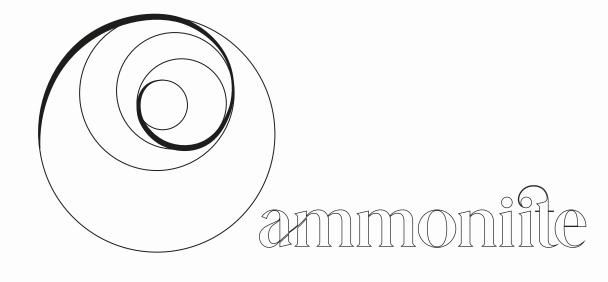
# COSette reyes designer anthropologist

2025



#### ihola!



I am Cosette, a Mexican designer, anthropologist and biochemical engineer, who in recent years has participated in international research projects in the fields of mental health, human evolution and cognition.

I currently live in Valencia, Spain, working in the field of art, design and digital technologies. I lead several communication, creativity, creation and community building projects at LABA Valencia. School of art, design & new media.

I have collaborated with the contemporary art gallery House of Chappaz, one of the most important in Spain. I develop a platform that gives visibility to outsider art and design; the project 'margo' is a hybrid space that hosts a type of controversial artistic expression.

I work in motion graphics, 3D, AI and video art. Capturing unusual points of view of everyday situations, mystery, Dadaist aesthetics, decontextualised objects, philosophy of science and my fascination for surrealism are a constant in each of my creations.

#### skills

#### Hard

Web design
Motion graphics
Editorial design
Final art
Public presentation
Curator

#### Soft

Empathy
Decision-making
Time management
Group leadership
Critical thinking
Autonomy

#### **Creative developmennt**















#### Languages







#### contact













### design of hybrid space

Margo Designing a hybrid space to host outsider art & design Spain, 2024

I have created a concept called margo. The meaning of margo is 'outside of something'.

To develop this hybrid platform, the first step was to design it in environments that could be in constant dialogue with each other. An attractive website with a user-centred and responsive design. A self-published fanzine with content and textures that offer a unique user experience. And, overall, a space that conveys the essence of outsider art.

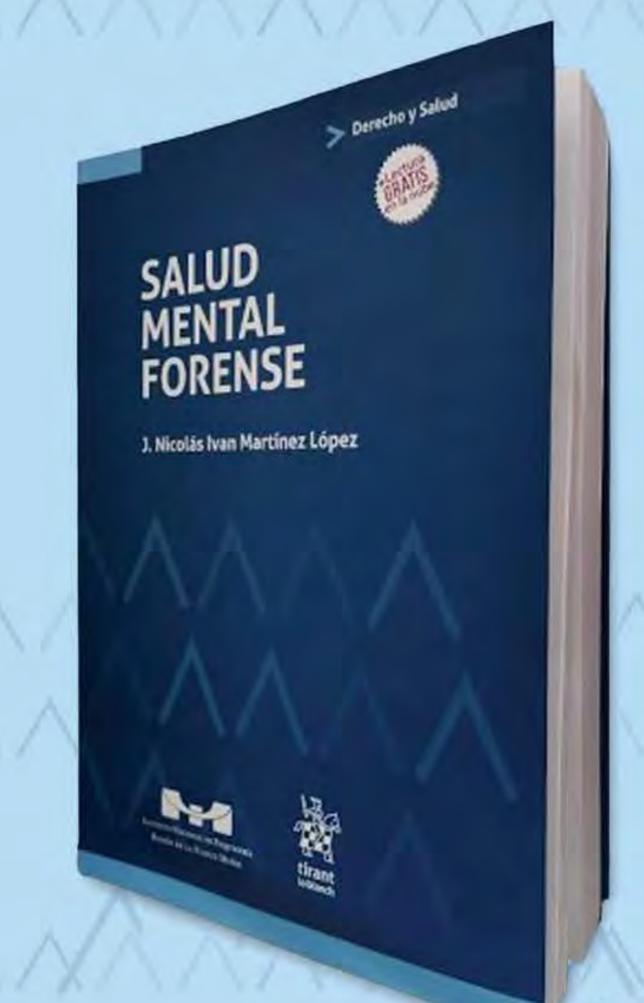




## writting & editorial

Salud Mental Forense Tirant Lo Blanch Mexico 2020

For many years I was involved in mental health research with an anthropological approach. This vision has been reflected in the work I wrote for this book in which I also participated in the editing and coordination of the rest of the authors.



