

Rebecca Stephenson

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EXPERIENCE

Founding Product Designer

Finerty, Dublin

Feb 2026 - Present

- Founding Product Designer for an early-stage fintech startup, owning the end-to-end product design process from discovery through delivery.
- Conducted user research with financial advisors, mapped customer journeys, and translated insights into product strategy and intuitive user experiences.
- Designed and built the company's design system, product UI, and brand identity, creating a scalable foundation for product development.
- Designed AI-powered workflows and experiences, incorporating third-party integrations to support future platform growth.
- Collaborated directly with the CEO, CTO, and developers to shape product direction, prioritise features, and deliver high-quality user experiences.
- Created interactive prototypes, investor pitch decks, and branded assets that supported fundraising efforts, contributing to strong investor interest and a signed €500,000 term sheet.

Senior UX/UI Designer

Finspo, Melbourne

Feb 2024 - Feb 2026 (2 years)

- Led all design work across Finspo's website and web app.
- Own end-to-end design process: research, wireframing, prototyping, testing, and visual design.
- Collaborate with product, development, and marketing teams to deliver cohesive user experiences.
- Drive user-centred design improvements reflected in 350+ 5-star customer reviews highlighting ease of use.
- Develop and maintain the design system to ensure consistency and scalability across products.

UX/UI Designer

Macquarie University, Sydney

Nov 2022 - May 2023 (7 months)

- Led the design of a cybersecurity training platform from concept to delivery.
- Conducted user research to inform product strategy and user experience decisions.
- Created wireframes and interactive prototypes to communicate design solutions.
- Collaborated with external stakeholders including KPMG and the University of Technology Sydney (UTS).
- Assessed the final product and provided feedback to refine usability and visual consistency.

UX/UI Designer

Matrix Internet, Dublin (agency)

Oct 2021 - Oct 2022 (1 year)

- Collaborated with clients to design websites, SaaS products, and mobile apps.
- Conducted UX workshops to define user needs, goals, and product requirements.
- Created sitemaps, wireframes, and high-fidelity designs to guide development.
- Presented interactive prototypes to stakeholders for feedback and approval.
- Worked closely with clients throughout the design process to ensure satisfaction and smooth handover to development teams.

PROFILE

A creative and empathetic product designer with 5 years of experience designing websites, SaaS products and training platforms. Working in a variety of industries, including Fintech, Education, Aviation, E-commerce and Local Services.

EDUCATION

Post-Graduate Certificate in UX Design

Institute of Art Design and Technology

Oct 2020 - March 2021

B.A (Hons) in Communication Studies

Dublin City University

Sept 2014 - May 2017

Industry Knowledge

- Design research
- UX/UI design
- Wireframing
- Prototyping
- Development review & support
- Usability Testing
- Design systems

Tools & Technologies

- Figma
- Miro
- Adobe Photoshop
- Jira

Portfolio

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