

# **John Gregory Steele**

DESIGNER

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### **Summary**

- Exceptional contributions to your workplace, your brand and your bottom line.
- Aware, informed, and analytical unique life experiences widen your studio's reach.
- Accomplished manager, team catylyst and coalition builder.
- Familiar with budget, human capital, space, and equipment calculus and tradeoffs.
- Vast experience with highly technical operations and high stakes, fast moving evironments.

#### **Attributes**

Ardent Designer Informed, Critical Thinker Articulate, Poised Communicator Committed Team Member

Volunteer, Active Designing, Building Unique Props and Sets for Community Theater

#### **Skills**

Illustrator
InDesign
Photoshop
Word
PowerPoint

#### **Education**

BS United States Naval Academy

MA Georgetown University

BFA George Mason University (4.0 GPA, Dean's List, AIGA)

## **Experience**

Feb '17	Present	Director, Strategic Operations Division, Office of the Chief Security Officer, DHS
		Connects dots, gets it done; short fuse, and in the long, hard slog
2012	Feb '17	Chief Policy Advisor, Office of the Chief Security Officer, DHS
		Untangled fact from fiction; sorted out the complex, solutions devised quickly, expressed simply
2003	2012	Chief Security Officer, United States Coast Guard
		Subject matter expert; sought out for cogent, crisp advice on matters of critical import
2001	2003	Deputy, Anti-Terrorism/Force Protection, Counter-Drug Office, Chief of Naval Operations
		Hand-picked; managed staff, budget, priorities, information, time, and effort; there for 9/11
1999	2001	Commanding Officer, Naval Support Activity, Bahrain
		Unambiguously responsible; for everyting, including support for 5th Fleet, there for USS Cole
1993	1995	Commanding Officer, Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron 14
		Operated helicopters from an aircraft carrier; high stakes and visibility