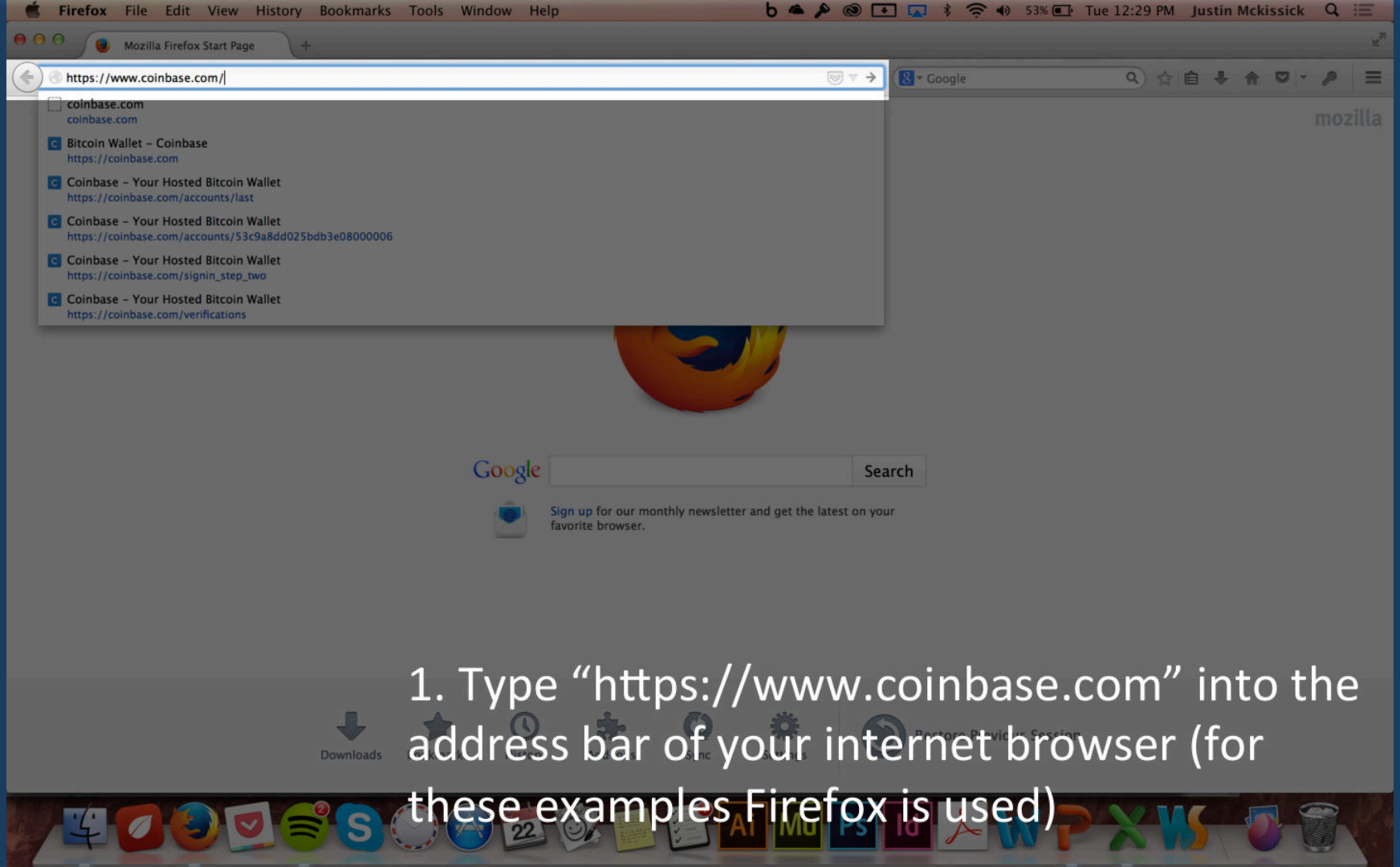
Signing up for Coinbase

Overview

1. Setting up your initial account
2. Verifying your email address
3. Setting up two-factor authentication via your mobile phone
4. Creating your first Bitcoin