

Damian Blazquez

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Experienced professional seeking role in Graphical Design & Digital Art.

Diligent professional with great passion for digital art, AI and graphical design has a strong desire to further his skills and experience by succeeding in a design related role and offering high level of motivation and commitment.

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- **Software Skills:** Excellent comprehension of design softwares as well as programming languages, content management systems (CMS), social media and marketing tools, being able to work with them in an efficient and effective manner, such include: Adobe Creative Suite, Office 365, Autodesk Sketchbook Pro, HTML, CSS, PHP, MySQL, Ruby on Rails, Android IOS, WordPress CMS and many more.
- **Digital Art:** Able to create a diverse range of professional digital art and designs especially due to proficiency with drawing tablets (like Wacom Cintiq), Photoshop, Indesign, Illustrator and other support tools. Please refer to portfolio website for more insight.
- **Artificial Intelligence:** Exceptional proficiency in the utilization and modification of new technology text/image generation artificial intelligence such as ChatGPT, Stable Diffusion, Midjourney, Dall-E and ComfyUI. Being capable of producing professional quality content with ease, constantly keeping up to date with the machine learning industry to further hone my graphic design skills.
- **All-Purpose Expert:** With my extensive experience all creative possibilities are open to me, being capable of any sort of creative content manipulation which includes skills such as photo editing and manipulation, image enhancement, convert 2D to 3D, resolution optimization, sprite animation and much more.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Information Technology (2017) - Australian Catholic University (Sydney)

- **Achievements:**
 - High Academic Achievement in Business and System Analysis, Business Law, I.T. Infrastructure and more.
 - **Australian Computer Society Inc. (NSW branch) Prize:** Awarded to the outstanding graduating student in the Bachelor of Information Technology.

LATEST WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance – GRAPHIC DESIGN AND DIGITAL ARTIST

JANUARY 2020 – PRESENT

Collaborating with a wide range of clients, across multiple industries, to create illustrations, graphics, animations, assets and visual concepts which meet their desired requirements and objectives.

Achievements and Contributions:

- Launched brand identities for several clients, developing logos, fonts and colour schemes.
- Created video game assets in several art-styles and through different softwares, on limited schedules to big gaming industry clients.
- Have built strong rapport with clients, creating secure network for repeat business through clear communication and consistent follow-through which has led to exceptional client satisfaction.

Organic Farm Chile – Marketing Manager

JANUARY 2012 - PRESENT

Overseeing the online presence of family-owned agricultural company, maintaining ongoing client communication and social media presence, as well as creatives for advertisements, promotions, emails and general web UI.

Achievements and Contributions:

- Over the years have built a trusting and reputable brand in Chile's southern region, known for its environmental integrity and ethical treatment of cattle and forestry.

EiMedia and Price & Speed Containers - GRAPHIC DESIGNER AND IT

OCTOBER 2022 – JANUARY 2023

Managed the branding, web development, marketing and IT of both shipping logistics and a digital billboard network companies.

Achievements and Contributions:

- Developed marketing strategies and social media campaigns for the promotion of brands.
- Efficiently managed the billboard scheduling and maintenance systems while liaising and building good relation and reputation with other marketing partners and competitors such as oO!media, GOA and Civic.

Telstra - SALES FACILITATION & DESIGN CONSULTANT

DECEMBER 2020 – JUNE 2021

Provided support to Telstra Sales Team to effectively free them up to sell more of their internet and mobile network products to clients.

Achievements and Contributions:

- Used Salesforce CRM and company intranet for order and opportunity management to provide services for customers and Sales Team.

NSW Electoral Commission – I.T. SUPERVISOR

MARCH 2019 – MARCH 2020

Managed teams of up to twelve data-entry operators whose role was to register postal vote applications for the 2019 NSW and federal election into an election management system (EMA).

Achievements and Contributions:

- Arranged training and constructive feedback to data-entry and help desk operations staff.
- Managed team's technology needs, conducting tests and maintaining ongoing operations of all systems.

Monsanto (now Bayer) – ADMINISTRATOR/HELPDESK SUPPORT TECHNICIAN

AUGUST 2017 – JANUARY 2019

Maintained and handled customer service calls as a level 1 Help Desk Support Technician in a fast-paced operation centre environment, as well as having administrative duties to manage and monitor.

Achievements and Contributions:

- Handled 100+ daily inbound and outbound calls while providing excellent customer service to customers in relation to account support, billing and technical support.
- Administered software and hardware repairs, configurations and upgrades of computers.

VOLUNTEER PLACEMENTS

MANOS HEALING CENTRE INC.

JANUARY 2014 – OCTOBER 2016

Provided assistance during several social support programs and fundraising activities hosted by the centre, in places such as the Addison Road Community Centre.

Achievements and Contribution:

- Personally spent time and helped elderly throughout their daily activities.
- **Web Content Manager:** Helped manage information and administration of the centre's website through a content management system (CMS).