MAYTE ALAVA

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

9+ Years in Branding, Web, Print & Social Media Design

Elevating Digital & Print Experiences

INFORMATION

LOCATION

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LANGUAGES

PORTUGUESE - Native

ENGLISH - Fluent

DUTCH - Fluent

SKILLS

ADOBE PACKAGE

Photoshop - Illustrator - InDesign - Xd - After Effects

WEB DESIGN

HTML5/CSS - Drupal - WordPress - Figma - HubSpot

MICROSOFT OFFICE PACKAGE

Word - Excel - PowerPoint



ACADEMIC TRAINING

THE MANAGER'S TOOLKIT

University of London - Coursera - 2023

CONNECTED LEADERSHIP

Yale University - Coursera - 2023

BRAND MANAGEMENT

London Business School - Coursera - 2021

UX / UI: FUNDAMENTALS, INTERFACE DESIGN

USP - Coursera - 2020

GRAPHIC DESIGN

CVO De Verdieping - 2016

MARKETING AND ADVERTISING

Mackenzie Presbyterian University - 2011

NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS



20,300 PAGE VIEWS

in the first month post-launch



500 WEBINAR SIGN-UPS

in week one of social promotion



95% YOY INCREASE

in total and organic website traffic

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

WETRAVEL

Graphic Designer (Branding & UX Focus) - Remote | Jun 2022 - Present

- Spearhead global design strategy for marketing initiatives across digital and print
- Designed and optimized landing pages using HubSpot, contributing to a 95% increase in organic web traffic
- Lead visual execution for sub-brands and multi-channel campaigns, collaborating with product, marketing, and customer success teams

TRANSPERFECT

DTP Specialist (Multilingual Production & DTP) - Brazil | Sep 2021 - Jun 2022

- Delivered high-volume desktop publishing (DTP) projects under tight deadlines for Fortune 500 clients
- · Ensured format accuracy across 10+ languages, maintaining visual fidelity across platforms
- Used Adobe InDesign and proprietary CAT tools to prepare complex layouts for translation workflows
- Collaborated with translation teams across 3 continents

INTERMEDIA NV

Graphic Designer (Agency & Campaign Work) - Belgium | Jan 2019 - Mar 2021

- · Created cross-platform advertising campaigns for clients in fashion, retail, and FMCG sectors
- · Pioneered social media innovations, including custom AR Instagram filters and animations
- Developed responsive website layouts and branding kits for SMEs and startups
- · Balanced client goals with creative storytelling to increase engagement

DRUKKERIJ VANDEPAER

Graphic Designer (Print Production Specialist) - Belgium | Feb 2018 - Sep 2018

- · Oversaw full pre-press and production workflow for brochures, packaging, and posters
- · Prepared CMYK print plates, executed quality control, and operated digital printing machinery
- Ensured color accuracy and consistency across large print runs
- Worked hands-on with RIP software and Heidelberg machinery

MAY ALAVA GRAPHIC DESIGN

Freelance Designer / Founder - Remote | Oct 2016 - Present

- Built a client base across Belgium and Brazil, delivering full-service design from concept to execution
- · Designed logos, brand identities, packaging, and WordPress websites for small businesses and NGOs
- Managed all aspects of project life cycle: scoping, budgeting, client communication, and delivery
- Notable projects include branding a food startup and creating websites and campaigns for clients across multiple sectors.