address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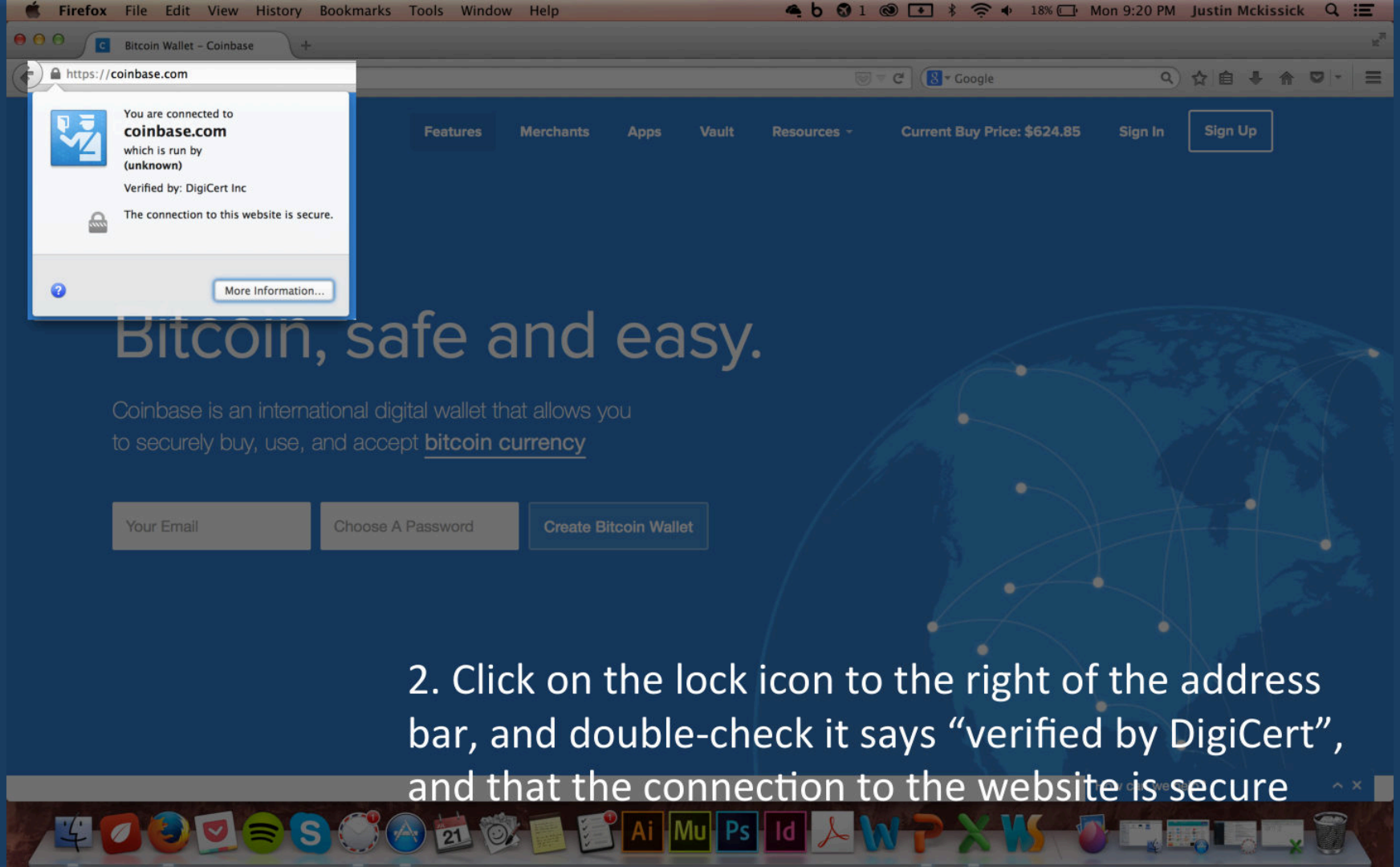
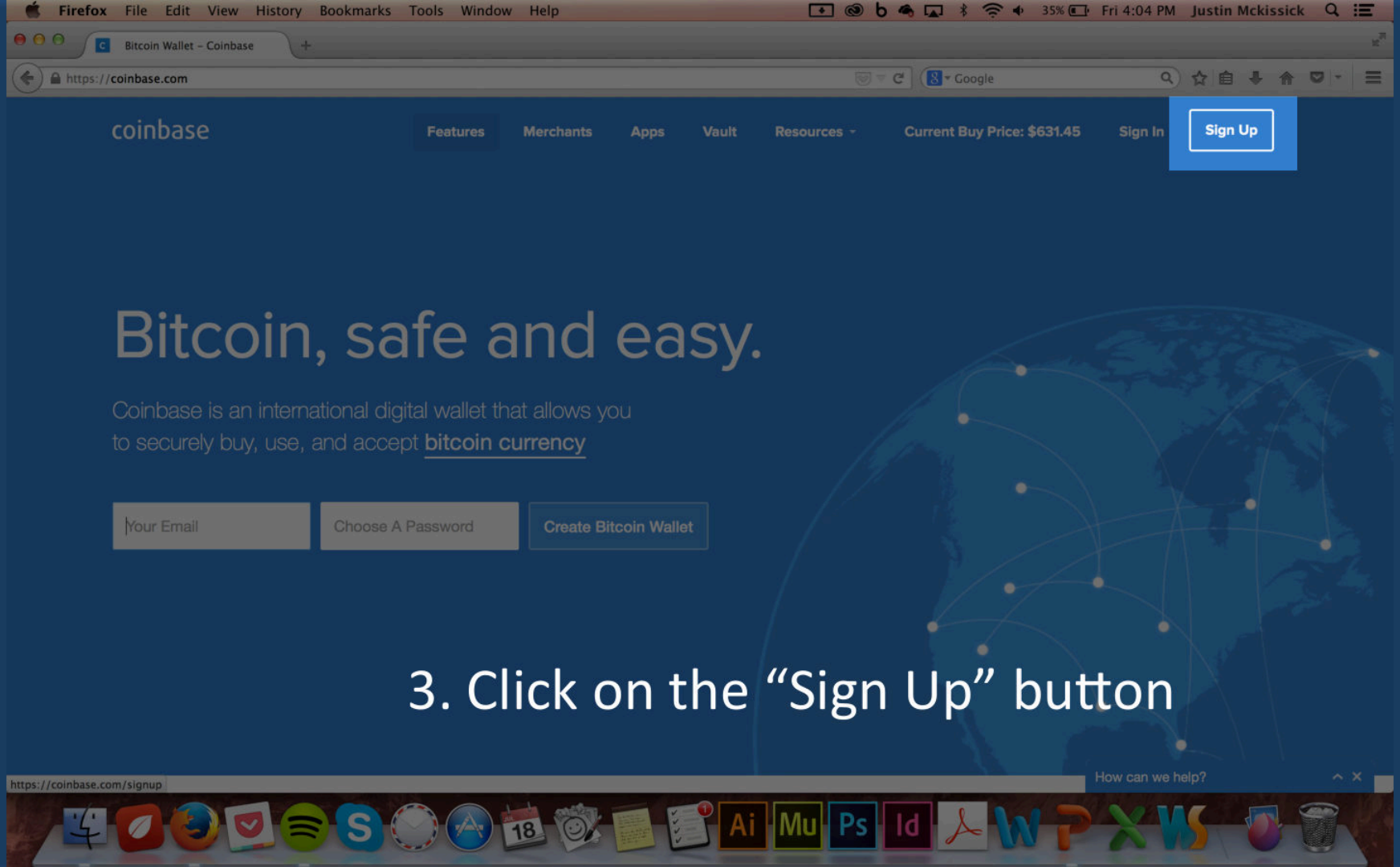
Downloads
1. Type “https://www.coinbase.com” into the address bar of your internet browser (for these examples Firefox is used)



