

Groundbreaking work and the departments that make it possible. Throughout my career, I've delivered both. Most creative directors live for the output — the idea, the execution, the work. So do I. But few have also built the practices, teams, and cultures that make great work repeatable, on the agency side and the brand side. I know how to move fast without breaking things — unless, of course, it needs it.

Career Highlights

> Repositioning a Legacy Brand

Transformed OREO from legacy cookie brand to millennial entertainment brand — building the newsroom model and daily creative infrastructure that made it possible. Work like The Daily Twist, Snack Hacks, and the Kit-Kat Tic-Tac-Toe moment helped drive a 200% increase in engagement year-over-year and the highest brand buzz increase of any brand in 2012 — up 49%. Ad Age called us "the master of real-time marketing." And then the lights went out...

> The Work That Changed the Game

When the lights went out at the 2013 Super Bowl, a 360i strategist recounted in Industrial Logic that "Nuzzo threw out the line, 'You can dunk in a blackout'" — and with a line tweak and an iconic visual, it was ready to go. \$525MM in earned media impressions. Cited in Twitter's IPO prospectus. The Huffington Post declared the best ad of that Super Bowl wasn't an ad. Still taught in college marketing classrooms as the moment real-time marketing changed forever.

> Building an Entertainment Empire

It started with a \$30K HBO design job. Within three months: Roast Joffrey, Catch Drogon, Beautiful Death — 2.2 billion impressions and a near-decade partnership. That work led to A&E, History Channel, and Fox Entertainment — where #KidsAreDicks drove The Mick to FOX's biggest premiere since Empire, and The Orville launched with the first cryogenics sweepstakes at Comic-Con. One \$30K job. Four networks. An entertainment marketing practice built from the ground up.

> Rebranding an AI Pioneer

When a company is trusted by the Fortune 50 and world governments, the brand should feel like it. This one didn't. Rebuilt the creative team, gave the brand its first ethos and visual system. The first post-rebrand campaign drove 492% more leads, \$40.6M in pipe, and a 58% conversion rate — 2x industry standard. The brand finally reflected the company.

> Awards and Recognition

Cannes Lions Grand Prix, Gold, Silver, and Bronze; One Show Gold and Bronze; Clio Gold and Bronze; Shortys, Effie, Webby's, Digiday, IAB Mixx, Adweek's Project Isaac, Award of Montreux, and more.

Work Experience

Dataminr | 08/2024 - 03/2026

VP, Head of Brand & Creative

Toptal | 02/2021 - 07/2024

Executive Creative Director

United Entertainment Group | 09/2018 - 12/2020

SVP, Executive Creative Director

Chobani / Pressed Juicery | 09/2018 - 12/2020

Freelance Creative Director

360i | 02/2011 - 12/2017

Executive Creative Director

Razorfish | 07/2007 - 01/2011

Creative Director

Modem (PubMo) | 07/2006 - 07/2007

Associate Creative Director

DraffFCB | 03/2000 - 06/2006

Senior Copywriter

Education

Marist College | 08/1992 - 06/1996

BA Communications | Marketing & Journalism