

Shiraz Akmal Co-Founder SPACES, Inc.

Shiraz Akmal co-founded SPACES to build on his 25 years' experience in virtual reality, video games and entertainment. The Los Angeles VR firm is creating industry-leading 3-D and 4-D experiences for entertainment parks in Asia and North America. Prior to SPACES, Akmal led business and product development for DreamLab, where he oversaw DreamWorks Animation VR projects. He also served as vice president of operations and product development for the global video-game company, THQ. Akmal is a well-known mentor for Boost VC, the pre-eminent accelerator for emerging technology. Other career highlights include directing multi-million-copy-selling video games: Disney*Pixar's **The Incredibles**, Nickelodeon's **SpongeBob SquarePants** and **Scooby-Doo!** He and SPACES Co-Founder Brad Herman have invented multiple patented VR technologies.

Shiraz Akmal 联合创始人 SPACES 公司

Shiraz Akmal 基于他在虚拟现实 、电子游戏和娱乐行业 25 年的经验,建立了 SPACES 公司。这家创建于洛杉矶的虚拟现实公司正在为亚洲和北美的游乐园创建行业领先的三维和四维体验。在 SPACES 之前,Akmal 在 Dreamlab 监督了梦工厂虚拟现实动画项目,并主导了其业务和产品开发。Akmal 还担任过全球电子游戏大亨—THQ 的运营和产品开发副总裁。Akmal 也是推进新兴技术的杰出加速器代表 BoostVC 的著名导师。他的其他职业生涯亮点还包括:指导了由迪士尼皮克斯动画工作室制作的畅销电子游戏《超人特攻队》,以及尼克罗顿儿童频道制作的《海绵宝宝》和《史努比》。他和 SPACES 的联合创始人 Brad Herman 已经开发了多项虚拟现实专利项目。