I'm James Stolbom.

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I'm an art director / designer living in Los Angeles, with a passion for creative storytelling and problem solving, and industry expertise in advertising and PR.

Let's work together.

Jul 2021 – Present	Edelman LA/Senior Art Director Dolby, Facebook (Novi), Sunkist, Taco Bell, Volkswagen
Apr 2015 – Present	Freelance / Art Direction + Design The Escape Pod, Jack Morton, Edelman LA
Apr 2018 – Dec 2019	FCB Chicago / Mid-Level Art Director Coca-Cola, Hewlett-Packard, Lexus, Massachusetts Financial Services, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Toyota
Aug 2016 – Apr 2018	Ogilvy & Mather (Chicago) / Art Director CDW, Huggies, Jimmy Dean, Modelo, Sargento, SC Johnson (Duck, Scrubbing Bubbles, Kiwi Shoe Care), Tyson
Sep 2014 – Apr 2015	Hoist Forklift MFG. / Account Manager Managed sales territory of IL, IN, WI and FL, generated leads, brought in new business, and created and distributed marketing materials throughout territories.
+ + +	Other gigs include: Daytime barista, nighttime bartender, and Brand Ambassador for Red Bull.
Jul 2015 – Aug 2016	Chicago Portfolio School Art Direction
Aug 2010 – May 2014	Indiana University (Bloomington) Bachelor of Arts in Media, Advertising / Graphic Design

Photoshop

Illustrator

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InDesign

Photography

Production

Accents / Impressions