

# VIOLET KHODAGOLIAN

ART DIRECTOR / SR. FRONT-END DEVELOPER

HELPING YOU CREATE A MINDFUL BRAND IN THE DIGITAL WORLD.

## SELECTED CLIENTS

JC Decaux/ OUTFRONT Nobu Restaurants Hollywood Egyptian Theatre Beverly Hills Florist Asbarez News

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## EXPERIENCE

#### SR. WEB & DESIGN SPECIALIST

Los Angeles Federal Credit Union | Apr 2012 - Present

Managing design and development of long and short-term projects including; advertising, website, micro-sites, digital marketing, experiential, signage, events, social media, email campaigns and outdoor large-scale ads. Responsible for:

- Art direction on digital, print, TV and social campaigns
- Development of customer retention strategies through omni-channel approach
- Assessing and identifying opportunities for process improvement and reduce execution complexity
- Partnering with copywriter on campaign concepts
- Establishment of user-centered design across all media
- Managing multiple projects simultaneously with continually evolving priorities
- Web governance and ADA compliance
- Ongoing SEO/SEM management
- Management of vendor relationships and budgets
- Identifying and setting strategic project goals
- KPI reporting, data analytics and action plans
- Defining user experience by creating personas, journey maps, categorizing content, and provide wireframes and mock-ups

**Most significant achievements:** Improving ROI on digital marketing, reducing website maintenance costs and time, 250% increase in organic traffic, redesign and development of responsive website.

#### ART DIRECTOR

## **2012** Studio PCH | April 2010 - Jan 2012 (On and Off Site)

Award winning architectural firm internationally recognized for designing NOBU restaurants worldwide. Provided art direction on concept, design and development based on strategic planning and creative direction to cater to sophisticated clientele. I also oversaw the creative team, development of website, training of new hires, organizing of complex source materials into integrated, coherent campaigns, and establishing brand guidelines ensuring consistency across all media.

#### FRONT-END DEVELOPER

#### 2010 Toughbuilt | Jan 2009- Feb 2010 (On and Off Site)

Managed and developed new CMS e-commerce website focused on mobile-first, user experience and expendability. My role as a front-end developer entailed evaluating and improving the user experience, oversee content creation for SEO, maintaining the website, writing reusable codes, and ensuring the technical feasibility of User Interface.

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## EXPERIENCE(CONT.)

## ART DIRECTOR/ SR. GRAPHIC DESIGNER

2009 The ProMarket | May 2006- Aug 2009

Responsible for all aspects of designing the 128-page monthly home and garden magazine including, project management, production, editorial content, supervision of freelance writers and staff designers in a high-volume fast paced environment.

### GRAPHIC DESIGNER

#### 2006 EMWI Design Group | Jul 2003- Jan 2006

A boutique style architecture, furniture and design firm featured in 30+ design publications. With focus on branding and design my main duties were to design; ads, press-kits, exhibition graphics, web design, promotional materials, product sheets, and largescale signage. I also managed clients relations, attended product launch events, and coordinated product release parties.

## FREELANCE ART DIRECTOR/ SR. FRONT-END DEVELOPER

## 2003 DesigninLA.com | Ongoing

I've had the privilege of managing a multitude of projects and leading creative teams for all size companies, from international multi-million dollar to start ups. My role has varied tremendously in the capacity of each project and client. Regardless of the industry, my focus is always to identify each clients unique needs and to find a creative solution for it. This in turn has led me to successfully do what I love for many years. Please visit designinla.com for recent work and testimonials.

## EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS, MAJOR IN GRAPHIC DESIGN University of Fullerton | 2000- 2003

ASSOCIATE DEGREE, MAJOR IN PHOTOGRAPHY Pasadena City College | 1997-1999

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## TOOLKIT

Adobe Dreamweaver Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Adobe Indesign Sketch Bootstrap 4.0 Wordpress E-commerce Google Analytics Microsoft Office CRM LANGUAGES

HTML CSS JS Jquery PHP Swedish Armenian