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# Hi, I'm Katelyn Bottoms.

I'm a creative writer with a background in advertising, brand strategy, digital marketing, and design. I also know enough art direction to be helpful.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

FCB Chicago Senior Copywriter 2021-Present

I helped launch a new brand campaign for Kleenex, which included TV, social, print, digital, and OOH. I also worked on a winning new business pitch for Walmart Fashion. I'm currently launching a new brand for Pfizer.

Sparks Grove | North Highland Senior Writer 2018–2020

I led copywriting for Delta Air Lines. This print, digital, and experiential work helped client win Best Overall Airline award for three straight years.

Nebo Agency Senior Writer & Content Strategist 2017–2018

I handled all copywriting and content strategy for FLOR, the carpet tile manufacturer, as it transitioned from brick and mortar to click and order. This included developing a new brand strategy, and then executing it across website, email, paid media, and print catalog. I also proposed and created a new sustainability content stream that's still in use today. BrightHouse Consulting Senior Writer 2013–2016

BrightHouse helps Fortune 500s uncover brand purpose. Here, I worked on multidisciplinary teams to uncover insights, synthesize findings, and bring them to life through creative storytelling. In addition to client work, I initiated a project to establish BrightHouse as a powerful voice in purpose conversations online. I built the company a new website and developed content and social media strategies. This work played a key role in BrightHouse's acquisition by The Boston Consulting Group.

## **CAPABILITIES**

Blog Writing Brand Platforms Campaign Concepts Content Creation Email Marketing Headlines Manifestos & Narratives Messaging Frameworks Naming Scripts Social Posts Taglines Website Copy

## SELECT CLIENTS

American Express, AT&T, BF Goodrich, Blue Shield of California, Delta Air Lines, Dr Pepper, FLOR, General Mills, Griffith Foods, Interface, Kleenex, KPMG, NCAA, Pfizer, The Home Depot, Vicks

#### PRESS & RECOGNITION

Little Black Book, Harvard Business Review, CNN, The Wall Street Journal, Counter Culturist, Rebrand 10D, AMA Atlanta, Atlanta Interactive Marketing, Pubcon Interactive Marketing, Adland, PR Daily

## EDUCATION

UNC Chapel Hill B.A. in Journalism

Miami Ad School in Minneapolis Copywriting Certificate

The Creative Circus Course of Study: Art Direction & Design

## APPRENTICESHIP

Invictus Forge Ray Bowen, Blacksmith