

CONNOR HEAGY

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Education

Grinnell College

B.A. Computer Science & B.A. Studio Art

Grinnell, IA

Expected May 2026

Relevant Coursework: Object-oriented problem solving, imperative problem solving, functional problem solving, artificial intelligence, analysis of algorithms, software design & development

Experience

UX/UI Designer

April 2026 – Present

Mentor A Promise

New York, NY

- Ensured designs meet accessibility standards (e.g., WCAG) and reflect inclusive, and child-centered principles.
- Created wireframes, prototypes, and high-fidelity designs that align with product goals and user needs.
- Conducted user research and gather insights from students, mentors, staff, and families to inform design decisions.

Product Designer, Co-founder

August 2025 – Present

Velox LLC

Grinnell, IA

- Designed **100+ high-fidelity Figma mockups** and **20+ wireframes**, building a library of **30+ components**
- Led user research, synthesizing insights into **3 personas** and conducted **25 usability tests** to refine workflows.
- Collaborated with engineers, designing database schema to ensure seamless backend integration supporting UI features.
- Developed responsive **HTML/CSS email templates** for authentication flows and marketing campaigns

UX Undergraduate Researcher, Machine Learning in Running Plan Generation

Summer 2025

Grinnell College

Grinnell, IA

- Designed and tested **application interface prototypes** emphasizing minimalist data visualization.
- Synthesized **user research from 8 NCAA coaches interviews** into design specifications and persona creation.
- Deployed UX methodologies into **Agile workflow**, contributing to rapid design and rigorous refinement processes.
- Produced research paper, presenting findings at Grinnell College MAP symposium.

Graphic Designer

August 2023 - May 2025

GOGUE Student Magazine

Grinnell, IA

- Designed **75+ finalized magazine spreads** and with over **10+ reusable InDesign templates**.
- Collaborated with editorial team to create visual spreads, abiding by copyediting protocol to ensure high quality.
- Led feedback and template creation sessions, prioritizing accessibility design and cohesive brand image.

Projects

Echo - Music Sharing & Discovery Platform | *Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS*

August 2025

- Developed **15 high-fidelity Figma mockups**, with a library of **5 reusable components**.
- Conducted **4 observation user interviews** and **2 user personas** to identify pain points in interface workflow.
- Integrated **CI/CD pipeline** for scalable and verifiable code-base, developing responsive HTML pages with consist CSS.

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, C, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, SQL, Scheme, R

Developer Tools: VS Code, Git, Postgres, MongoDB

Technologies/Frameworks: Figma, Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, Acrobat, Lightroom, GIMP, GitHub, FastAPI

Leadership / Extracurricular

NCAA DIII Cross Country & Track Athlete

August 2022 – Present

Team Captain

Grinnell College XCTF

- Received All-Regional Academic Award, given to the top **25% of finishers** at Regionals with an exceptional GPA.
- Inducted into Chi Alpha Sigma chapter for exemplifying exceptional student athlete qualities.
- Maintaining a well-managed schedule with academics and athletes, committing a **minimum of 20 hours per week** for practice, captain meetings, races, and traveling.