# Sites that inspire

- Pinterest
- Behance :: Best of Behance
- <u>Dribbble Discover the World's Top Designers & Creative Professionals</u>
- Inspiration Grid: Daily design inspiration for creatives
- <u>Designspiration Design Inspiration</u>
- <u>siteInspire Web Design Inspiration</u>
- Awwwards Website Awards Best Web Design Trends
- What's Trending in Type · Typewolf
- <u>Issuu Categories and Collections</u>
- Design Clever
- Panda Design Feed
- Search by Muzli
- Mycoted
- Information is Beautiful
- Beautiful News
- Logopond Logo, Brand & Identity Inspiration
- Logo Design Love | on logos and brand identity design
- Codrops | Useful resources and inspiration for creative minds
- Things Organized Neatly
- Adobe Create Magazine
- Dieline
- Creative Boom: Art & Design Magazine for the Creative Industries
- 50 of the best graphic design blogs for inspiration in 2020
- <u>Dropbox Design</u>
- Medium Get smarter about what matters to you.
- Best Ads on TV

- Ads of the World
- We Love Ad
- Between 10 and 5
- IDidTht
- canvas ©
- http://2amagency.com/
- https://www.made.co.za/
- <u>SS+K</u>
- Inspiration | Inside Design Blog
- Design | Inside Design Blog

## Keeping up to date with trends

- R/GA | Digital trends
- Think with Google Discover Marketing Research & Digital Trends
- Fast Company | The future of business
- Ads of the World™ | Part of The Clio Network

#### **Designers specific**

- Design Inspiration
- WE LOVE AD | World Creative Advertising Database and Network
- Pentagram The world's largest independent design consultancy
- African Digital Art (@africandigitalart)

# Blogs

- Adobe 99U A resource for the creative career
- AIGA Eve on Design: Eve on Design
- Creative Blog | Art and Design Inspiration

- Abduzeedo Design Inspiration and Tutorials
- Muzli Design Inspiration
- BizCommunity Marketing and Media South Africa
- UX Collective
- Inside Design Blog | Thoughts on users, experience, and design

# **Agencies**

- Pentagram The world's largest independent design consultancy
- Sagmeister & Walsh
- Luma Animation: Featured
- Landers Miller Design
- <u>Digital Agency Network: DAN</u>
- mimosa agency digital marketing agency
- K&i Creative Design Agency Cape Town | Branding | Graphic Design |
  Web
- hero | Full Service Strategic Marketing Agency

# Animation & 3D

- STASH Magazine
- Motionographer Sharing the best in moving media
- CGSociety.org
- ArtStation
- Vimeo Staff Picks
- Sketchfab Publish & find 3D models online
- Begin Learning Blender and Game Development with CG Cookie CG
  Cookie

- <u>Lesterbanks An Everyday Resource for the Computer Graphics & 3D</u>
  <u>Community</u>
- VIDEO COPILOT | After Effects Tutorials, Plug-ins and Stock Footage for Post Production Professionals
- Creative COW Forums

## Podcasts & Video

• <u>20 TED-talks for Designers</u>

## **Tools**

- Ad Mockup Generator
- Google Fonts
- Frontify The All-In-One Brand Management Software
- Figma: the collaborative interface design tool.
- <u>blender.org Home of the Blender project Free and Open 3D Creation</u>
  <u>Software</u>
- CodePen: Build, Test, and Discover Front-end Code.
- Adobe Color: Color wheel, a color palette generator
- Paletton The Color Scheme Designer
- Color Hunt Color Palettes for Designers and Artists
- Coolors.co The super fast color schemes generator
- uiGradients Beautiful colored gradients
- HTML Color Codes
- Power Thesaurus
- Thesaurus.com | Synonyms and Antonyms of Words at Thesaurus.com
- WhatFont
- Ouickposes: pose library for figure & gesture drawing practice
- Subtle Patterns | Free textures for your next web project
- Transparent Textures

- MakeHuman
- MagicaVoxel
- Storyboarder The best and easiest way to storyboard.
- <u>Visual Studio Code Code Editing. Redefined</u>
- FontForge Open Source Font Editor
- Design With FontForge
- Cakewalk by BandLab
- SoundBridge A Free Full-Featured DAW Designed with Simplicity in Mind
- <u>Trello</u>
- Guerilla Render | Animation and VFX production rendering
- waifu2x-caffe: Image Upscaling using neural networks
- <u>TinyPNG Compress PNG images while preserving transparency</u>
- <u>Maperitive</u>
- Stamen Maps
- Geofabrik Download Server
- Boundary Data (Detailed South African Maps)
- Preparing Geographic Data for Your Next Design Project in Illustrator
- FreeCAD: Your own 3D parametric modeler
- 3D Youtube Downloader 3D Youtube Downloader
- https://www.invisionapp.com/inside-design/design-resources/

## **Events**

- CreativeMornings | Breakfast lecture series for the creative community
- https://www.invisionapp.com/inside-design/category/design-chats/

# Interesting

- Quora: Home
- Aeon | a world of ideas
- PROTOCHIC