

# Maria Silva

## UX/UI Designer

with Frontend Background

Based in Portugal

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### Skills

Figma, Adobe XD, HTML, CSS, Sass/SCSS, JS, jQuery, Vue.js

User Research, Wireframes, Brainstorming, Mockups, Prototypes, Feedback Iteration, Responsive & Accessible Design

Empathy, Creativity, Problem Solving, Communication, Teamwork, Fast Learner

### Experience

#### UX Designer & Web Developer @ **Terminalfour**

Oct 2023 - Sep 2025, Remote, Portugal

Worked with over 20 clients, consistently receiving excellent feedback for creative and technical solutions; built strong client relationships, with multiple clients expressing a preference to collaborate with me on future projects due to exceptional results; hosted discovery calls to understand client needs and presented design mockups using Figma, usually after 1-3 iterations of feedback depending on project complexity; designed and implemented responsive, accessible web solutions using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and occasionally Bootstrap, Tailwind, and SCSS, based on client preference; conducted QA testing for HTML validation, accessibility compliance, and browser/device responsiveness.

#### Junior Web Designer & Consultant @ **VILT**

Aug 2022 - Jun 2023, Braga, Portugal

Implemented pages for clients using HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Javascript and jQuery; edited contents and templates in OpenText WEM system; helped with content migration; and held employee training sessions.

#### Professional Services Trainee @ **VILT**

Sep 2021 - Jun 2022, Braga, Portugal

Researched UX process, conducted UX research with company employees and designed an internal allocation map solution for time management during MSc dissertation internship.

### Education

#### MSc in Software Engineering at University of Minho

2020 - 2022, Braga, Portugal

Dissertation: "Improve human resources management via UX/UI"

#### BSc in Software Engineering at University of Minho

2017 - 2020, Braga, Portugal