

#### Latest Episode

Classics: The Necessity for Creative Strategy with Steve Leder, Badge Design Studio



# Insight of The Week

Caution: There is such a thing as TOO much strategy

- There is always a need for strategy in creative as a foundation and a point of alignment and vetting. However, there is such a thing as strategic paralysis which can cause many things:
  - The work never moves forward
  - The work becomes uninspired/weighed down
  - The creative AND client team disengages
  - It becomes too hard to understand

Without complete alignment, there is no creative strategy. Even with the very best strategy in the world, if it isn't built with the team and believed/bought into by the team, it doesn't exist. It is important for the creative & strategic leads to be aligned first and always in front of the team.



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FRp Spotlight

### ForthRight Women Event

"Elevate Your Voice"

When: September 28, 2023

Where: North by Hotel Covington Guest speaker: Donna Salyers

Ticket info coming soon!

Steve Leder, Founder, Chief Creative Officer Badge Design Studio

"You have to take your own ego out as a designer because it's not about you and what you want to be doing, it's about your client and what they're trying to communicate to their consumer."



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