JADE FREEDMAN GRAPHIC & WEB DESIGNER

I'm a creative, self-motivated graphic & web designer from Cape Town with over 12 yrs experience in print, web and identity design.

I'd say I'm down to earth, full of energy & a hard worker... which means I can be smart & fun at the same time! I would consider myself pretty fortunate as my profession simply lets me do what I love all day, every day!

I love all things design and seek balance between work ϑ life...Im always seeking new challenges and possibilities for personal growth. \P

My life at a glance*

INTERACTING

brainstorming / pitches meetings training & helping

THINKING

new ideas / learning planning problem solving

PRINT

identity & branding infographics corporate reports packaging

DIGITAL

web design online reports

SOCIALISING friends / parties

HOBBIES

gym / running sky diving deep sea diving

INTERESTS

new destinations new experiences design exhibitions

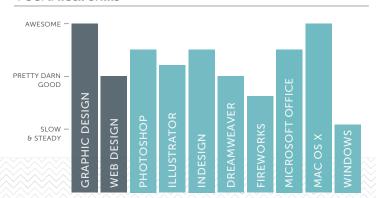
DOWNTIME

hot baths reading dreaming

Creative fields*

Branding + corporate identity + graphic design + packaging + website design + information design + typography + editorial design + photography + presentation design + photoshoot management

Technical skills*



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Qualifications & employment*

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Born 5th July, 1978

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Eden College, Gresswold - Matric, University exemption

1998

Hirt & Carter, Johannesburg

Diploma in Graphic Design & Desktop Publishing

1999

5th Dimension College of Visual Arts Web Page design & HTML Programming

MARCH 2003 - APRIL 2007

icandi interactive, Johannesburg - Graphic Designer

Creative conception ϑ design execution for marketing and collateral materials. Collaborated with design team to design and produce artwork for marketing ϑ promotional materials. Participated in production of print and promotional items for key clients

MAY 2007 - AUGUST 2008

Global Mouse, Johannesburg - Senior Graphic Designer

This senior design position gave me the chance to create, maintain and grow new and exciting brands

Successfully translated subject matter into concrete design for corporate collateral, direct-mail pieces, advertisements, invitations, logos, corporate identity systems, presentations, animated e-mailers and web sites for clients including Discovery Health, Nike and many more.

Projects were executed from start to finish.

FEBRUARY 2009 - DECEMBER 2012

Motiv, Cape Town - Head of Design

Conceived, managed and executed a wide variety of projects for a number of clients including Nedbank, Truworths, TFG (The Foschini Group), Woolworths, Adidas to name a few. Project work included visual identity development, overall communications, strategy

development, annual & online reports, booklets, brochures, greeting cards, posters, banners, promotional merchandise, photography, presentations, animated e-mailers and websites.

Art direction of photography for annual reports and marketing collateral.

JANUARY 2013 - PRESENT

Freelance Cape Town, Jo'burg - Graphic + Web Design Working on various projects ranging from branding ϑ identity, print, packaging ϑ website design for a variety of clients.

A few of my favourite things*



Why we should work together*

Ability to conceptualise and think visually.

Ability to work well alone and within a team of creatives.

Very good understanding of the principles of design and design theories.

Good technical skills enables me to use my knowledge of design principles