Presentación virtual de la obra

#### SALUD MENTAL FORENSE

Martes 24 de noviembre, 2020, 17 h

PRESENTA:

Juan Manuel Argüelles San Millán

PARTICIPAN:

Cosette Reyes Guzmán y J. Nicolás Martínez López

Transmisión en vivo: // user/antropologiacnan

# strategic design

Anthropology & research management Digital intelligence Lab Mexico 2021

I led a group with which, through exhaustive and thorough research, we conceptualised and developed digital strategies for national and international brands to meet their marketing objectives.



### etnographic photography

Anthropology & research Etnographic documentation Mexico 2010

During my professional practice I had the opportunity to document with photography and through the combination of ethnographic methods typical of anthropological disciplines. This allowed me to provide research with an insight into everyday life and thus into individual behaviour and the dynamics of societies.



### conceptual videoart

Lo (in)consciente de lo (in)tangible Piece selected for el Cuerpo Sentido SMTH Exhibition Madrid, Galicia, Valencia 2023

Lo (in)consciente de lo (in)tangible, is an allegory of the experience of the felt body, an invitation to reflect on how the body interacts with the environment through its actions to subsequently provide it with meanings. Selected winning work of the 1st Call for digital art 'El Cuerpo Sentido' by SMTH. Exhibition in CC Vialia and CC Plenilunio, Galicia and Madrid from 1 March to 15 June.



### conceptual videoart

#### instante

Piece selected for el The world(s) we want SMTH+Niio Exhibition. Spain 2024

In this piece I have created a tribute to the natural beauty that still surrounds us. I propose to stop for a moment to admire the wonders of our world and to imagine those possible worlds that we wish for immersed in a dreamlike dream.



### conceptual videoart

Memoria liminal Piece selected for Miradas y recorridos íntimos Exhibition. Festival 10 sentidos Valencia, Spain 2024

The pieces will be exhibited as part of the programme of Las Naves Valencia, a centre for social and urban innovation, for one month.