2. Click on the lock icon to the right of the address bar, and double-check it says “verified by DigiCert”, and that the connection to the website is secure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Bitcoin, safe and easy.
Coinbase is an international digital wallet that allows you to securely buy, use, and accept bitcoin currency
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3. Click on the “Sign Up” button
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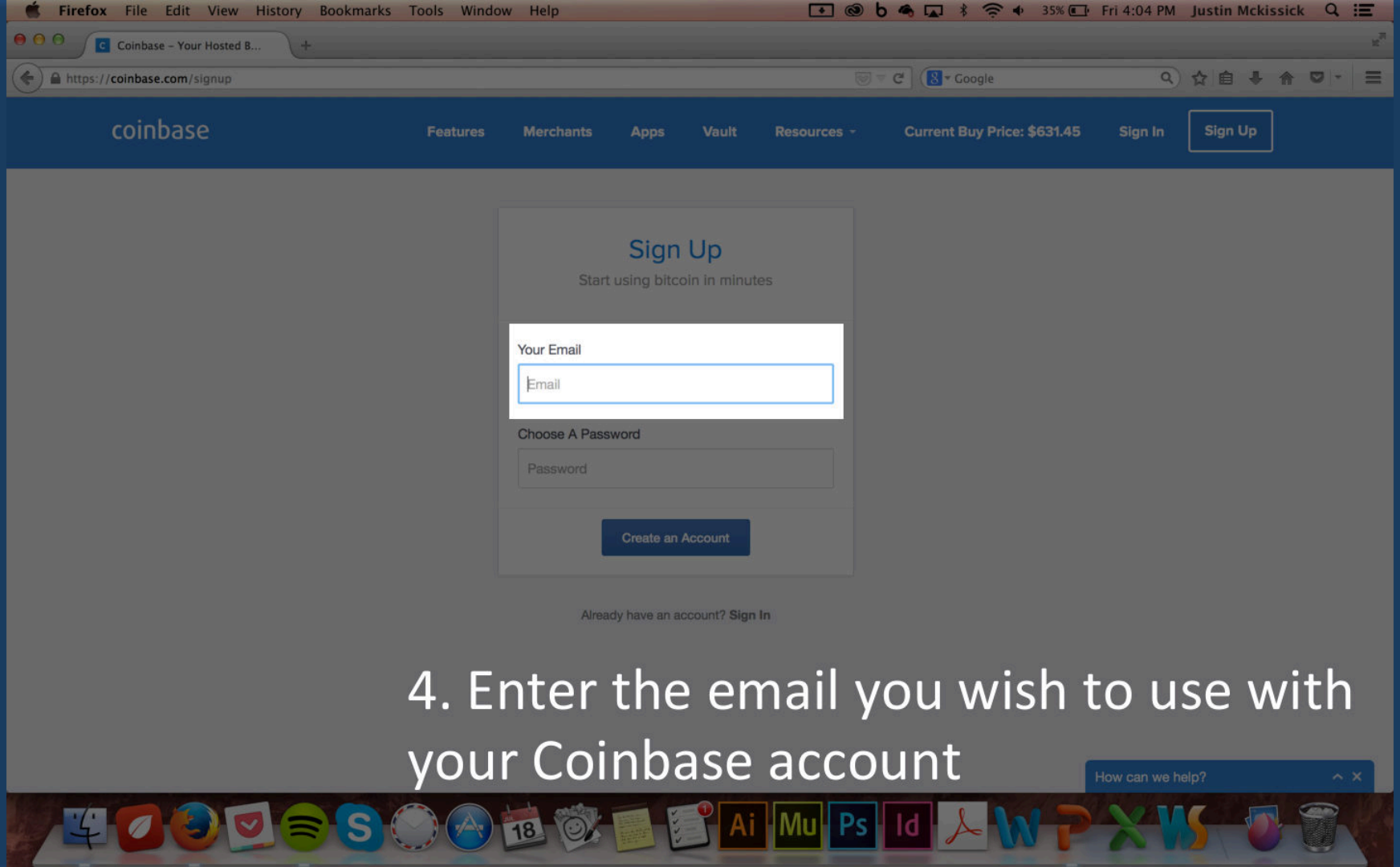
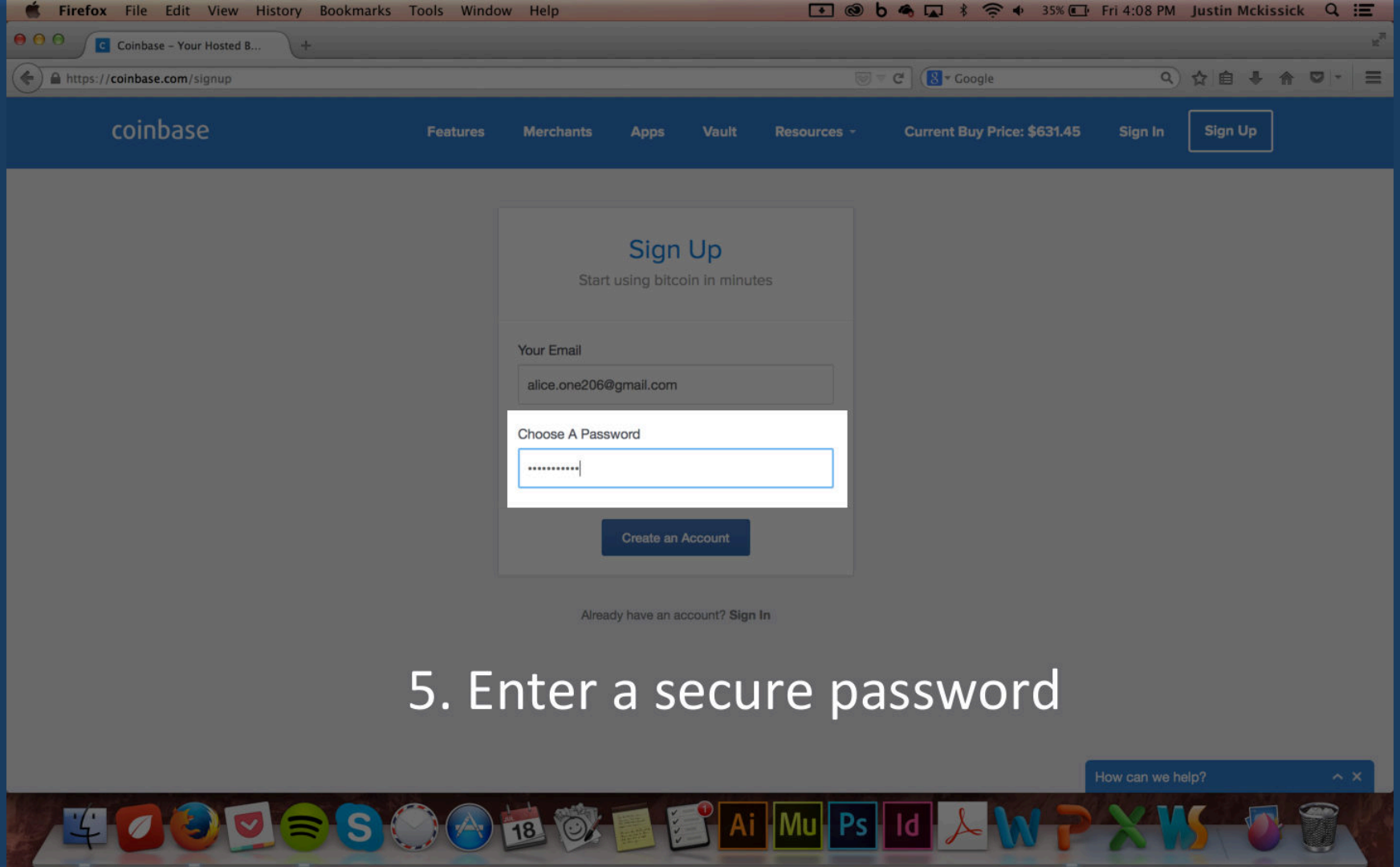


4. Enter the email you wish to use with your Coinbase account



5. Enter a secure password

1Password

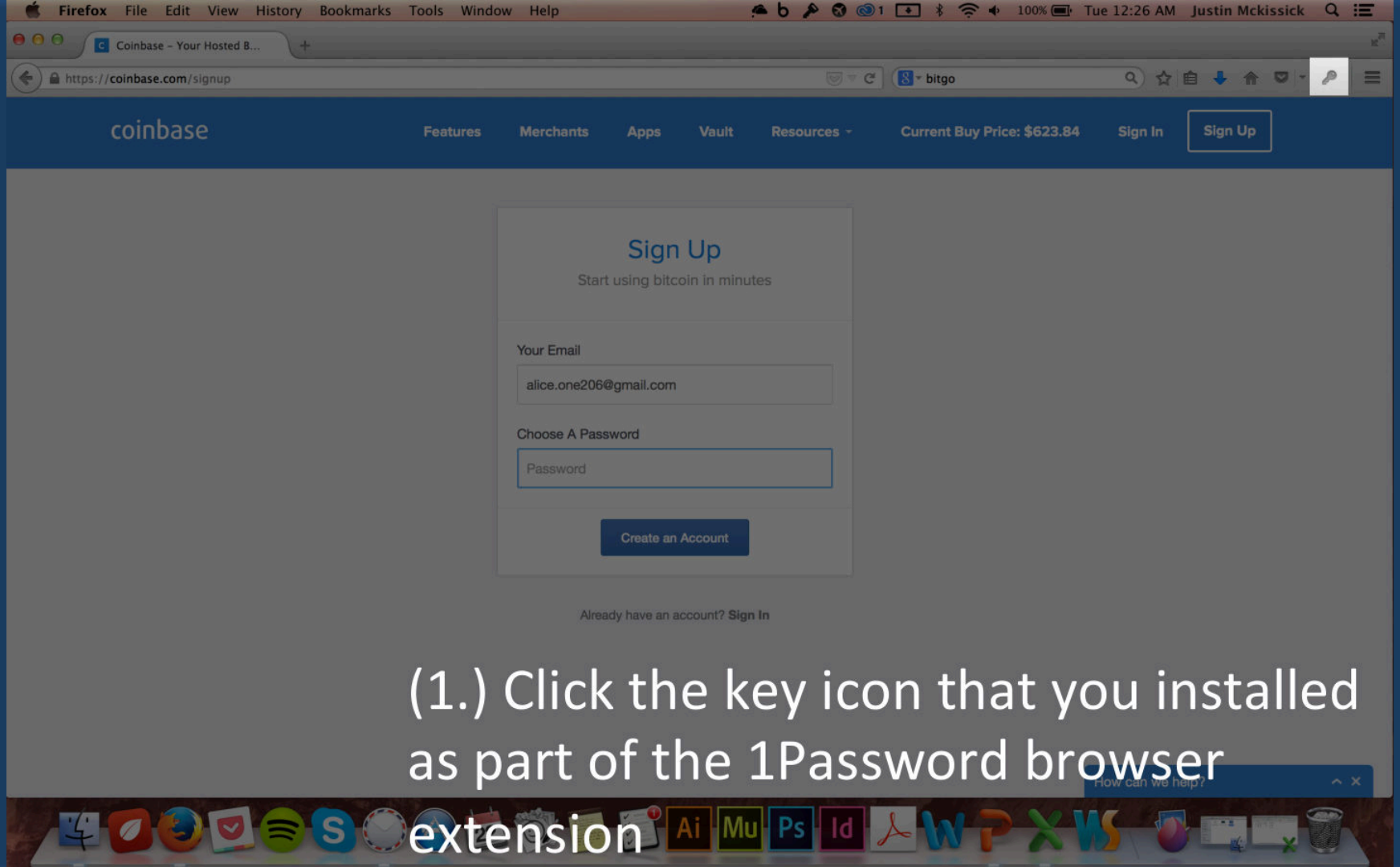
In order to create a strong password, the 1Password application will be used

