

Who We Are

Mira Hanania Founder

Mira was a teenager when her family immigrated to America. Although she quickly embraced the new country as her own, Mira never forgot her heritage. More so, after she got her degree in Business from the Open University in Israel, she was determined to strengthen the relationship between Israel and America, and overcome intercultural differences. Moving back and forth between the two countries enabled Mira to see the development of international business contacts as an opportunity to grow not only as a professional woman but also as a global citizen. In 2004, together with her husband Ilan Gez, she started LAJewishPages.com - an online directory to connect the Jewish community to the many businesses of Los Angeles - and then expanded it to her current company Pages LA that includes ten different ethnic communities. Sensitive to the multicultural and minority agenda, as an American citizen, Mira believes that a tolerant society is one that is good for economic growth and the success of all small businesses. Whether she helps ethnic businesses in LA grow, teaches internet use and marketing, or networks with women from the Business and Professional Women USA, Mira is always on the move and looks forward to a better, diverse, and more tolerant society.



Ilan Gez Founder

Ilan has more than fifteen years of experience in the area of internet technologies. Ilan has traveled the world for 18 years, visiting over 50 countries. He has lived in Australia, Japan, Thailand, South Africa, the Czech Republic and England. Ilan loves meeting people from diverse cultures and learning about their heritage. He worked for several years with his brother in Israel on developing internet applications. Ilan worked as a project manager for Danel Advanced Software Solutions Ltd., a leading back office software provider for the stock exchange industry in Israel. In 2004, Ilan founded LAJewishPages.com - a comprehensive Jewish web directory website for the Metro Los Angeles area and Southern California. In 2004, when he met and married Mira, he further developed with her this original internet product to include nine other communities in Los Angeles, which is their current company Pages LA. An avid reader of business literature and new research about the internet, Ilan believes that in the 21st century the internet can both utilize and maximize the buying power of ethnic markets. Although he has traveled the world and made the internet a home for many ethnic communities, Ilan loves Southern California and makes Los Angeles his home.