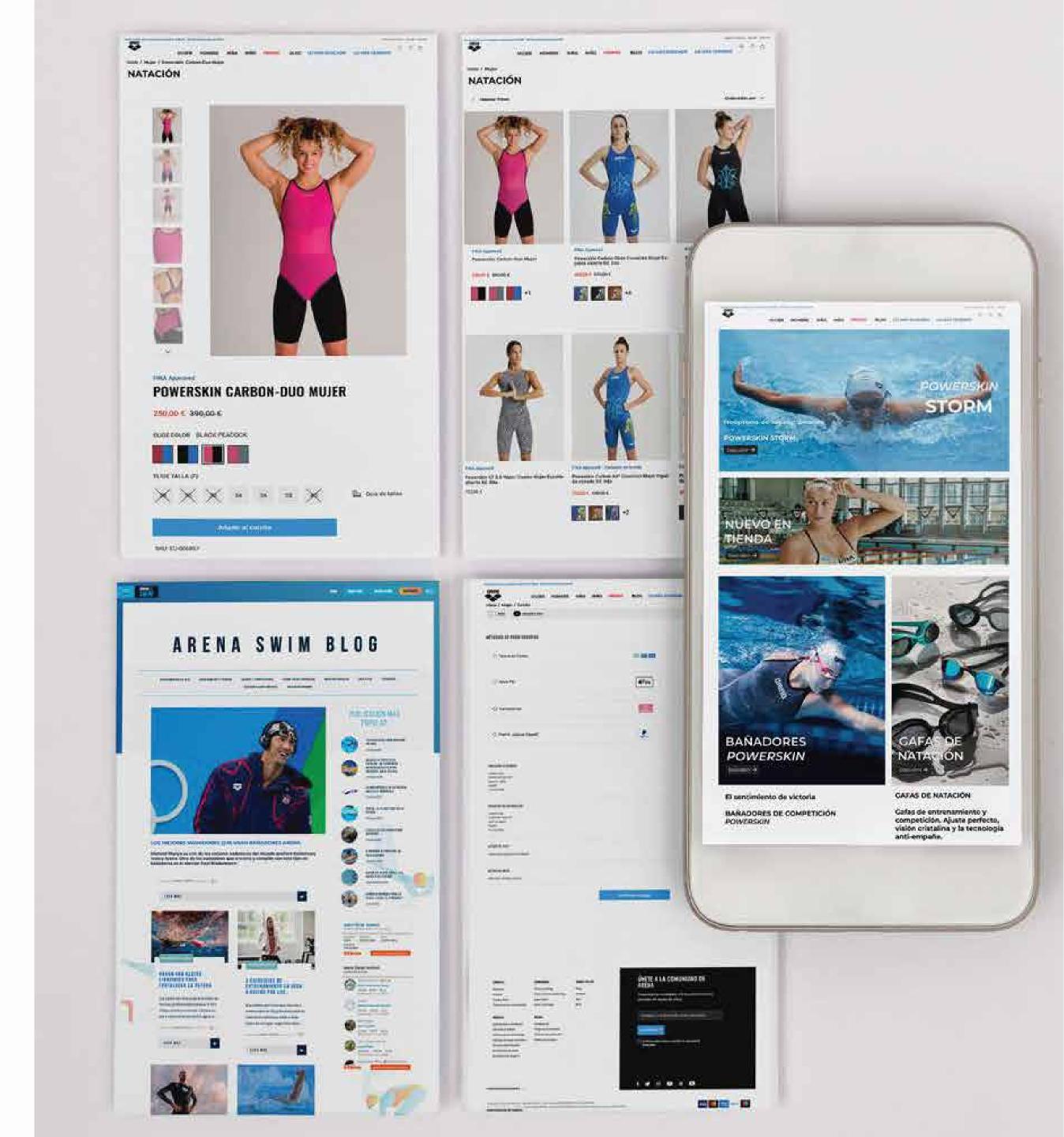


### web redesign

Redesign of Arena's website
UX design based on user-centred research
Valencia, Spain 2021

In this project improvements were made to Arena's website. The design modifications were based on input from desk and field research with a user-centred anthropological approach.

It is possible to improve the browsing experience on a website when the voice of the customer is taken into account.



#### UX/UI

App design for the Municipal Libraries of Valencia UX design user-centred research Valencia, Spain 2023

App for the network of Municipal Libraries of Valencia. This project involved a lot of research work focused on user behaviour with an anthropological approach and multimedia trends.

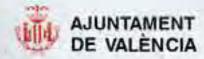
I developed an app that was accessible to the user and could offer all the services of Valencia's libraries within their reach.

The design was visually attractive and functional for all types of users.







