



# DAN TORKEHAGEN

DESIGNER & ILLUSTRATOR

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## ABOUT

I am an independent multi-disciplinary product designer based out of Oslo, Norway. I have a background in industrial design and over seven years of design studio work experience in Los Angeles working closely with industry-leading lifestyle brands. I love all aspects of design and I'm passionate about producing creative projects of the highest quality, in addition to constantly exploring my personal art.

A key asset beside my own work is my collaborative network of other well-established and up-and-coming talented individuals. These include but are not limited to graphic designers, developers, product designers, and photographers. This great network enables me to handle large-scale international projects that cover several creative disciplines.

## EXPERIENCE

Present	<b>Freelance</b> <i>Designer/Illustrator - OSLO, NORWAY</i> Opening shop as a freelance designer
2008 - 2015	<b>Mage Design LLC</b> <i>Industrial Designer - LOS ANGELES, CA</i> I worked to accurately identify and influence fashion aesthetic, and cultural trends through design, all while giving me a combined experience in action sports, fashion, technical design and lifestyle. My responsibilities during this time include, but were not limited to; Marketing Strategy, Product Design, 3D modeling, Brand Identity, Trend Insights/Inspiration, Conceptual development, Apparel design, Soft Good design and Graphic design.
2008 - 2015	<b>March LA-B</b> <i>Design &amp; Developer - LOS ANGELES, CA</i> Working as designer and developer for the French/American based watch company. Assisting in all aspect of design from the start of the company until present.
2005	<b>Vtech AT&amp;T</b> <i>Design Internship - HONG KONG</i> While living in Hong Kong, working on develop a new rugged outdoor phone concept for Vtech, closely adhering to their design language, brand and aesthetics.

## EDUCATION

2005 - 2008	<b>BS, Industrial Design</b> Arizona State University, USA
2004	<b>Professional Drawing</b> Norwegian Institute Scene & Studio, Norway
2003	<b>Mandarin Language Studies</b> National Taiwan University, Taiwan

## EXPERTISE

*Product Design, Commercial/ Editorial Illustration, Accessory design, Art Direction, Graphic Design, Apparel Graphics, Hard and Soft Good Design, 2D/3D CAD Development, Branding and Logo Services.*

## SOCIAL

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