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- Brand Architect & Visual Strategist: With over 30 years of industry leadership, I have orchestrated visual and strategic branding for a diverse clientele ranging from spirited startups to established organizations, fostering brand growth and market presence through innovative design solutions.
- Educator & Advocate for Creative Excellence: As an educator with 19 years of tenure, I've cultivated the next generation of creative professionals in branding, marketing, and design. My pedagogy is rooted in design thinking, encouraging a synthesis of creativity, technology, and business acumen.
- Innovator at the Intersection of Design & Technology: Passionate about the transformative power of design and technology, I constantly explore and integrate smart ideas into practical applications, advancing the digital culture landscape.

Expertise

Communication Designer

Strategic business thinking, market research, creativity and problemsolving. These are my tools for building cohesive and strong brands. The message always reaches the targeted audience, inspires, creates genuine value and desires to engage.

Visual Communication Designer

Working with clients to transform their briefs into inspiring designs. Designing for digital and print projects, the challenge for me is fulfilling the brand promise.

Photographer

Creating visual content and storytelling images.

Experience

• One for Brand - Branding and Design /2023 - today

Professional Al-powered graphic and communication design oneforbrand.com

Al prompts - Interactive expert-crafted Al prompts /2023 - today

Transform learning with Al-curated book prompts aiprompts.studio

OXALIS - Contemporary e-commerce store

/2023 - today

Specialising in creatively designed everyday items oxalis.com.au

Bright Minds Zone PTY LTD, Co-founder, Communication designer /2019 - 2023

Bright Minds Zone consists of 4 companies:

- unovation, Branding, Design, Marketing
- abeess, VR & AR experiences
- curioustone, Business applications Lab

SAE Creative Media Institute, Lecturer, Design Committee member /2018 - 2023

Member of the National Course committee, Teaching Branding, Marketing and Design, National Units Coordinator

- Freelance Communication & Graphic Designer /1994 today
- Cultural Infusion, Communication Design Director /2015 2016
- PSC Photography Studies College, Lecturer /2017 Design
- Visual Options, Brand Manager, Creative strategist /1997 2015 Branding and design, Visual communication

Online Services and Solutions /2005-today

Web server operator, providing web services and IT solutions. AWS, Linux OS, Apache server, cPanel web hosting

UCLAN/AAS, Lecturer /1994-2009

Creative thinking, Design, Photography and Web design.

• Freelance Photographer /1993 - 2009

Education

Communication Design, Master of Design

Swinburne University of Technology, Australia

- Graphic Design, BA (Hons) UCLAN, Great Britain
- Photography Graphic Design Santa Monica College, USA
- Computers Structured Programming North Data Thessaloniki, Greece
- Wireless Telecommunication Engineer Greek Military Air-force, Greece
- Electronic Engineer Democritus, Greece
- French Language and Literature Institut Français de Thessalonique, Greece
- Music / Violin State Conservatory of Thessaloniki, Greece

Hard Skills

- Advanced Design Software Proficiency: Expertise in the latest Adobe Creative Suite, skilled in utilising Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign for complex graphic design projects.
- Web Development: Knowledgeable in front-end development, with a focus on responsive design principles. Experience managing web services and IT solutions with AWS, Linux OS, and Apache servers.

- Al and Machine Learning: Proficient in utilising the latest Al tools from OpenAl and Midjourney for design automation, data analysis, and enhancing user experiences in digital platforms.
- **Photography**: Accomplished in analogue and digital photography with expertise in advertisement, architectural photography and portraiture using Nikon equipment.

Soft Skills

- Strategic and Creative Thinking: Demonstrated ability to combine strategic business thinking with creative innovation to develop strong brand identities and marketing solutions.
- Leadership and Collaboration: Proven leadership skills with the ability to foster collaboration among diverse teams to achieve project goals. Experience in guiding creative teams and educating aspiring designers.
- Communication and Negotiation: Strong interpersonal and communication skills, with the ability to articulate design concepts and negotiate project terms effectively with clients and stakeholders.
- **Problem-solving and Adaptability**: Adept at problem-solving and quick adaptation to new design trends, technologies, and client requirements to deliver high-quality, relevant design solutions.

Awards · Participations · Memberships

- Swinburne University of Technology, Top Graduate Prize
- University of Central Lancashire, First Class Honours
- Member of the Australian Graphic Design Association AGDA
- Member of the Golden Key International Honour Society
- EBGE Design & Illustration award Graphic Design and Motion Graphics
- SMC Four times in Dean's honour list

Pro bono

- Family Violence Mindset Solutions, Branding & Marketing
- City of Wodonga, app development
- Speak Greek In March, Melbourne Greek Community, campaign direction
- Poseidon project, presenting online the Greek maritime history