For the next few slides the 1Password application as well as the downloadable browser extension will be used

1Password

For more information on 1Password and how to use it, go to

https://agilebits.com/onepassword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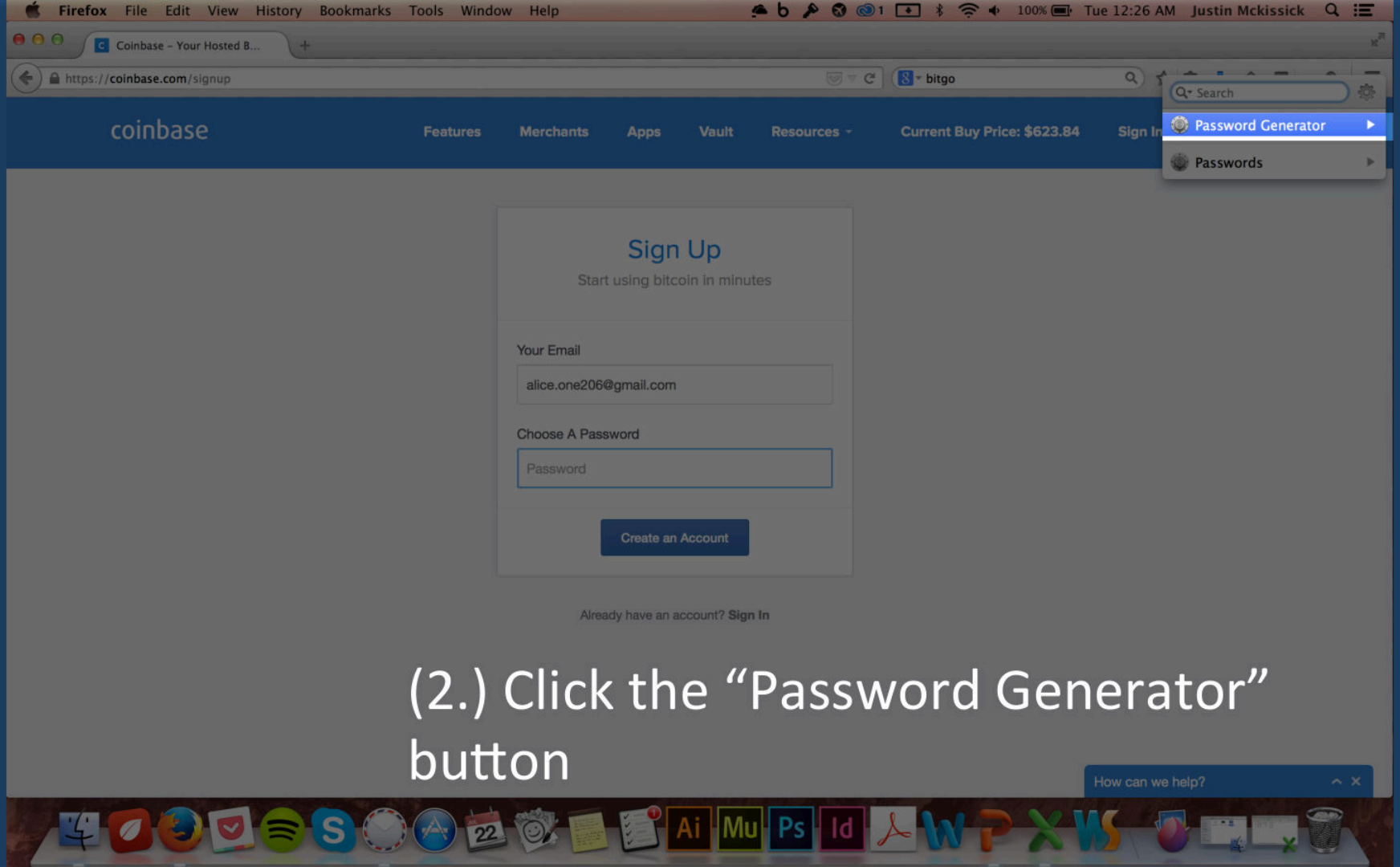
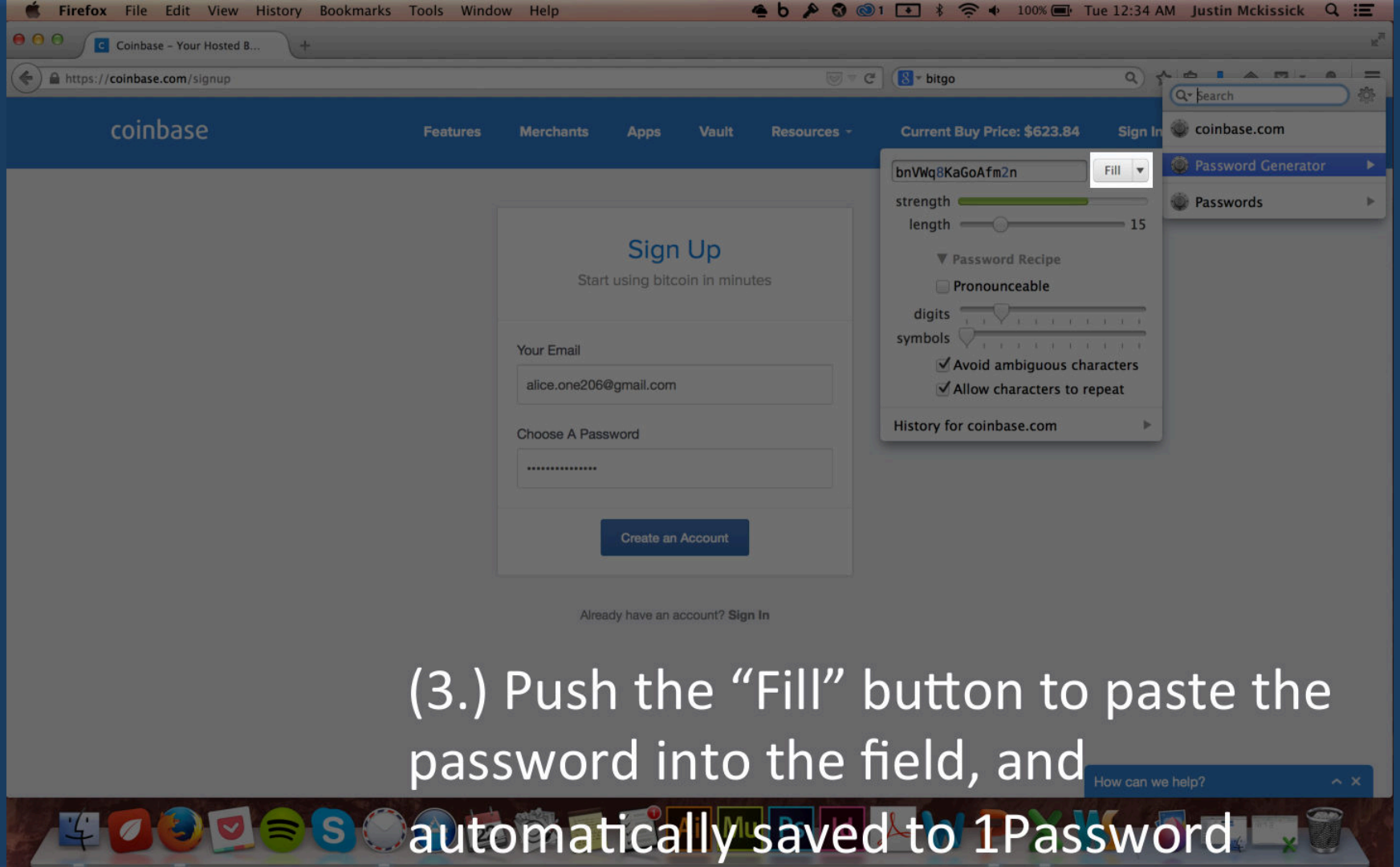
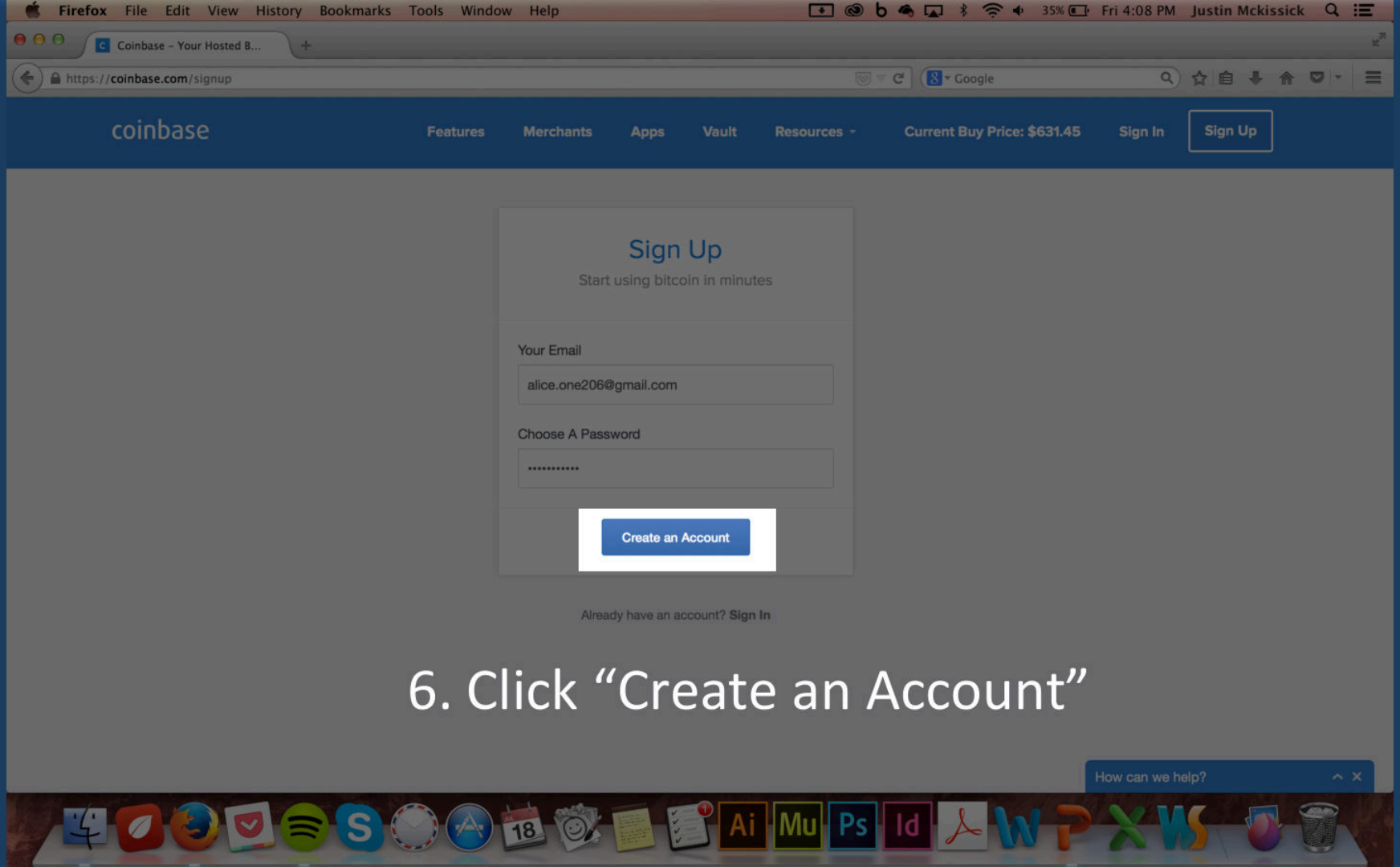


(2.) Click the “Password Generator” button



(3.) Push the “Fill” button to paste the password into the field, and automatically saved to 1Password