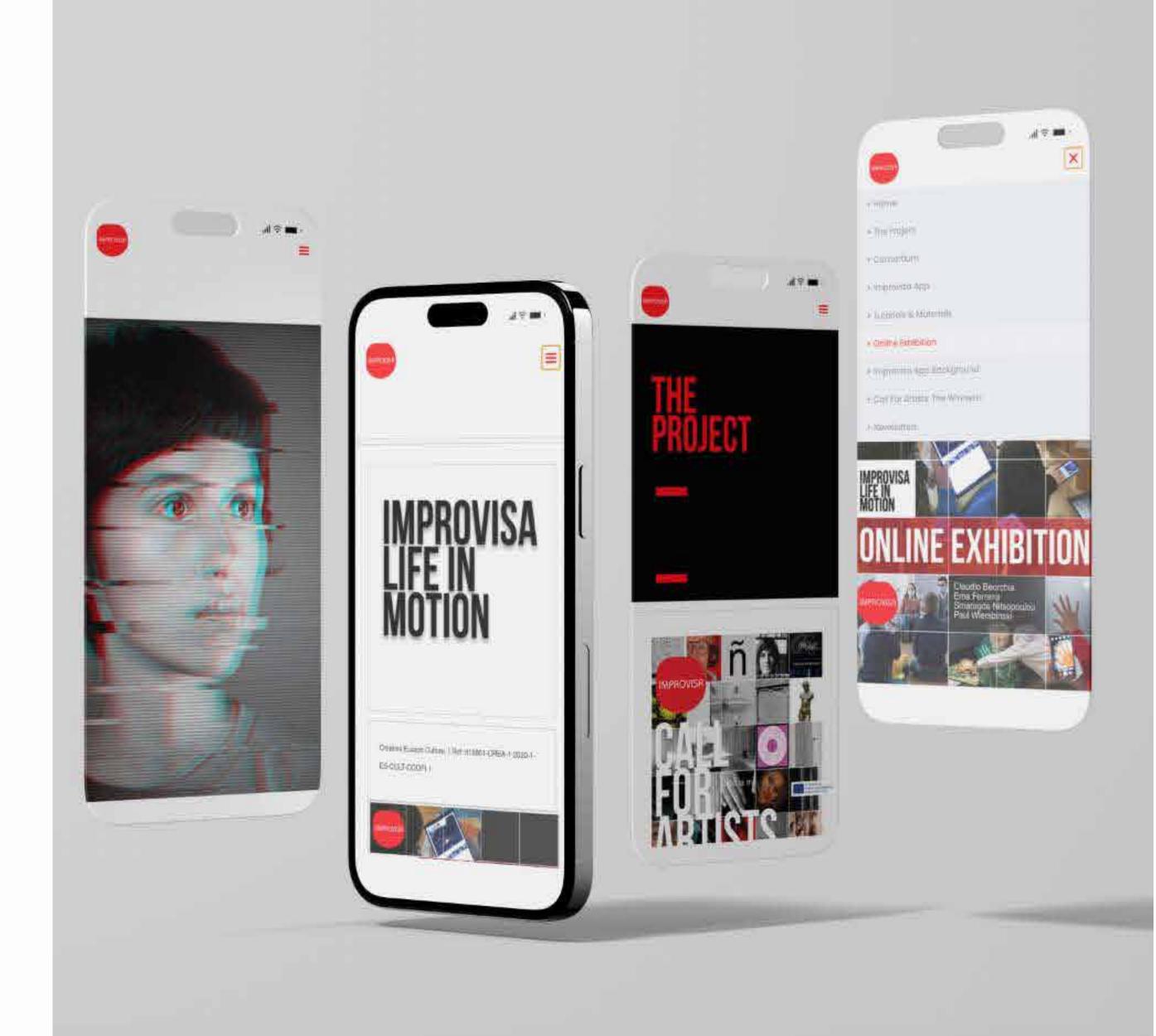


#### interface adaptation

IMPROVISA Project Interface adaptation Valencia, Spain 2024

I adapted multi-device versions of the IMPROVISA LIFE IN MOTION project website that explores innovative models to increase access to culture and heritage for younger audiences and communities with difficult access to culture, such as immigrants and prisoners, using digital and mobile technologies.

improvisa.net



### web design

El Prado en Volumen The Divinity of the Mystery Revealed Spain 2023

I was selected in LABA Valencia to participate in a project of the call "El Prado en Vol".

The call, organized by the Museo Nacional del Prado in collaboration with the Forum of Design Associations READ, invited students to make a reinterpretation of one of the works of art of the museum through a 3D design.

I led the web design team as this interface was used to present the project.

The project was one of the selected projects of this call and is part of an exhibition at the Museo Nacional del Prado in Madrid.

labaelprado.com



### brand identity

No Somos Studio Desarrollo de identidad visual Valencia, Spain 2023

After a thorough and thorough research, I conceptualized the objectives of this studio that wanted a visual identity that was in line with their deconstructive approach and their mission to translate their creativity into projects in a non-literal way.



### best practices guide

Brand manual EMSHI Valencia, Spain 2023

For the awareness campaign of EMSHI, the public administration that supplies drinking water to 1.6 million people living in Valencia and its metropolitan area.

I developed the manual of good practices for the use of all visual elements for this important campaign in Valencia.

