

Jose Manuel Alba

VISUAL CREATIVE DESIGNER

Video Editing and Post Production | 3d Design and Animation | UX-UI Design

With over two decades of dedicated experience in the field of visual design, I am Jose Manuel Alba, a seasoned expert in Adobe, UX/UI, logo and brand creation, as well as video editing. Throughout my career, I have honed my skills to create compelling visual experiences that leave a lasting mark.

What sets me apart is my ability to blend creativity with strategic intent. Every design I create is a meticulously curated narrative, weaving together elements that not only captivate the eye but also communicate the essence of a brand. The result? Designs that not only catch attention but also leave an indelible mark on the audience's psyche.

By collaborating with me, you're not just engaging a designer; you're partnering with a visionary who understands the language of visual communication at its deepest level. I approach every project with dedication, ensuring that the final result exceeds expectations.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Lead Website Designer

2019- Today

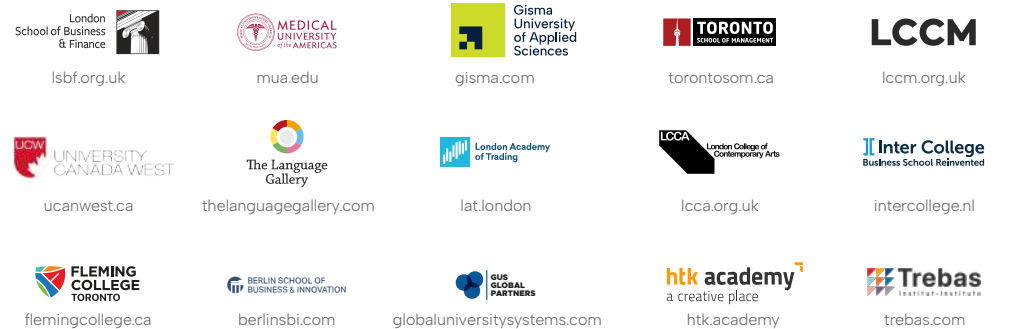
Global University Systems

Working alongside the development team in an Agile driven environment I focused on improving the digital presence of more than 30 educational institutions around the globe.

UX/UI and mockup/visual design for several brands as: Berlin School of Business and Innovation, University of Europe, Gisma University for Applied Sciences, HTK Academy, InterCollege Amsterdam, University Canada West, Fleming College Toronto, LAT London, LCCA, Trebas Institute, Toronto SOM, LSBF, Niagara College Toronto, and many more.

Working with Adobe Suite as main software, Adobe XD for UX/UI design and prototyping, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator and 3ds Max for visual design.

Adobe Premiere Pro, After Effects (Element 3d plugin) and 3ds Max for video editing and postproduction. Also videos for their social network and marketing.



Freelance Web Designer

2020-Today

Alba Visual Designer

New brand creation including logo design. Redesign of website and corporate rebrand for Max7p. Design works for Club Athletics Alhaurin de la Torre. Video Spot for Cita Love Social Network. Several designs for Colonia Restaurant in Torremolinos.



Multimedia designer / Infographics

2010-2018

Málaga 24H TV

Leading conception, designing, shooting and editing both advertising pieces and clips for shows to be broadcasted by the channel. Website design and off-online marketing material production.

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English (fluent)

Spanish (native)

SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite

Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe Premiere Pro
Adobe After Effects
Adobe XD
Adobe InDesign

3D Design and animation

Autodesk 3ds Max
Videocopilot Element 3D for AE

Illustration and vector

Sketch
Corel Draw

Other

Umbraco CMS
Digital and hand drawing
Figma

Personal Skills

Teamwork ■■■■■■■■

Adaptability ■■■■■■■■

Troubleshooting ■■■■■■■■

Leadership ■■■■■■■■

Desire to work ■■■■■■■■

Eager to learn ■■■■■■■■



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Awards

Winner of the Poster of the 2007 Fair of Alhaurín de la Torre in public competition.

Winner in the 3rd Edition of the contest "Cows with a lot of art" convened annually by Plaza Mayor Leisure Park in 2007.

2nd Place in Challenge 4 of the 3danimacion.com website in 3d character modeling.

3rd Place in Challenge 5 of the 3danimacion.com website in 3d character modeling.

Hobbies



Sports



Drawing and modeling



Comics, cinema, tv series



Gaming



Internet



WORK EXPERIENCE

Graphic Designer - Web Designer

2002-2004

Omega Systems

As a graphic designer, computer technician and teaching classes to adults and children, both basic computer, Internet, or graphic design.

Using Adobe Photoshop and Corel Draw for Omega Magazine.

UX/UI Web Designer / Infographics

2005-2008

Silan Procesos Multimedia

Helping businesses grow by providing 360 creative solutions. From branding to marketing campaigns and full website design. Custom digital presence for a variety of clients.

EDUCATION AND COURSES

Graphic Design Title

2001

Colegio Don Juan Díaz

12 month course of Graphic Visual Design. Adobe Suite with Photoshop as main app of this course, Macromedia Freehand (precursor of Adobe Illustrator) and Quark XPress.

3d Design and Animation

2004

Animum 3d School

3d characters design, creation and animation with Autodesk 3ds Max

3d Design and Animation

2003

Little Demon Studio

3d design and animation with Autodesk 3ds Max

REFERENCES

"Jose is one of the most talented designers I have ever had the pleasure to work alongside. He is highly capable and would excel in a senior role. Anyone who decides to bring Jose into their team will gain a highly capable and flexible designer who is also excellent at understanding the needs of stakeholders and working to tight deadlines. Jose always goes the extra mile in his work."

Louise Cousins

Head of Software Development
Global University Systems
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"Jose Manuel is extremely talented, creative, and collaborative. When working on complex digital transformation projects, it is always a delight to find someone with whom you can leave really challenging tasks and return to find these tasks executed without requiring so much guidance. With a good brief and some time, Jose Manuel will provide everything you were looking for."

Kayla Briel

Associate Director, Business & Innovation - International Global University Systems
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"He worked with me to redesign the London School of Business & Finance websites in the UK and Singapore and also The London Academy of Trading website."

Denisse Diaz

London School of Business and Finance Marketing Director
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For each of the projects, Jose Manuel was extremely creative - always delivering as per the brief. He also loved to come back with new ideas he had discussed with the developer's team to make the designs even more powerful and I really liked that! It's good to have someone in your team that is always giving that little extra - even when you don't ask. Jose is very creative and a rounder designer - with skills in UI, UX, and video editing."



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