

ABOUT

I am a Graphic Designer who enjoys creating digital, print & web products that provide delightful user experiences.

I am dedicated to growth, learning new trades & software.

My aim is to generate new ideas & refining them through research & brainstorming.

Being a Designer is all about understand design principles, have strong communication & problem-solving abilities.

I believe working hard & smart with efficiency & consistency is the key to a successful career.

EDUCATION

2020 – 2023

UDEMY ONLINE COURSES:
Responsive Web Design,
Front-end Development,
UI/UX Design, Video Editing.

2013 – 2019

ETIHAD AVIATION TRAINING:
A320/321 & B777 fleet,
Aviation Safety & Health,
Premium Class Cabin Crew,
First Aid training.

2001 – 2006

BACHELOR'S DEGREE
IN GRAPHIC ARTS,
Technological Institution
of Athens, Greece.

LANGUAGES

Greek (native),
English (fluent),
German (basic).

TOOLBOX

ADOBE SUITE:
Photoshop, Illustrator,
InDesign, XD, After Effects,
Premiere Pro.

Figma, Html, Css,
Chrome Developer Tools,
Visual Studio Code,
Wordpress, Javascript,
Bootstrap.

SKILLS

- Strong communication
- Empathy •Team collaboration
- Research •Critical thinking
- Problem-solving •Multitasking
- Time management
- Attention to detail •Creativity
- Advertising & Print Media
- Visual design •Wireframing
- Prototyping



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WORK

FEB 2025 - CURRENT DESIGNER BARKING WELL MEDIA, Athens, Greece.

Design graphics for magazines and advertising. Prepare material for printing. Creating visually appealing content for social media that follow the latest trends while maintaining a consistent brand identity across all platforms.

NOV 2021 - FEB 2025 GRAPHIC, UI/UX & WEB DESIGNER FREELANCE.

Design the experience of a product by assessing the user's needs, creating prototypes and defining the user flow and the overall functionality. Provide simple solutions focusing on making responsive websites that look good on all devices. Develop graphic design work that includes brand Identity, logo design, advertising and print media. Use processes, tools and control systems to deliver projects on time. Code web projects and launch them online, aiming to improve a website's position in search results pages (SEO).

APRIL 2021 - SEP 2021 CHEF ASSISTANT LOYAL VILLAS LUXURY, Mykonos, Greece.

Serve thematic menus, within the private setting of a beautiful villa, designed to offer guests a unique culinary experience. Prepare beverages, describe ingredients and cooking methods and suggest selection of cocktails and wines.

JAN 2020 - MARCH 2021 BARISTA CABRIO, Bar Restaurant, Athens, Greece.

Preparing and serving coffee, tea, and other beverages, taking orders, handling payments, maintaining equipment, cleaning the work area and managing inventory. Responsible for understanding various drink recipes, operating specialized coffee equipment, and preparing food items like pastries or sandwiches.

FEB 2013 - OCT 2019 CABIN CREW Economy & premium class, ETIHAD AIRWAYS, Abu Dhabi, UAE.

Offer excellent customer service to guests while ensuring their comfort and safety throughout the flight. Assist passengers board the plane and give a demonstration of safety procedures and equipment. Trained to deal with security and emergency situations which may arise and can administer first aid.

FEB 2011 - DEC 2013 ART DIRECTOR GOLD (financial magazine), IMH, Nicosia, Cyprus.

JAN 2006 - DEC 2010 DESIGNER InStyle (fashion magazine), IMAKO MEDIA, Athens, Greece.

NOV 2004 - DEC 2006 DESIGNER Paidi & Neoi Goneis (parents magazine), DAPHNE GROUP, Athens, Greece.

JAN 2003 - OCT 2004 INTERN BHmagazino (new magazine), LAMBRAKI GROUP, Athens, Greece.

Design graphics for magazines and advertising. Manage client proposals from typesetting through to design, print and production. Direct art freelancers and photo shoots, edit photos, design layouts, prepare material for printing. Coordinate and discuss creative aspects with other team members working on the project. Meet deadlines while executing designing projects. Contribute to team effort by accomplishing related results as needed.

MAR 2003 - DEC 2007 WAITRESS Part-time, PAIRIDAESA, Bar Restaurant, Athens, Greece.

Greeting guests, taking orders, serving food and drinks, processing payments and maintaining cleanliness. Respond to customer complaints. Training and motivating staff, providing them with feedback.

SEP 2000 - DEC 2002 SALES REPRESENTATIVE ZARA, Athens, Greece.

Sell retail products, goods and services to customers, create solutions and ensure a smooth sales process. Demonstrating product features, collecting and processing payment.