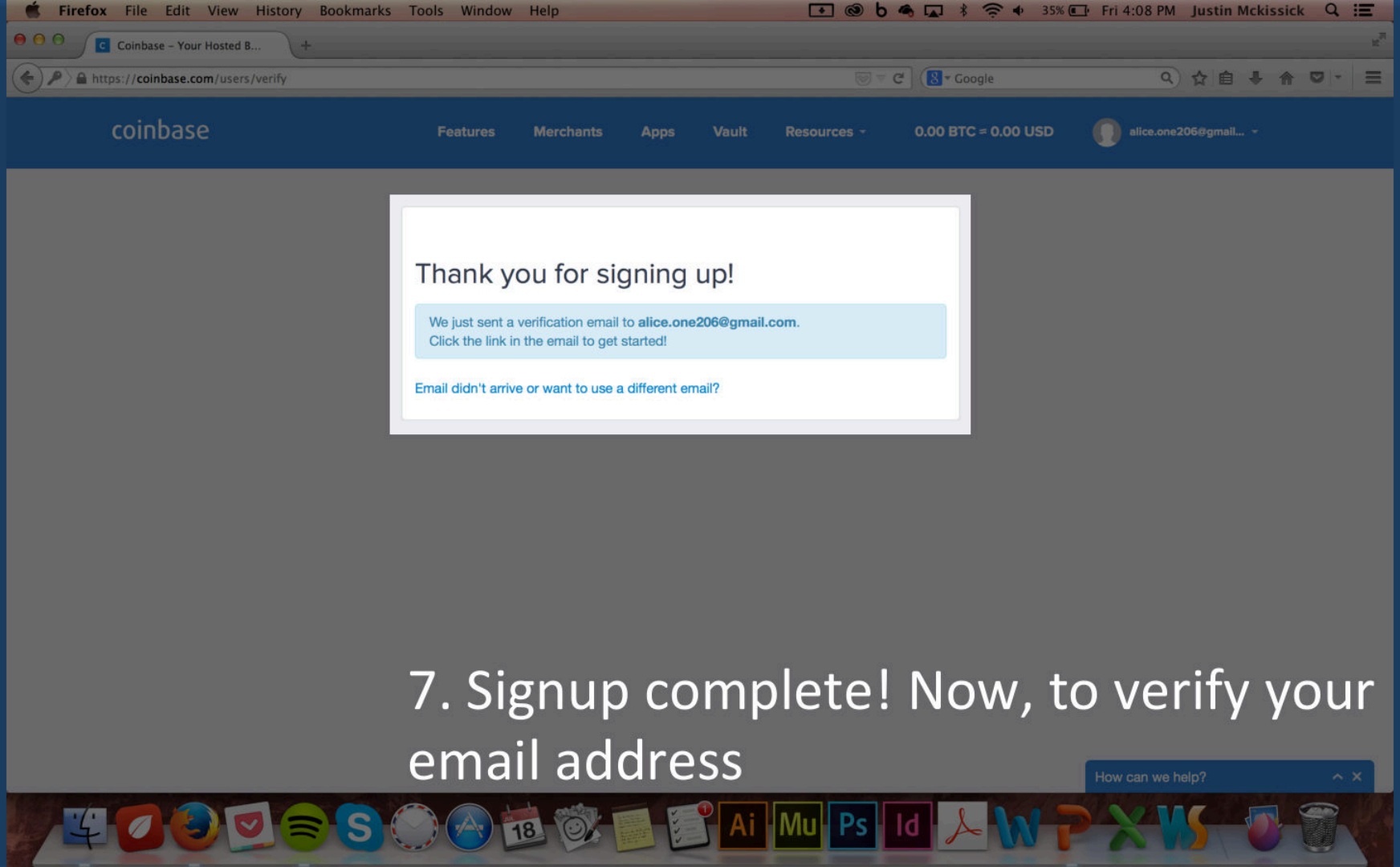
6. Click “Create an Account”

1Password

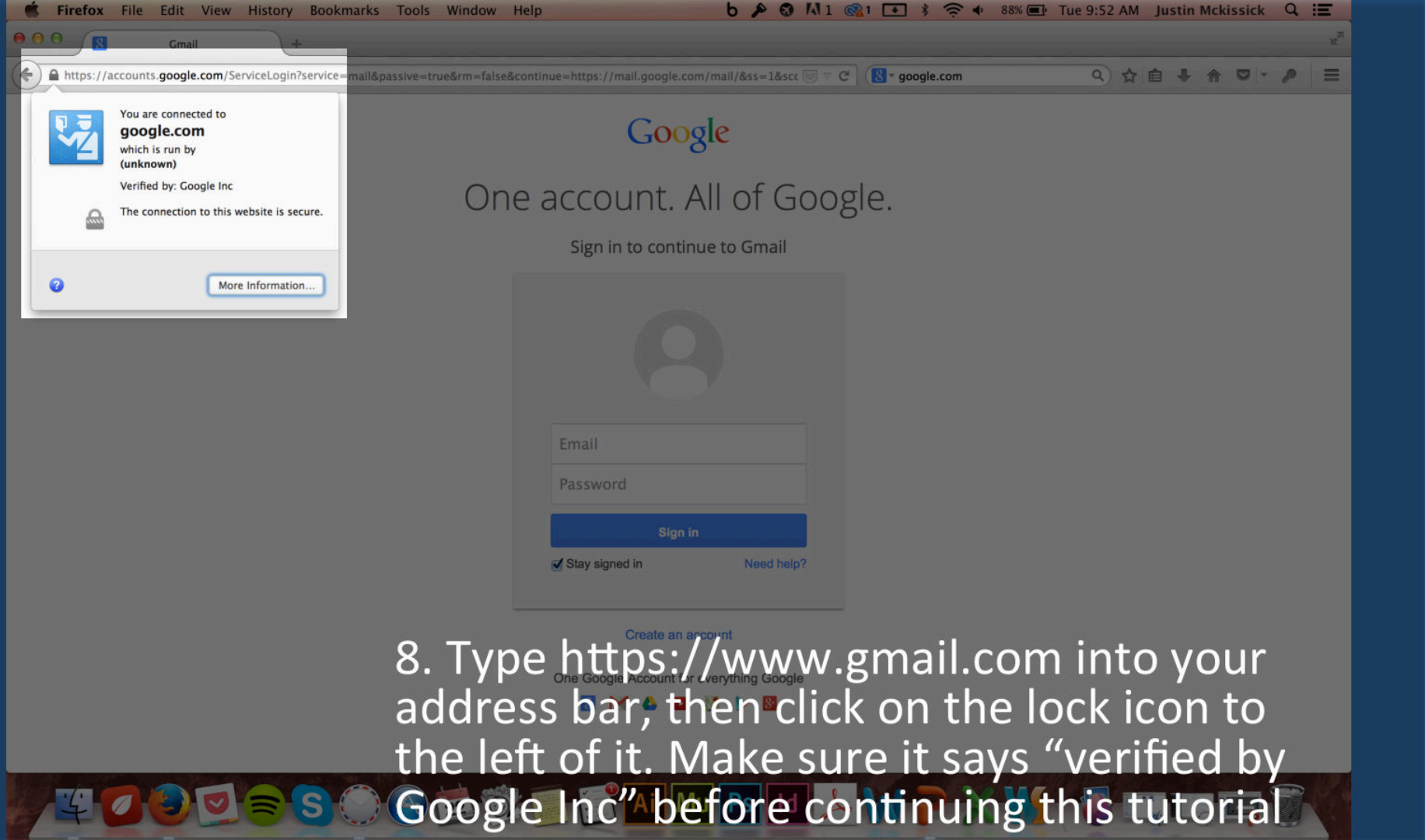
This concludes the usage of 1Password to create a strong password for Coinbase

