# **Omar Al Fil**

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#### **Personal Profile**

A multitalented content producer looking to help tell stories and convey ideas through media, whether by creating visuals, authoring text, or a combination of both. My work experience has given me a vast knowledge of both traditional and digital media industries, which I have leveraged to understand the content production mechanism. I've also worked in multidisciplinary settings, which has taught me adaptability and piqued my curiosity in various subjects.

# **Professional Background**

Wamda, Digital Producer

(February 2015 - November 2017)

#### Duties:

- Overseeing visuals used in Wamda's Media platform and on social media
- Managing content distribution of media stories across multiple social media platforms, targeting a diverse, bilingual audience
- Creating and managing social media campaigns for third-party events and programs
- Built and maintained Wamda's voice on social media
- Built and maintained Facebook advertising campaigns for media stories, using the Facebook Advertising tool
- Prepared, oversaw, or published various creative contributions (writing stories, producing visuals)
- Researched, prepared, and oversaw social media videos, produced by a contracted freelancer

#### **Groovy Antoid**, Sound Designer

(March 2015 - September 2017)

#### Duties:

- Found or created appropriate sound effects that convey the tone of a video game world
- Composed original music to set the mood of a video game

#### Cirrus Brass Design, Graphic Designer

(March 2014 - February 2015)

#### Duties:

 Conceptualizing and designing digital and print materials based on client briefs, such as branding, packaging, and print ads

#### Beirut.com, Writer

(September 2013 - March 2014)

#### Duties:

- Researching interesting cultural happenings in Beirut, through social media and word of mouth
- Conceiving, writing, and publishing stories, lists, and local business listings
- Writing sponsored content, finding a balance between the needs of the client and the style and tone of the website
- Designing and illustrating accompanying visuals for stories and lists

## **Additional Achievements**

- Freelance design and illustration work which includes posters, album covers, and event branding
- Freelance writing for various English language publications and clients, including Red Bull, Brownbook, and F / I / M<sup>2</sup> / P
- Senior year university project "Joura", a 12 strip webcomic on the hardships of being a comics fan in Lebanon, was exhibited at the 5th annual Festival of Arab Culture in Pilsen, held in the Czech Republic in 2014

- Various instrumental hip hop tracks released under a Creative Commons license as
  <u>"Elepheel"</u> have been used in online videos by companies such as <u>Forbes</u>, <u>BuzzFeed</u>, and
  RipStik
- Founding member of the Beirut-based comics collective <u>Zeez</u>, whose debut mini comics collection "Swarm 1" has been featured in The Economist's 1843 magazine

# **Educational Background**

Rafik Hariri University, BS in Graphic Design

(September 2010 - August 2013)

## **Professional Skills**

- Writing in English, speaking and reading Arabic
- Illustration and design (Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator)
- Social media (Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram, Hootsuite)
- Video editing (Adobe Premiere)
- Audio editing (Adobe Audition)
- Music production (Ableton Live)

### **Personal Skills**

- Creative thinking and problem solving
- Digital native with attention to detail
- Extensive knowledge of pop culture and media
- A distinctive sense of humor