

Gaming & Communication

who we are

formules

we are a consulting and development agency specialized in creating omnichannel experiences by combining business acumen with an extensive vertical knowledge of social gaming ecosystems.

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we accompany companies and institutions as a strategic consultant and content developer on creative projects related to Gaming & Web3.

we combine **creativity** and **business** to connect brands with their future customers.

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the evolution of gaming



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Fortnite (2017)

**just a few years ago, society
(and marketers) had a
different opinion on gaming
and its community
compared to the one they
have today**

the gamer's perception fallacy

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polarized communities

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nerd, loner

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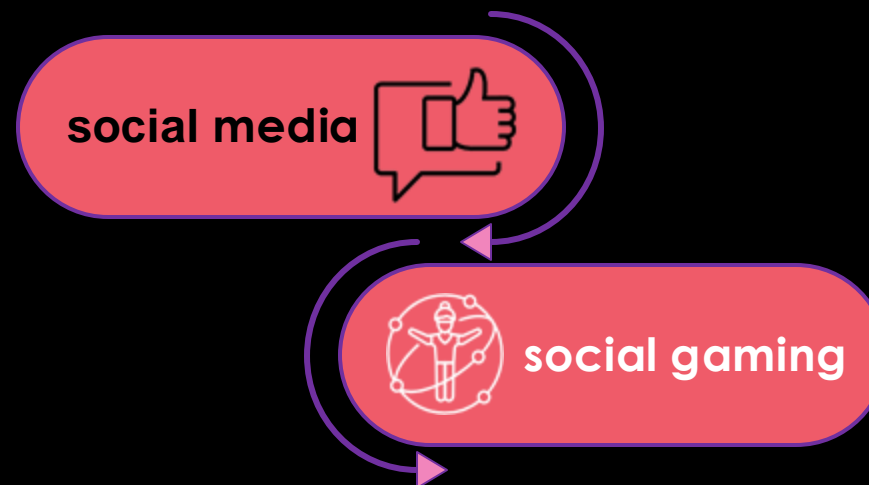
A person is seen from behind, sitting at a desk and playing a video game on a large monitor. The monitor displays a dark, atmospheric game scene with a character in the distance. The room is dimly lit, with the primary light source being the monitor. A white rectangular box is overlaid on the lower half of the image, containing the word "alienation".

alienation

**new-gen gamers don't play
to escape...**

**they play to connect and
use virtual worlds to do so**

virtual worlds – where gaming becomes social

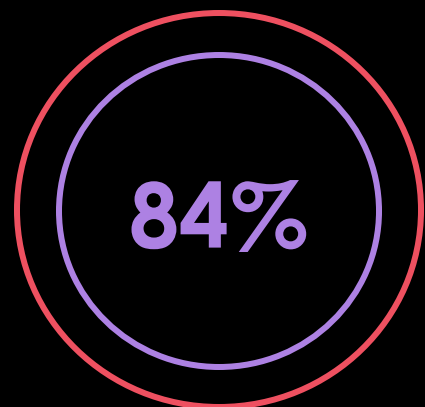


virtual worlds – the role of avatars



avatars are an essential element of virtual worlds, as they allow users to **express their individuality** and connect with others in a personalized manner.

they **influence the choices** that kids and teenagers make IRL.



of Gen Z and Alpha likely to buy a physical product after they have tried it in social gaming experiences (Roblox)



virtual worlds – main social gaming platforms

ROBLOX

- the preferred option for brands
- the most scalable and flexible platform to build on
- a new search engine

220M

MAU

13-24

target
audience

600+

branded
games

FORTNITE

- the most graphically advanced world
- it's opening to the creator economy
- users still prefer Battle Royale* Mode

230M

MAU

18-24

target
audience

200+

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MINECRAFT

- the world with the most loyal community
- one of the most popular videogames ever
- the only non-free to play out of the 3

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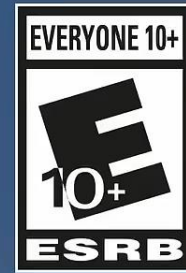
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Some optional items require purchase.