

PROFILE

Dynamic leader of creative teams, whose highly collaborative approach draws from research, strategy, and experience.

- Builder of iconic brands
- Implementer of clear design processes
- Former partner of a successful design agency
- Founder of a nonprofit design business organization
- Evangelizer of generative AI and machine learning
- Transformer of teams in need of revitalization
- Creator of award-winning packaging
- Planner of effective digital strategies
- Visualizer of engaging campaigns
- Writer of clever headline copy
- Designer of the Showtime logo

EMPLOYMENT

100 Yards

Creative Director

New York, Fall 2021-Present

Team leader on all creative projects for a variety of clients in FinTech, B2B, and non profit

Marc Levitt Design

New York, Spring 2017-Present

Expert-level branding, marketing, and digital services for FinTech, wellness, and mid-stage startups.

MSLK

Interim Creative Director

New York, Summer 2021-Summer 2023

Team leader on all creative projects, contributing designer, while also training and onboarding new hires.

Anecdote

Creative Director

New York, Spring 2018 - Summer 2021

Lead a seven person team through strategic and creative development, marketing, copywriting, and production for a diverse client roster with 360° branding, packaging, digital, and advertising.

MSLK

Co-Founder, Creative Director New York, Fall 1998-Spring 2017

Oversaw a team of nine through numerous awardwinning beauty branding and packaging projects using a finely-honed strategic creative process. Directly helped Redken triple their sales over a six-year period (while reducing production costs by 50%) through my team's redesign of their #1 sales tool.

EXPERTISE

Brand architecture

Brand audits

Creative process & procedure

Design team assembly

Digital marketing campaigns

Generative AI

Naming

Packaging systems

Photoshoot planning and execution

Press run oversight

Rebranding

Research — qualitative & quantitative

UI/UX

Video shoots

Website development

SELECT CLIENTS

American Museum of Natural History

Johnson & Johnson

L'Oreal

Lunchbox Wax

Mobil

Ouidad

Pepsi

Showtime Networks

Tumi

Uber

The Wall Street Journal

Wigwam Mills

EDUCATION

The University of the Arts

Philadelphia College of Art & Design BFA, Graphic Design

ORGANIZATIONS

Spark Design Professionals

Co-founder & Board Member Emeritus

New York City College of Technology

Advertising Design & Graphic Arts **Advisory Commission Member** 2012-2014



AWARDS

AIGA Making the Case

Project: Fiament Brand Identity Project: Watershed Project

AIGA (Re)design Award

Sustainable Design Category, 2nd place

Communication Arts

Award of Excellence Project: MHS Reunion

FWA Site of the Day

Project: M Studio

GD USA, American Graphic Design Award

Project: Avivi Beauty Packaging

Project: Kristine Foley Photography

Project: LMCCE Catalogs

Project: MHS Reunion Invitation

Project: NY Sailing Center

Project: Redken 5th Avenue NYC

Project: Sparkle Collagen Packaging

Project: Thirsty / Thirty logo

Project: VMFA Invitation

Project: Wigwam Mills Branding

Project: Wigwam Mills Packaging

Project: Xerox Annual Report

Mohawk Annual Report Collection

Outstanding Achievement

Project: American Museum of Natural History

Mohawk Show

Top Finalist

Project: Caban/Lilien wedding invitation

Print Regional Design Award

Certificate of Excellence

Project: Elseware

Type Directors Club

Certificate of Typographic Excellence Project: Alkemist Labs Brand Identity

Certificate of Typographic Excellence Project: MHS Reunion Invitation

Webby Awards

Official Honoree

Project: Friend & Johnson Website

Official Honoree

Project: M Studio Website

SELECT PUBLICATIONS AND FEATURES

Book feature: Cohen, Emily. Brutally Honest: No Bullshit Strategies To Evolve Your Creative Business. (East Brunswick, NJ: Bookseller's Daughter, 2018) Pg 237-238

Project feature: Avivi packaging featured in the March/April 2016 issue of Communication Arts

Project feature: Alkemist branding featured in the March/April 2015 issue of Communication Arts

Book feature: Zweig, David. Invisibles. (New York, NY: Portolfio/Penguin, 2014) Pg 18, 51-52, 180, 199, 223

Article feature: Zweig, David. "What Do Fact Checkers and Anesthesiologists Have in Common?" Atlantic Magazine, April 2012

Book feature: Li, Jeff. Magic Branding. (Wanchai, Hong Kong: Designerbooks, 2010) Pg 262-263

Book feature: Klanten, Robert and Hübner, Matthias. Urban Interventions: Personal Projects in Public Places. (Berlin, Germany: Gestalten, 2010) Pg 202-203

Magazine feature: Benun, Ilise. "The Marketing-Smart Website." How Magazine, October 2010

Article published: Levitt, Marc. "7 Proven Tips For a Successful Web Site Redesign." Business Management Daily, March 2009

Article published: Levitt, Marc. "Retool to Lift Your Firm." Investor's Business Daily, January 15, 2009

Book feature: Praquin, Marc. MyOwnBusinessCard. (Barcelona, Spain: Index Books, 2009) Pg 204

Book feature: MEISHI Little Graphic Art Gallery (International Creators' Organization, 2009)

Article feature: "Urban Tumbleweeds Debuts in Desert." GD USA, September 2008

Book feature: Ed. Ford, Rob and Weidemann, Julius. Guidelines for Online Success. (Cologne, Germany: Taschen, 2008) Pg 48-49

Television feature: "Artists Find Beauty in Plastic Bags." NY1: Arts Report Feature, August 7, 2008

Book feature: Eldridge, Kiki. 1000 Bags, Tags & Labels: Distinctive Designs For Every Industry. (Glouster, MA: Rockport Press, 2006) Pg 123, 137, 164

Publication feature: "People To Watch in 2006." GD USA, January 2006