

*Steven Stolen, VP, Corporate Advancement, Indy Chamber*

*Steven Stolen enjoys a crazily eclectic life. Girded by over twenty years in higher education, nearly fifteen on the campus at Butler University, as a professor and department head as well as a visit to the “dark side” as a fundraiser and senior administrator and fortified by a musical career that has taken him from coast to coast as a solo artist, he shares a view of the world that blends a love of teaching, music, community, and country that is, if anything “unique...and viewed by many as living one’s life in a fashion we all might wish.*



*Mr. Stolen has been a local and national advocate for issues of equality, education, and beauty throughout his adult life. He is active as a performing artist and continues his commitment to music by presenting free concerts in his neighborhood as the Resident Artist of Meridian Song Project, in its twentieth year as well as a “still busy” schedule as a solo singer nationally. He hosts a wildly successful weekly radio program, STOLEN MOMENTS, heard Sundays at 6 and Tuesdays at 9 on WFYI Radio, and struggles and rejoices with the wonders and weariness of parenting and grand parenting, often, even daily in “pleasant collision. “*

*A former music faculty member at Central Michigan University, Roanoke College, Simpson College and Butler University, he has also served as managing director of Indiana’s largest professional theatre company, Indiana Repertory Theatre, executive director of the Indianapolis Children’s Choir, regional director for Rocketship Education, senior director of external relations for Indiana’s leading domestic violence shelter, the Julian Center, and as vice president of Indiana’s largest local chamber of commerce, Indy Chamber. Steven is a former member of the Rotary Club’s Board of Directors. Stolen shares his rich life with his husband of now nearly 30 years, his daughter and delighted by his grandson, who can, as Mary Tyler Moore did, “turn the world on with his smile.”*