Charlotte Ristiniemi

Senior Design System Engineer
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Frontend engineer focused on the front of the stack — UI, user experience, and visual detail. I care about how products look and feel. I have led large migrations and rebrands, work closely with design, and have deep experience building design systems and AI-assisted UI workflows.

SKILLS

React · TypeScript · Next.js · Tailwind · Radix UI · RSC

Design tokens · theming · Storybook · Vite · Vitest

MCP · AI SDK · agent skills · Figma · user research

pnpm · Turborepo · Vercel · jscodeshift · monorepo

LANGUAGES

Swedish · native
English · fluent

EDUCATION

M.Sc. Interaction Technology and Design
Umeå University · 2014 – 2019

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EXPERIENCE

Mentimeter
Senior Design System Engineer — Jan 2024 – present · Stockholm

- Own vision and strategy for Mentimeter's design system (Ragnar); grew the team from 2 to 8 and lead breaking-change rollouts across product teams.

- Enable AI-assisted development: agent skills with design intent, eval loops, MCP experiments, and shared Cursor / Claude / Codex workflows.

- Led the Fela → Tailwind migration across design system and major product surfaces — then removed the legacy CSS-in-JS stack.

- Extracted Ragnar into a standalone, versioned package with its own Storybook, release process, and consumer contract.

Mentimeter
Design System Engineer — Sep 2021 – Jan 2024 · Stockholm

- Took ownership of the design system with design — research, rearchitecture, semantic color/dark mode (with codemods), and Mentimeter's Visual Design Language (VDL).

Mentieter
Product Engineering & Design — Sep 2019 – Sep 2021 · Stockholm

- Product development across research, UX, UI, and frontend. Example: owned Comments from audience end-to-end — from discovery through shipped product.

Expressen · Sportswik
Internships
2017 – 2018

- Expressen: designed and built the interactive vote results explorer for the Swedish general election. Sportswik: iOS interview chat feature.