Congratulations, you now have a Coinbase account

Now to verify your email address



7. Signup complete! Now, to verify your email address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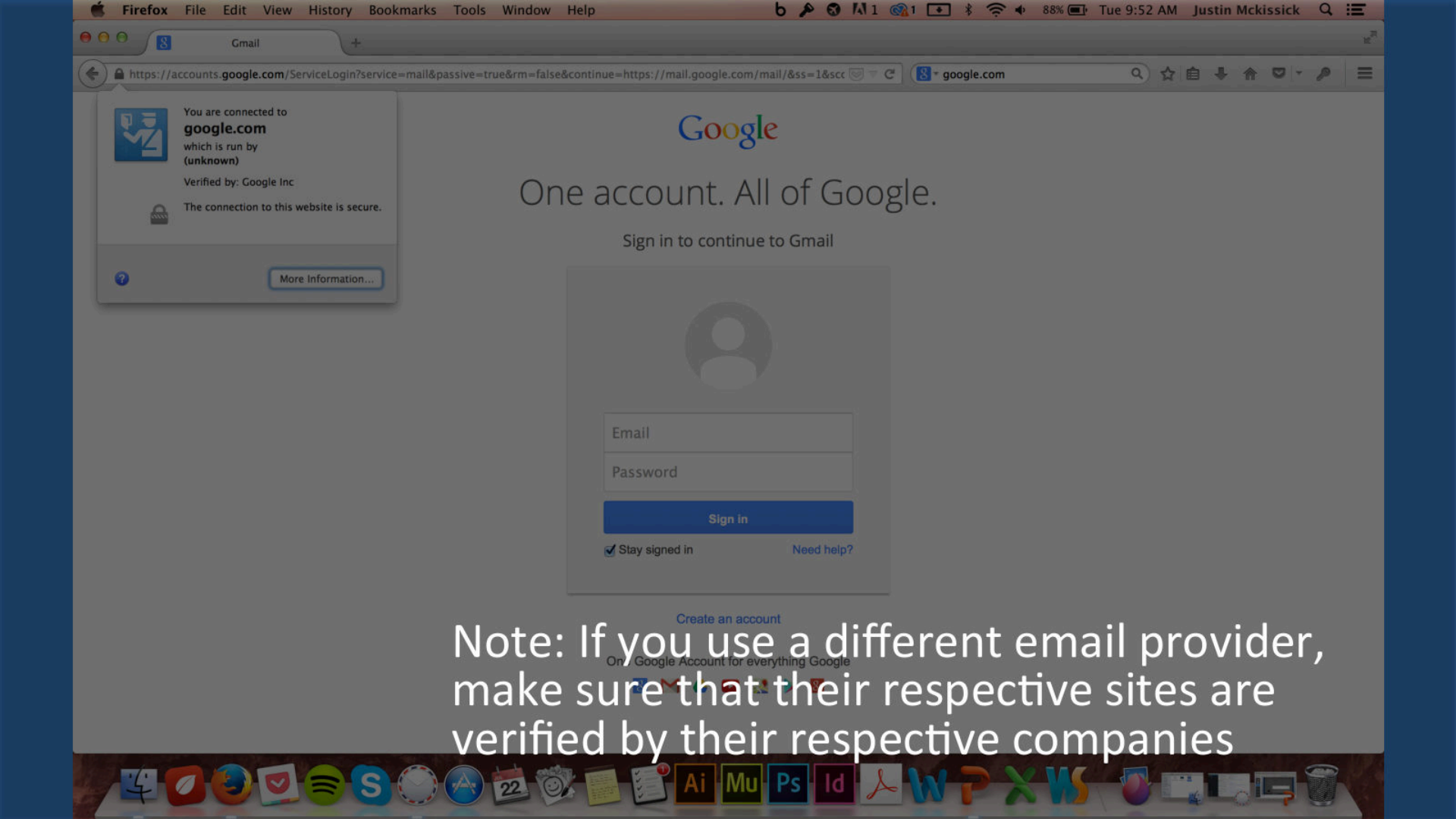
8. Type https://www.gmail.com into your address bar, then click on the lock icon to the left of it. Make sure it says “verified by