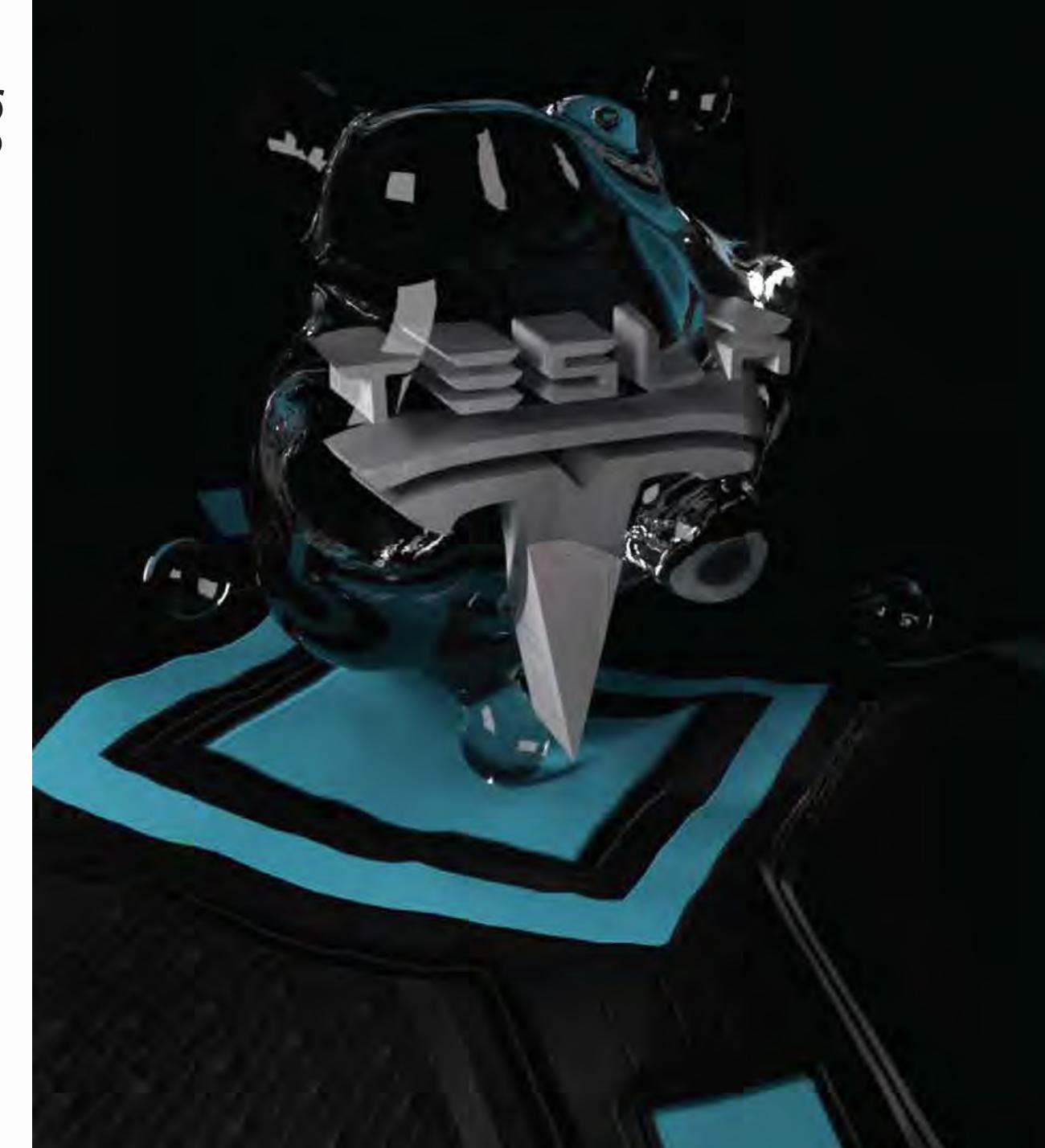


### 3D modelling & rendering

Metaverse for TESLA 3D Modeling & Render Valencia, Spain 2022

This NFT conveys a message about having the best technological practices taking into account human consciousness and the natural environment through a water resource alluding to the scarcity of drinking water.

