# **ALAN BADER PROFESSIONAL BIO**

## Entrepreneur, Brand & Product Leader, Multi-disciplinary Designer

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Seasoned design leader with a nearly 20-year track record of crafting and growing consumer brands. Adept at driving product development, optimizing eCommerce platforms, and executing successful go-to-market strategies. Proven ability to translate creative vision into tangible results, delivering impactful brand experiences and meeting budget constraints.

Work Experience -

## **Alchemist Collective**

Co Founder | 2022-Present
Identify, negotiate, design, and secure
the best products and suppliers
for retailers, ensuring quality, costeffectiveness, and timely delivery.
Create financial models to guide
strategic decisions and ensure
the company's financial health.
Spearheaded a white label catalog to

showcase and sell our products.

### Windship Trading

Dir of Product & Brand | 2019-2022

Oversaw the development, positioning, and market strategy of Windship's brands and products, ensuring alignment with brand identity and driving business growth. Areas of responsibility: product design and development, financial managements, and product sourcing.

## **Anomaly Artifacts**

Founder | 2014-2024

Designed, manufactured, and delivered beautiful, high-quality cannabis accessories. Negotiated with vendors, manufacturers, and other partners to secure the best quality products at competitive prices, ensuring seamless collaboration and timely delivery. Created and executed overall business strategy and operations.

## **Omerica Organic**

Lead Designer | 2006-2013

Maintained the brand's visual identity and creative direction, ensuring consistency across all design elements and products while enhancing brand recognition and appeal. Led a team of five employees and contributed to the company's growth from four to 19 employees and \$1 million annually.

### Accolades -

Canopy Boulder Business Accelerator - Fall 2015 cohort
Cannabis Now Magazine 2x 'Bong of the Year', 2016 and 2017
2010 Art Director's Club of Denver, Paper Fashion Show Honorable Mention

## Core Competencies -

Industrial Design | Product Development | eCommerce Management | Global Sourcing | Project Management | Visual Brand Management | Fast Learner

## Key Accomplishments —

Sold over \$1M of Elevate products
— mostly U.S.-manufactured, 100%
in-house assembled, packaged,
warehoused, and fulfilled

Successfully founded, grew, and sold two consumer brands, demonstrating entrepreneurial expertise and market impact

Led brand development for a Barcelona-based strain breeder and seed manufacturer (while living and working in Spain)

Led a team that designed, developed, and launched a new product every week for nearly two years

#### Education ——

#### Art Institute of Colorado

BA in Industrial Design | 2004-2008

#### Savannah College of Art & Design

Film + Video | 2001-2003

#### Skills ———

Product design | Prototyping | 3D
CAD Modeling | CAM Programming |
3D Rendering | Drawing | 3D Printing
| CNC Machine Operation | Financial
Modeling | Business Development |
Go-To-Market Strategizing | Market
Analysis | Merchandising | Social
Media Management | Project
Management | Photography | Video
Editing | Photo Retouching | Adobe
Suite | Microsoft Office | Google
Workspace | Auto Mechanics