

Hello, my name is Javier Villares Albé

I was born in the beautiful city of Montevideo, Uruguay and about 10 years ago moved to the equally beautiful city of Minneapolis, Minnesota, where I currently reside.

I love the creative challenge of producing a brand, from the pencil scribbles to the press ready files. I use my puzzle solving abilities to create Brochures, Business cards, Flyers, Postcards, Posters, Letterheads, Websites, and to play Tetris.

From industrial design to music, I find inspiration through observation; I can say that I enjoy graphic design as much as a perfect sunset at the beach.

Education

Technical Communication B.A. (Grad-2010)
Metropolitan State University, Minnesota

Graphic Design A.A.S.
Minneapolis Community and Technical College,
Minnesota

Work Experience

Freelance Designer since 2002

2009- 2010 **High Graphics Design.** Minneapolis, MN
Graphic Designer

2008- **Syncopated Musik.** Minneapolis, MN
Art Director

2005- 2008 **LCN MEDIA.** Minneapolis, MN
LCN MEDIA is the publisher of the newspapers "La Prensa," "Gente de Minnesota," the magazine "Vida y Sabor" and "El Directorio". Besides developing a new cover and layout for "El Directorio", "La Prensa," and "Gente de Minnesota" ; I was in charge of ad design for the magazine and the newspaper clients.

Portfolio

Please visit www.villaresdesign.com

Skills

Adobe Photoshop CS4
Adobe InDesign CS4
Adobe Illustrator CS4
Adobe Acrobat CS4
Adobe Dreamweaver CS4
Adobe Flash CS4
QuarkXPress
Proficient on Mac and PC
Read and write English and Spanish

