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Partner of Tokyo-based PM company
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"We believe that brands and business can change the world," says <u>Rick Grehan</u>, a native of Beltast, Irahand and founder of Tokyo-based ward-winning ethical creative agency <u>ImageNBL</u>, "The world is heading towards an environmental and social disaster tipping point, and I's us to brands & husbases to change it!"

What's the strategy? We help to bring meaning to brands, to find their jumpose and then communicate those values in engaging and authentic stories, 'Rick says,' and design to provide the properties of the properties of champion purpose driven organizations and create conscious brands that leave a good colopint on the samth. We deeply crea bout the environment and the impact our clients have on it."

How does imageMiLL shift the needle? "We combine creativity and imagination to produce content aimed at truly moving people." Rick explains. The agency creates media with powerful narratives and an innovative blend of journalistic and branding techniques focused on driving changes in

creation of real stories that can influence consumers. One example is imageMLL's 'Save the Beyond', a collaboration with the History channel and Citzen watches, where they explored the ends of the planet, highlighting the work of eco heroes doing their best to prefect our natural resources."

our natural resources. We need to wake up and realize how disconnected we have become from the earth, balance our lives and do what we can to stop the destruction of habitats. I want people to realize their strength, to realize the importance of the small actions they take every day, and that every yet they spend is a vote for the kind.

What does Rick need to expand?

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Mitch Taylor, CEO, JumpStart Corporation

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