Applied Sciences

Bachelor of Science (BSc)

2016 - 2020

Communication and Multimedia Design Specialization: UX Design | Grade: 7.6/10

# **Skills**

#### **Tech Skills**

Python, React, Next.js, PHP, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, SQL, NoSQL, REST APIs, Frontend and Backend Development

#### Soft Skills

User Research, Design Thinking, Problem Solving, Project Management, Communication, Stakeholder Management

#### **Tools**

Adobe Creative Suite, Jira, Confluence, Google Analytics, Slack, Shopify, PrestaShop, ERP Systems, CRM Software

# Languages

 Romanian
 C2

 English
 C1

 French
 A2

# Selected Projects

## **Sneaker Market Romania**

Sneaker blog and community platform. Romania's first sneaker community, founded in 2014. Trusted media partner for 50+ retailers.

### **SNKRIND Stock Checker**

Real time online stock checker tool. Developed for local retailer Sneaker Industry to help customers check product stock across stores.