

BANTA KANDJI SYLLA

UX/UI Designer • Interactive Designer • Creative Technologist

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SUMMARY

Creative and results-driven **UX/UI Designer** and **Interactive Designer** with a strong foundation in **Computer Science**, **Web Development**, and **Digital Design**. Skilled in designing intuitive and responsive user experiences using **Figma**, **Adobe XD**, and the **Adobe Creative Suite**. Proficient in **HTML**, **CSS**, **JavaScript**, **Python**, **C#**, **C++**, and **Java**. A collegiate athlete with proven **discipline**, **teamwork**, and **adaptability**. Passionate about merging technology, creativity, and human-centered design to craft experiences that are both impactful and innovative.

EXPERIENCE

UX/UI Design Intern | **Cotton Citizen Fashion**

Remote / Los Angeles, CA | Oct 2025 – Present

- Integrating into the **UX/UI design team** and collaborating on digital initiatives.
- Enhancing **user experience** across e-commerce platforms through layout and wireframe feedback.
- Supporting **front-end design** and visual consistency with creative and marketing teams.

Multiple Roles | **City Market**

Grand Junction, CO | 2020 – Present

- Provided high-quality **customer service** in a fast-paced retail environment.
- Improved **organization** and **efficiency** through inventory and order fulfillment.

Collegiate Basketball Player | **Ottawa University**

Ottawa, KS | 2021 – 2025

- Developed **teamwork** and **leadership** through high-level athletic competition.
- Balanced academics and athletics, demonstrating **discipline** and **time management**.

Mountain Peer Advisor + Teacher's Aid | **CU Boulder**

Boulder, CO | June 2024

- Mentored **first-generation college students** through academic and personal development.
- Led group sessions and supported classroom instruction for **student success**.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science | Ottawa University | 2021 – 2025

Outstanding Student in Computer Science Award • Near Completion: **Cybersecurity Specialization** • Completed: **IT Specialization** • Dean's Honor Roll (multiple semesters)

PROJECTS

Capstone Project | UX/UI Design & Development (2025)

- Designed a responsive web platform emphasizing **accessibility** and **user engagement**.
- Conducted **user research** and **usability testing** to refine design decisions.

Special Topics Project | Soldering, Programming, & 3D Printing (2023)

- Created an interactive hardware prototype using **embedded systems** and **3D fabrication**.

SKILLS

UX/UI & Interactive Design: Figma, Adobe XD, Photoshop, Illustrator, Wireframing, Prototyping

Web & Software Development: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python, C#, C++, Java

IT & Cybersecurity: Networking, Cloud Computing, Secure UX, Web Security

Digital Fabrication: Fusion 360, Blender, Cura, Simplify3D

Multimedia & Branding: Motion Graphics, Video Editing, Graphic Design, Digital Advertising

Languages: English (Fluent), French (Limited Working)