With this project I managed to question the unsustainable actions of big brands, through a design that connects with audiences that are aware of current issues.



#### 3D animation

JBL by Harman's animation 3D digital product animation Valencia, Spain 2023

In this animation project, I have managed to convey the creative and fun message of JBL.

This brand uses metaphors and musical references using a striking and colourful visual style in everyday advertising and new launches.



#### creative content

LABA UAU! Redesign your story
Design of a Design Thinking course for people 55+
Valencia 2022

Creation and adaptation of contents. A course was developed for an audience with very specific and unusual attitudinal characteristics.taking into account each audience and contextualising their reality is fundamental to connect with the target audience.in this project, I developed educational and outreach content focused on creative professionals aged 55 and over.

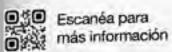


#### LABA () UAU

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#### LABA @ UAU

#### Redesign your story

Course for seniors

El contenido del curso-taller, consistirá en una primera fase con nociones básicas del arte, diseño y design thinking enfocados hacia el terna principal que será collage.

En una segunda fase se mostrará el uso de nuevos medios y ejemplos de realización de esta técnica.

Para finalmente realizar la actividad practica en la cual se generará una serie de 3 collages en los cuales se plasmará el pasado, presente y futuro de cada uno de los participantes, elaborado por ellos mismos con herramientas digitales y tangibles, de modo que, después de la parte introductoria a las herramientas, cada participante tenga la oportunidad de decidir con cuál trabajar.

Al final, el participante tendrá una serie de 3 collages que podrá colocar como pleza decorativo.

#### Sesiones

Clase teórica: Nociones básicas de diseño.

Clase teórica:

contemporáneas.

Sesion colaborativa;

Taller práctico: Elaboración de collages,

Collage - Historia & Prácticas

Reflexión sobre la historia personal.

Frascos vacíos de vidrio.
 Revistas o fotos que

Requisitos

de diseño.

Materiales

Tener 55 años o más.

Estar interesado en temas

 Contar con un dispositivo para accesar al curso online,

puedan recortarse.

#### Pegamento.

Adquisición de conocimientos

Beneficios

- sobre diseño.
   Actividades colaborativas grupales.
- Elaboración de piezas estéticamente agradables para el hogar.

#### Inscripción

Reserva tu plaza en: contacto@labauau.net

#### visual campaign

Visual campaign
The Barbican Centre
London 2023

Development of a graphic campaign for an exhibition at the Barbican Centre, a performing arts center located in the Barbican Estate in the city of London (England) and the largest of its kind in Europe.

The exhibition was called The Future of Design: Notes from the past and reflected the way in which new designs always have a previous reference as a starting point.



#### video interview

Video interview Interview with Ismaël Chappaz founder and director of House of Chappaz Valencia, Spain 2022

I interviewed the founder and director of one of the most important contemporary art galleries in Valencia, House of Chappaz, to capture the essence of Ismaël Chappaz, a gallery owner with a very particular vision of contemporary art, a creative professional with an enormous cultural background.

For this interview, I prepared the script, did the art direction and post-production of the video.



### visual identity

Visual identity
Designer and anthropologist
Valencia, Spain 2023

The golden ratio is found throughout nature, in countless expressions of classical and contemporary art and design.

This element is the main reference for this logotype, as it is ideal for expressing the subjective aspect of art immersed in the objective aspect of the exact sciences.for the development of the visual identity, a composition of letters designed to transmit a concept with a single word has been used.

The word of a fossil adapted in terms of design has been used as a logo, conveying originality and surrealistic inspiration that uses non-literal elements to express creativity.

