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## introduction

Jeff Vargas is a creative multimedia designer / animator / developer / digital artist with a background in illustration and traditional arts. He specializes in Graphic Design, Web Design, Development, Bootstrap, WordPress, Webflow, WooCommerce, SEO, Social Media, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, XML, JSON, JQuery, PHP/MySQL, Information Architecture, UI/UX, Responsive Design, Identity, Branding, Print, Motion Graphics, Animation, Interactive Media, Video Editing, Post-Production, Special Effects Compositing, 3D Modeling/Animating/Rendering, Photography/Cinematography, Illustration/Storyboarding, and Audio Production.

From Senior UI/UX Designer, Graphic Designer, Web Developer, Art Director, Render Admin, Multimedia Specialist, Lead Designer, Consultant, etc., to Founder/Creative Director of his own company. With **25 years of real world and entrepreneurial experience**, Vargas has worked alongside the best in the business, has seen the back-end architecture of multi-million user social networking websites, worked with utterly amazing (amazing!) render pipelines, and built custom components and websites for many well-known Motion Picture Studios, Special Effects Houses, Social Media Networks, and Advertising Firms from New York to Los Angeles.

He has worked on 1,000's of large scale projects for 100's of clients across the US, including;

**Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA), Citigroup, Relativity Media, Rogue Pictures, M&M Mars, William H. Gates Foundation, AutoTrader.com, Porchlight Ent., Volkswagon, Showtime, TMZ Entertainment, Digital Domain, JDate, World Wrestling Entertainment, HD Radio, Virgin Mobile, New Line Cinema, Warner Bros, Lions Gate, Sony Pictures, NBC - Universal, Microsoft Corporation, Aveeno, Lifesavers, Westinghouse, Sylvania, K-Mart, Walmart, Pepsi-Cola, Code Red, Fruit Works, Ballys, FugiFilm, Nine West Group, EasySpirit, Langer Juice Company, United States Beverage, Astellas Pharmaceuticals Inc, & the GlaxoSmithKline Group of Companies, Amgen, Inc, Procter and Gamble Pharmaceuticals, Sanofi-Synthelabo, TagWorld, Improv, and many more.**

For more information, please visit: [www.jeffvargas.com](http://www.jeffvargas.com)

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**Senior UI/UX Designer / Creative Director (Founder)** {04/17 – present}

Motion Chamber Studios, LLC, Acworth, GA | 770.314.8279 | www.motionchamber.com

- Prototypes and proprietary solutions for a variety of clients on confidential patent pending properties.
- Work with various engineers and product designers to create highly technical documentation, data sheets, installation guides and visualizations for patented product lines, prototypes, ads, and presentations.

**Senior UI/UX Engineer** {02/22 - 01/23}

ASET Partners Corporation , Acworth, GA / Baltimore/MD | 571.297.1916 | www.asetpartners.com

- Clients: Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)

**Senior Consultant – Applications** {06/21 - 12/21}

Scadea Software Solutions, Inc. , Acworth, GA / Princeton, NJ / Irving, TX | 908.636.2727 | www.scadea.com

- Client: Citigroup, Inc. - Programming (Internal UI/UX Departments)

**Senior UI/UX Designer / Art Director / Designer / Developer** {08/97 - 04/17}

Various Freelance/Contract, Atlanta, GA / Los Angeles, CA | 770.314.8279 | www.jeffvargas.com

- Create strategies for flat, mobile friendly, cross-platform, responsive UI/UX architectures.
- Translate complex innovative concepts into sketches, wireframes, prototypes, and high fidelity comps.

**Visual Designer - User Experience / Product Management** {04/13 - 02/15}

AutoTrader.com, Atlanta, GA | 866.288.6872 | www.autotrader.com

- Creation of high fidelity comps for website and apps for desktop (core site), mDot, tablet, and smartphone.
- Created various 3D / Video Presentations for innovative concepts, and participated in Mentorship Programs.

**Creative Director (Founder)** {01/02 – 12/12}

Dive Urgency Multimedia, LLC, Santa Monica, CA , Atlanta, GA | 770.314.8279 | www.diveurgency.com

- Started my own multimedia company in 2002, and served approx. 75 clients, over the years.
- Services included: Design, Development, Web, Flash, Animation, 3D, Video, Illustration, Photo, Audio, etc.

\* for client lists, please visit  
www.jeffvargas.com

**education**

**Pratt Institute (Manhattan)**, New York, NY {fall 1997 - fall 1999} www.pratt.edu

Discreet/AutoDesk Certifications: 3DS Max (Graphic Design Major)

\* **Columbus College of Art and Design**, Columbus, OH {fall 1992 - spring 1997} www.ccad.edu

Bachelor Degree: Advertising Design & Visual Communications (Scholarship)

**Rhode Island School of Design**, Providence, RI {summer 1991} www.risd.edu

Pre College Program: Oil Painting Major (Scholarship)

**software.skills**

Photoshop	Bootstrap	Windows / Mac / Linux (Debian)
Illustrator	HTML5	User-Centered/Pervasive Design & Testing (Usability)
InDesign	CSS3	Video/audio recording, capture, compression, editing, layout
Acrobat Pro	JavaScript	3D modeling, mapping, rigging, animating, rendering
Microsoft Office	AJAX	Special effects compositing, text animation
	XML	Render Admin I/O
3ds Max	JQuery	Hardware installation
After Effects	JSON	System setup
Premiere Pro	PHP	Program installation
Final Cut Pro	MySQL	Disk maintenance (firewall/anti-virus/optimization/bug-fixes)
Audition	Python (with AI)	Troubleshooting
Media Encoder		Networking
	Webflow	Internet configuration
Adobe XD	WordPress	XAMPP (Intranet)
Axure RP	WooCommerce	Server Admin (Apache)
Balsamiq		Client Access
Figma	Authorize.net Payment Gateway	Control Panel Admin
InVision	GeoTrust TrueBusiness EV SSL	Domain Registration
Sketch		FTP
	English	CGI scripts and application installation (forms)
Sublime Text	Spanish (fluent)	Website creation & maintenance
Dreamweaver		Streaming video
FileZilla		Online Presentations

\* references upon request