

About Pelin

Since 1992, I have been working as a professional designer and an art director for an upscale international clientele. My work has been published in daily newspapers such as *Hürriyet*, *Radikal*, and *Cumhuriyet*, in weekly and monthly magazines such as *Aktüel*, *Tempo*, and *Marketing Türkiye*, in design annuals, e.g. *GMK*, *The Turkish Society of Graphic Designers*, as well as in the *Designers' Annual 1998* by *Alternatif Publications*. I have received awards and honors for my design work, which is noted in detail in my resume online (easily accessible at pelinturker.com).

Since 2006, I have been teaching New Media/Web Design, Branding/Advertising, Illustration, and Video Art at *Marmara University* and *Doğuş University* Istanbul. In November 2006, I established *Pelin Turker, Communications. Design. Consultancy*, an independent Graphic Design office. Since then, I have been creating various projects for my clients such as *Goethe-Institut*, *Balli Law Firm*, *EA Design*, *MarkaLED*, *Vackerlite*, *DizaynVIP*, and *Koç University*. According to my clients' needs and budgets, I have been outsourcing to best photographers, web developers, copywriters, publishers, printers, and illustrators in the art & design market in Istanbul and NYC. I have been able to work with creatives/professionals in other countries, particularly in the US and Germany via FTP and/or via audio-video conferencing. 2012 through 2015, I collaborated at various design projects with *Altrena* and *Üretimevi*, design and ad offices, specialized in branding and corporate design.

1999 through 2002, I was a graduate student and teaching assistant with excellence at *Pratt Institute's Graduate Department of Communications Design* (known as *Pratt GradComD*) in NYC. Upon graduation in May 2002, I was granted a teaching position at my department for three consequent semesters, followed by a full-time in-house graphic design position at *Dynasty Gold and Silver*, a jewelry firm in NYC, for two years.

Fluent in English and German.

If you have any questions or you'd like to get more information about me, feel free to contact me any time at pelin@pelinturker.com or p_turker@yahoo.com, at above mentioned phone numbers or Skype.

Sincerely,

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