

KIM-VU SALAMONSEN

HELLO!

I am a vietnamese-australian, raised in Melbourne Australia and live in Barcelona Spain. I have grown up with influences from both my asian heritage and modern australia. My early working life was spent in the financial sector, but this has never resonated well with me and during my 20s it became clear that the things I really love are being creative, interacting with people and making an ethical contribution to society and our wonderful natural planet. My passion for design, textiles and craft led me to pursue a career in the creative industries. It is a privilege to learn, experience and be inspired by different varieties of design mediums every day.

COMMERCIAL EXPERIENCE

Jan 2014 - Present	Freelance Graphic Designer ARTIMAÑA// www.artinet.net Artimaña is a creative studio based inside an old building in Barcelona They work across design, digital, brand and media in cosmetics and pharmaceuticals.	Barcelona, Spain
Feb - Mar 2014	Intern - Web designer Apogee Consulting// www.apogeeis.eu	Barcelona, Spain
Dec 2011 - Present	Freelance Graphic Designer www.kim-vu.com Currently designing look and feel website for start up business; Blend and Bottled, a wine tasting courses in Barcelona (Dutch and English speaking)	Barcelona, Spain
Apr 2012 - Present	Freelance Graphic Designer Mental Illness Fellowship Queensland (MIFQ) // www.mifq.org.au	Barcelona/ Brisbane, Australia
Jul 2013 - Dec 2013	In-house Graphic Design Assistant/ Intern Endeavour Foundation // www.endeavour.com.au	Brisbane, Australia
Sep - Dec 2012	In-house Graphic Design Assistant Star Outdoor// www.staroutdoor.com.au	Brisbane, Australia
Nov 2012	Freelance Packaging Graphic Designer ECOBUD// www.ecobud.com.au	Brisbane, Australia
Jun - Aug 2012	Freelance Textiles Graphic Designer DMD Importers // www.dmdimports.com.au	Brisbane, Australia

EDUCATION

2011	Certificate IV in Design// Shillington College, Brisbane, Australia
2006-2009	Chartered Accountant Graduate Certificate // Melbourne, Australia
2001 - 2003	Masters Practising Accountant // Monash University // Melbourne, Australia
1998 - 2000	Bachelor of Business (Banking) // Monash University // Melbourne, Australia

PROGRAMS

Illustrator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Indesign	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Photoshop	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

MERIT

2014 Nomination for Heritage Bank Volunteer of the Year Award

LANGUAGES

English	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Spanish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Vietnamese	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

INTERESTS

Sewing
Screenprinting
Hiking
Diving // advanced divers certificate
Photography // facebook.com/barcelonababble

