

# EDGARS OZOLS

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# Product Designer and Manager

# About me:

With 10+ years in product design and innovation, I blend strategy with creativity to bring ideas to life. Data-driven and user-focused, I lead teams with energy and a clear vision, creating products that genuinely connect with people and deliver meaningful results.

# SKILLS

#### Tools

Figma | Miro | Jira | HTML5 | CSS3 | Google Workspace | MS Office | Adobe Suite | Asana | OpenAl |

#### Hard skills

Product Lifecycle Management | User-Centric Design & UX | Problem Solving | UI Design system | Responsive Design | Agile Tools | Visual Content Strategy | SEO |

#### Soft skills

Stakeholder Communication | Industry Trend Awareness | Emotional Intelligence | Team Leadership Personnel Management | Conflict Resolution | Project Planning| Innovative Thinking

#### Languages

English: Business Russian: Fluent German: Basic

# WORK EXPERIENCE

## PRODUCT ASSISTANT • LONGO GROUP | 02/2024 | - PRESENT

- Shapes product vision, driving **15% growth** in user engagement.
- Leads cross-functional delivery, improving project efficiency by **20%**.
- Develops apps, e-commerce, and integrates AI for 25% faster processes.
- UX through design support and feedback-driven improvements.

## PRODUCT DESIGNER • FREELANCE & BUSINESS | 01/2023 | - 02/2024

- Created UX/UI strategies, boosting client satisfaction by 30%.
- Led front-end projects to enhance user engagement.
- Built e-commerce sites, increasing sales by 25%.
- Advised on digital strategy to optimize web presence.

## TEAM MANAGER | VUGD | 09/2017 - 01/2023

- Led Agile teams in high-stakes scenarios, boosting resilience.
- Developed team skills, increasing effectiveness by 30%.
- Optimized processes to maximize team productivity.

## PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT MANAGER | AS "LIDO" | 02/2014 – 06/2016

- Managed full product lifecycle, from concept to launch.
- Led 100+ cross-functional team to drive product innovation growth.
- Delivery timelines by streamlining workflows and aligning team efforts.

#### **EDUCATION**

- Relevant Certifications: UX/UI Design, Agile Methodologies, Product Management (if applicable)
- Fire Safety & Civil Defense Technician College
- Restaurant Management Riga Trade Technical School