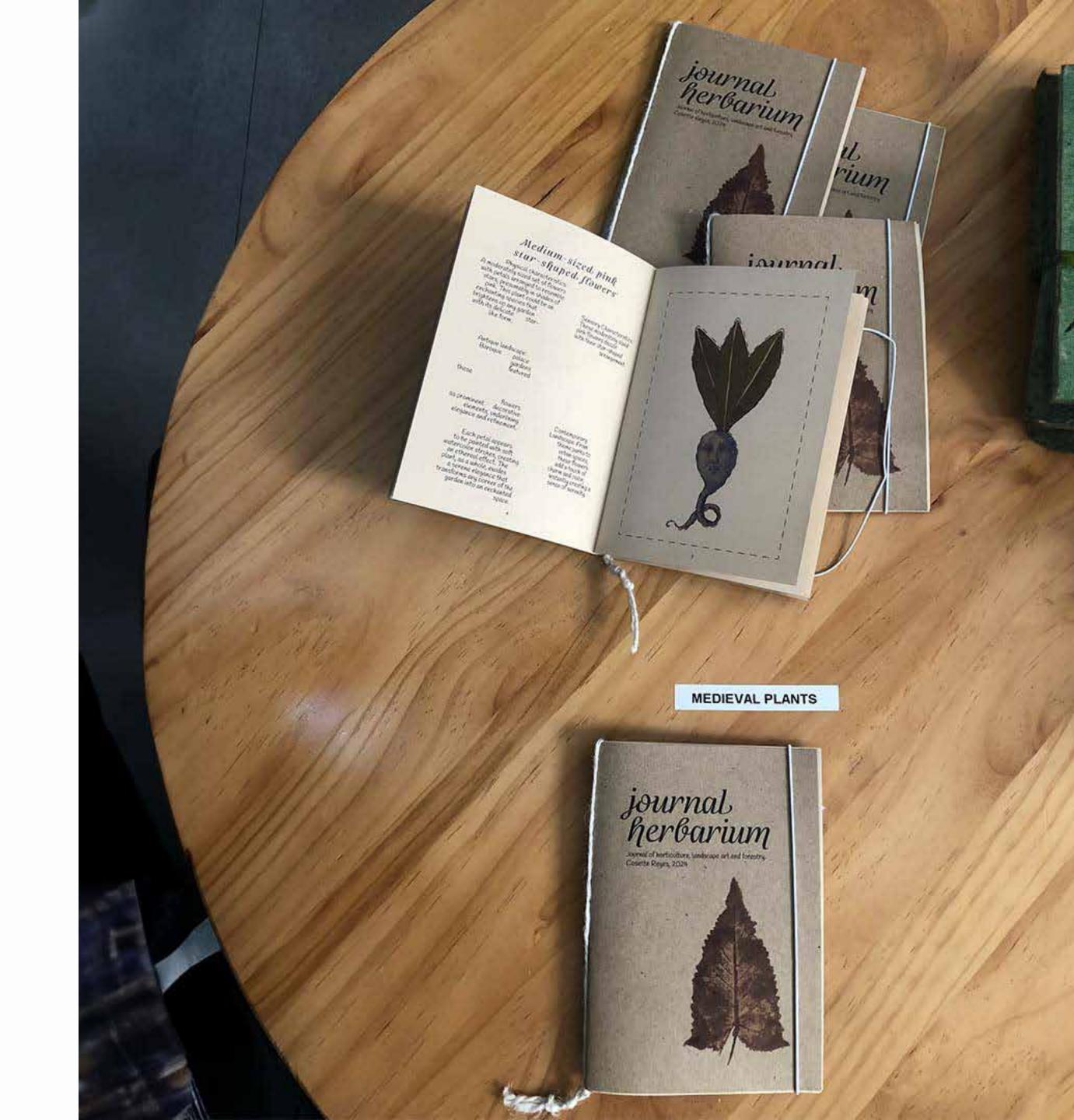


### editorial design

Journal herbarium Editorial design Valencia, Spain 2024

Innovative editorial design fuses graphic design techniques with bold creative licence to create captivating works.

For this project I was breaking with convention, this approach challenges traditional layout, plays with bold typography and experiments with the combination of surprising visual elements, resulting in a unique graphic language that captivates readers and redefines the boundaries of editorial design.



#### mental health & design

Care for creativity
European project ERASMUS+
Spain-Netherlands, 2024

This European project aims to investigate the factors that stress designers and, based on this, to design tools that help them to avoid moments of stress so that they can continue to flow with their creativity.

My role in this project is to research, conduct interviews, analysis and implement the tools that are designed. I have also been in charge of the graphics and styling of the online and physical dissemination materials.



# thanks for watching

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