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Education: 2004 - 2008 | USA | **BA - California Institute of the Arts (CalArts)**
Communication Design & Media

Courses:

2025 ◦ online- Udemy ◦ UX UI Design web & Mobile
2020 ◦ online- Coursera ◦ Python Programming
2000 ◦ Tel Aviv John Bryce ◦ JAVA Programming & UI

Awards:

2013 ◦ **PromaxBDA Awards**
Children's animation for TV shows and commercials

2014 ◦ **Tel-Aviv Cinematheque animated shorts**
Non-profit organizations "Warm home" & "Yad be yad"

Professional Experience:

2025- 2026 ◦ Vienna
Freelance: **Digital Design**

2015- 2024 ◦ Vienna
ORF : Information Design (Infographics)
ZIB 2, and other TV shows on ORF II and ORF I

2014 ◦ Vienna
Sproing Studio: 3D Computer animation
Computer game "Viva Piñata"

2010- 2013 ◦ Tel Aviv
SCPG Studio: 3D Animation
Animator and 3D generalist on the animated series "Bobo & Zets"
Character Animation, Modeling & Rigging, VFX, Texturing, Lighting & Rendering

2010-2012 ◦ Tel Aviv
Minshar college of the Arts: Teacher Adobe After Effects
Video Effects, post-production, video graphics, animation, and compositing

2010 ◦ Tel Aviv

Snowball Studio: 3D Animation

Character Animation

“Vipo”, “Billy Bambam”, “Charlie and the Numbers”

2009 ◦ Los Angeles

SOUTHPARK Studios: TD (Technical Director)

World-famous animated series “SOUTHPARK”

Creation and preparation of props for animation

2008- 2009 ◦ Los Angeles

Freelance: **2D Animation**

Animaton & concept design

Illworkz & Maliart

2007- 2008 ◦ Los Angeles

University of “Calarts”: Green screen studio operator /video technician

Digital key green screen studio with a central video patching system

Videographics, video conversions, editing, analog and digital media

2003-2004 ◦ Guatemala & Mexico

Volunteer: **Mural Painting**

Volunteer mural painter working to improve the appearance of disadvantages neighborhoods in Mexico and Guatemala

2002-2003 ◦ Tel Aviv

Freelance : **Mural Painting**

2001-2002 ◦ Lyon , France & Jerusalem, Israel

Cite’ de la Creation: Mural Painting

Worked for the French group “Cite’ de la Creation” with “East Jerusalem Development LTD”

Large, buildings sized mural projects.

www.cite-creation.fr

1998-2000 ◦ Vingate

IDF: Full military service

Languages: Fluent English, German, Spanish &. Hebrew

Technical Skills: Adobe AfterEffects, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere, InDesign, Animate, Dreamweaver. AI Creative design. 3D Programs (Blender, 3dMax, Maya, Cinema4D). VIZ. Hand draw & digital Animation. Basic programming and scripting in Python und Java. HTML- Website Building & Design. Figma. FigJam. AI-assisted workflows: Claude, ChatGPT — for research synthesis, ideation, content drafting, and accelerating UX documentation.

Personal Skills: Friendly, empathetic, flexible, team player, high emotional intelligence, patient, humorous, creative, open-minded, positive thinker, and easygoing.