



## PIA MANZUR

Design Professional

Detail-focused, results-driven Design Professional with years of experience achieving organizational goals while maintaining high aesthetic standards. Highly-skilled with graphic design and animation. Expert in color theory, with a keen eye for style and visual composition. 3D Character/Flash animator with excellent understanding of movement, timing, rhythm, weight and great physical and acting skills. Motivational team worker with high sense of responsibility and commitment. Technically skilled, quick learning and understanding of new softwares. Fluent in Spanish, English, and proficient in German.

## PERSONAL SKILLS

Communication  
Creativity  
Teamwork Organization  
Leadership  
Agile development

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## CAREER PROGRESSION & KEY PROJECTS

- Berlin, Germany** | **Spark Networks GmbH / SENIOR MOTION GRAPHIC DESIGNER**  
Feb 2017 – Present
- **Worked** directly with the marketing and the brand team to produce new engaging assets, including TV ads, animations, banners, brands.
  - **Created** successful animations and animated videos with excellent social media performance.
  - **Created** several logos and branding for the company and its products.
- Berlin, Germany** | **AERIA GAMES GmbH / SENIOR UI ARTIST & GRAPHIC DESIGNER**  
Nov 2015 – July 2016
- **Worked** directly with the marketing team to produce new engaging assets, including UI elements/logos/backgrounds/animations for mobile games and teaser pages.
  - **Created** animated banners for web & mobile games using Adobe After Effects CC and Adobe Animation CC (former Flash).
  - **Worked** with cross-functional teams, using Agile practices.
- Berlin, Germany** | **AERIA GAMES GmbH / FREELANCE GRAPHIC DESIGNER**  
Feb 2015 – Oct 2015
- **Worked** as a UI Artist for web in-game applications.
  - **Created** user interface for concept, logo, 3D assets and animations completely from scratch for "My Box" an in-game mobile application integrated in the game "Immortalis".
- Frankfurt am Main, Germany** | **PIAMANZUR.COM / FREELANCE GRAPHIC DESIGNER & 3D CHARACTER ANIMATOR**  
Jan 2009 – Feb 2015
- Provide freelance services from this graphic design and animation studio.
- **Developed** corporate image, design websites and animated web banners for german e-commerce companies including Makant Europe GmbH and Xo-Media GmbH.
  - **Created** websites, cover arts and music videoclips for music artists.
- Santiago, Chile** | **ZONA.CL (ONLINE MAGAZINE) / ART DIRECTOR**  
2006 – 2007
- **Recruited** to build and manage the online version of Zona de Contacto printed magazine.
  - **Responsible** for the development and coordination of design, as well as maintenance.
  - **Managed** visual design, flash animations and website banners.
  - **Awarded** 1st place in Web Design at El Mercurio Journalistic Contest.
- Santiago, Chile** | **EMOL.COM / WEB & MEDIA DESIGNER**  
2005 – 2006
- **Performed** visual design and HTML & CSS templating for feature articles, interactives, and photo galleries.
  - **Maintained** Punto Mujer a subsite dedicate to a female audience, **designed** weekly fashion collections galleries and **retouched** beauty/fashion images mantaining high standards of quality.
  - **Operated** camera, **led** filming of feature videos/live events and **edited** material using Adobe Premiere.
- Santiago, Chile** | **"COMPUTER LOVE" EVENTS**  
2003 – 2006
- CREATOR, DJ, MEDIA & GRAPHIC DESIGNER**
- **Produced** artistic and electronic encounters with a group of DJs, artists, and musicians.
  - **Developed** graphic material including flyers and Flash animated visuals.
- About Computer Love:** Opened a new space for underground electro bands, attracted a massive audience during the 2000's.
- Santiago, Chile** | **ZONA DE CONTACTO (PRINTED MAGAZINE) / ART DIRECTOR**  
2001 – 2003
- **Redesigned** magazine, replacing old design with a fresh new one, increasing the percentage of readers.
  - **Awarded** the 1st place in Editorial Design category, at El Mercurio Journalistic Contest.
- About Zona de Contacto:** Iconic pop magazine, benchmark for chilean 90s youth culture.
- Santiago, Chile** | **EL MERCURIO / EDITORIAL DESIGNER**  
2001 – 2005
- **Designed** eye-catching layouts for newspaper sections and magazines, including Tech & Sci, Art & Culture, YA Magazine, El Sabado, Revista del Domingo en Viaje.
  - **Selected** graphic material for articles and frequently supplied with illustrations
  - **Managed** pre-press preparation.
  - **Collaborated** with large teams, remaining flexible and dealing with last-minute problems and tight deadlines.
- About El Mercurio:** Chile's largest news corporation, considered "Dean of the Chilean press", manages more than 20 journals & magazines, and three online news sites, most important of them, Emol.com.

## EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATES

iANIMATE.NET | Professional Animation Training, in progress.  
IDEC-UNIVERSITAT POMPEU FABRA | Master of Arts, Animation, 2008 UNIVERSIDAD DEL PACIFICO | Bachelor of Science, Graphic Design, 2000

## TECHINCAL SKILLS

Photoshop CC • Illustrator CC • Animate CC (Flash) Autodesk Maya • After Effects CC