



## Product Designer

### ABOUT OLIO:

OLIO is the world's only neighbour-to-neighbour food sharing app, and our mission is to solve the problem of food waste in the home & local community, at scale. We do this by connecting anyone with spare food – which can be households or food businesses – with neighbours living nearby who would like it. Globally, over one third of all the food we produce gets thrown away, which is worth over \$1 trillion; and in a country like the UK half of all food waste takes place in the home. OLIO solves this problem with our award-winning mobile & web app. We now have 4 million users who have given away 25 million portions of food, in 59 countries.

Underpinning OLIO's incredible growth has been our volunteer programme, with over 50,000 people reaching out to spread the word about OLIO in their local community. We also work with over 2,500 business locations across the UK via our [Food Waste Heroes Programme](#) to enable them to have zero food waste locations.

We have a bold ambition to have 1 billion OLIOers by 2030, given that reducing food waste has been identified as the most important thing humanity can do to mitigate the worst effects of the climate crisis. Our work has been widely recognised, most notably by the United Nations who highlighted OLIO as a "beacon" for the world, and by Vivatech who awarded OLIO "Next European Unicorn".

### JOIN OUR TEAM!

In order to accelerate OLIO to its next level in growth and impact, we are recruiting for a **Product Designer**. You will report Michael Barsties, Head of the Volunteer Programme with a dotted reporting line into Seongah Ha, Product Designer.

In this role you will be responsible for:

- UI and UX OLIO Volunteer Hub (web based), in Google's Material Design
- Undertaking user research and reviewing engagement data to ensure a user-centric design process
- Designing, wireframes and mock-ups of simple, engaging experiences for our volunteers
- Liaising with the development & product stakeholders to get feedback on, and buy-in for, your proposed designs
- Delivering detailed, pixel perfect assets and specs to our developers
- Continuously think about how to improve the user experience across

- our products
- Keeping up to date with the latest guidelines and trends for mobile design

Once you have proven yourself you will have great freedom and autonomy, coupled with an enormous opportunity for personal development. All of our roles are remote working roles, however for London-based team members there is the ability to co-work as well. We live for our mission, but like to have fun along the way!

### **IS THIS YOU?**

Our ideal candidate will first and foremost be as passionate about our mission as we are! In addition to this, you will have the following experience and skills:

- Experience in UX is essential
- Experience in Materialise design is preferred
- Expert knowledge in user experience principles, graphic design and responsive web standards
- Strong visual design skills evidenced by examples of where you've created pixel-perfect consumer products
- Recognise the value of getting an MVP into the market and learning and iterating from there
- Passion for user research and metrics that track product successes
- Expert level in Sketch/Photoshop and Illustrator
- Experience in creating interactive prototypes (ideally Figma)
- Experience creating navigation and page layout/templates, functional design, iconography, look and feel and style guides
- An eye for detail

And all OLIO team members share these attributes:

- A self-starter with a 'can-do' attitude
- Resourceful and creative
- "Heads up" rather than "Heads down" approach, know when to ask for help
- A problem solver
- Thorough, able to move quickly and decisively but knowing when compromises make sense and when not
- A ruthless ability to prioritise
- Excellent communication skills - especially sharing knowledge and findings
- Ability to develop the best solution, even if this isn't the solution you've proposed
- Fun to work with 😊

### **SALARY**

£25,000 - £36,000 per year depending on experience, must be eligible to work in the UK

### **HOW TO APPLY**

Please send your CV and covering email **by 5pm on Friday 8th October 2021** explaining why you like OLIO and why you are the right person for this role to [careers@olioex.com](mailto:careers@olioex.com). Please use the subject line – Application: Product Designer