5 Qualities of a UX Designer

Curiosity
First and foremost, UX design is about enhancing someone's experience.

To be able to progress any platform, UX designers must constantly be asking questions and seeking answers.

Empathy
To make a user experience universally sound, its design must be inclusive of all people, customs and perspectives.

Those with the ability to see the world with another's point of view in mind will give themselves a better opportunity to succeed in UXD.

Innovation
Calling all dreamers: UX design requires abstract thinking.

It demands ideas to be pushed to the edges of what's possible, with the understanding that, oftentimes, the best ideas are the ones that seem ridiculous at first.

Resilience
Try, try and then try again.

UX design requires the ability to identify a problem and then go seek its solution(s), oftentimes with little information to work with. Your problem-solving now will lead to the user's ease later.

Communication
UX design is an extremely collaborative field.

The better you are at communicating your thoughts and ideas with others, the better equipped you'll be to add to the end design.

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