Google Inc” before continuing this tutorial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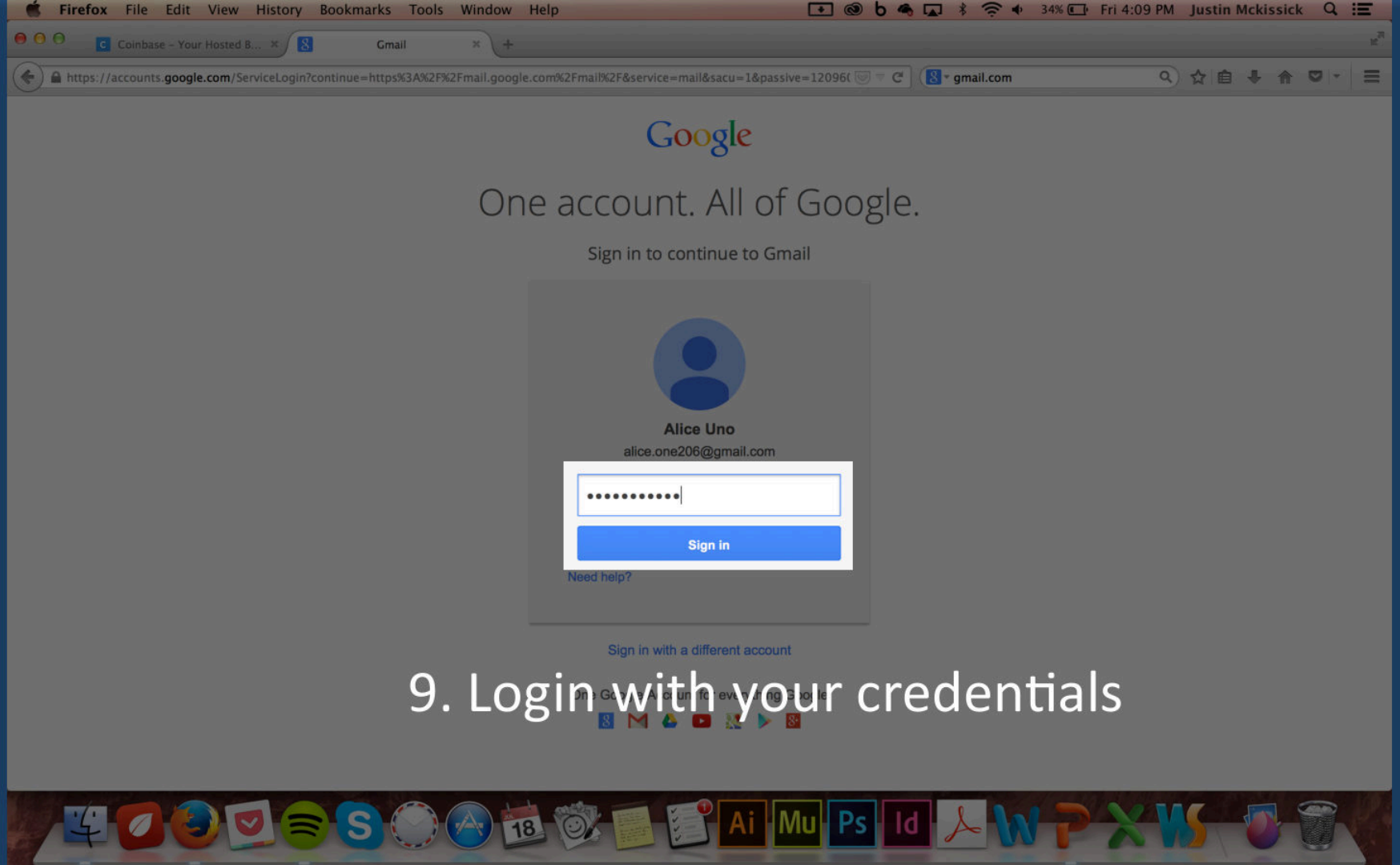
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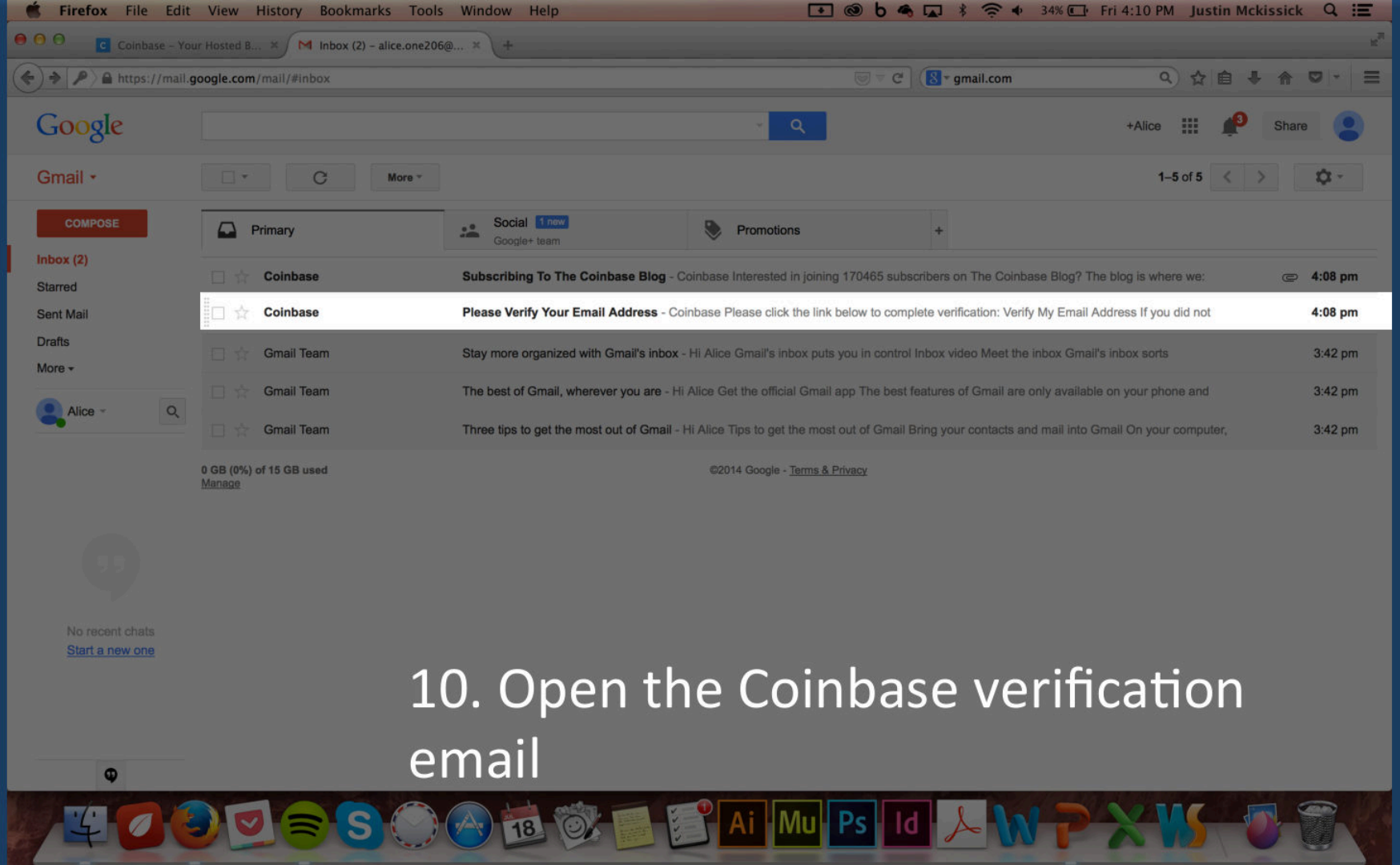
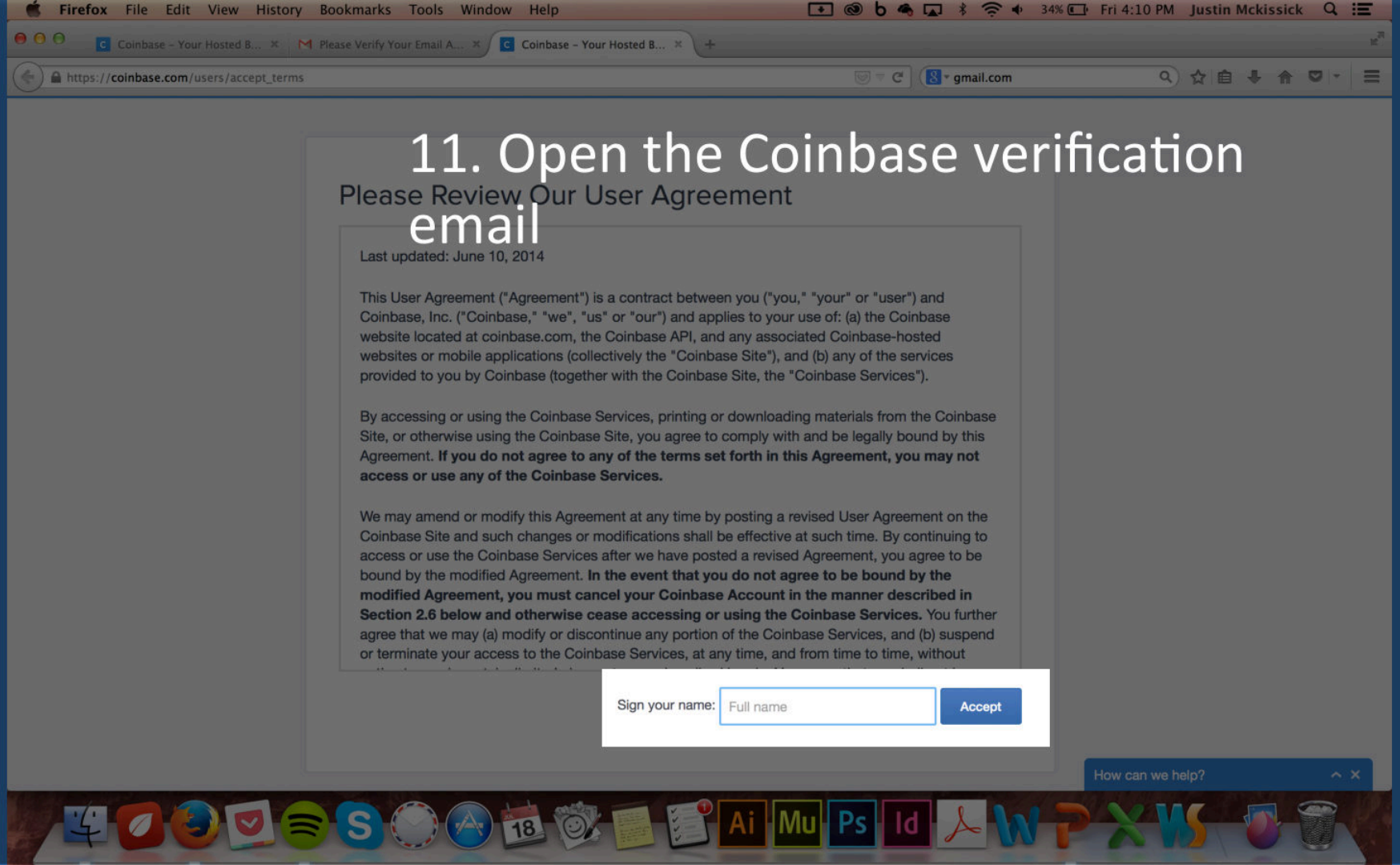


10. Open the Coinbase verification email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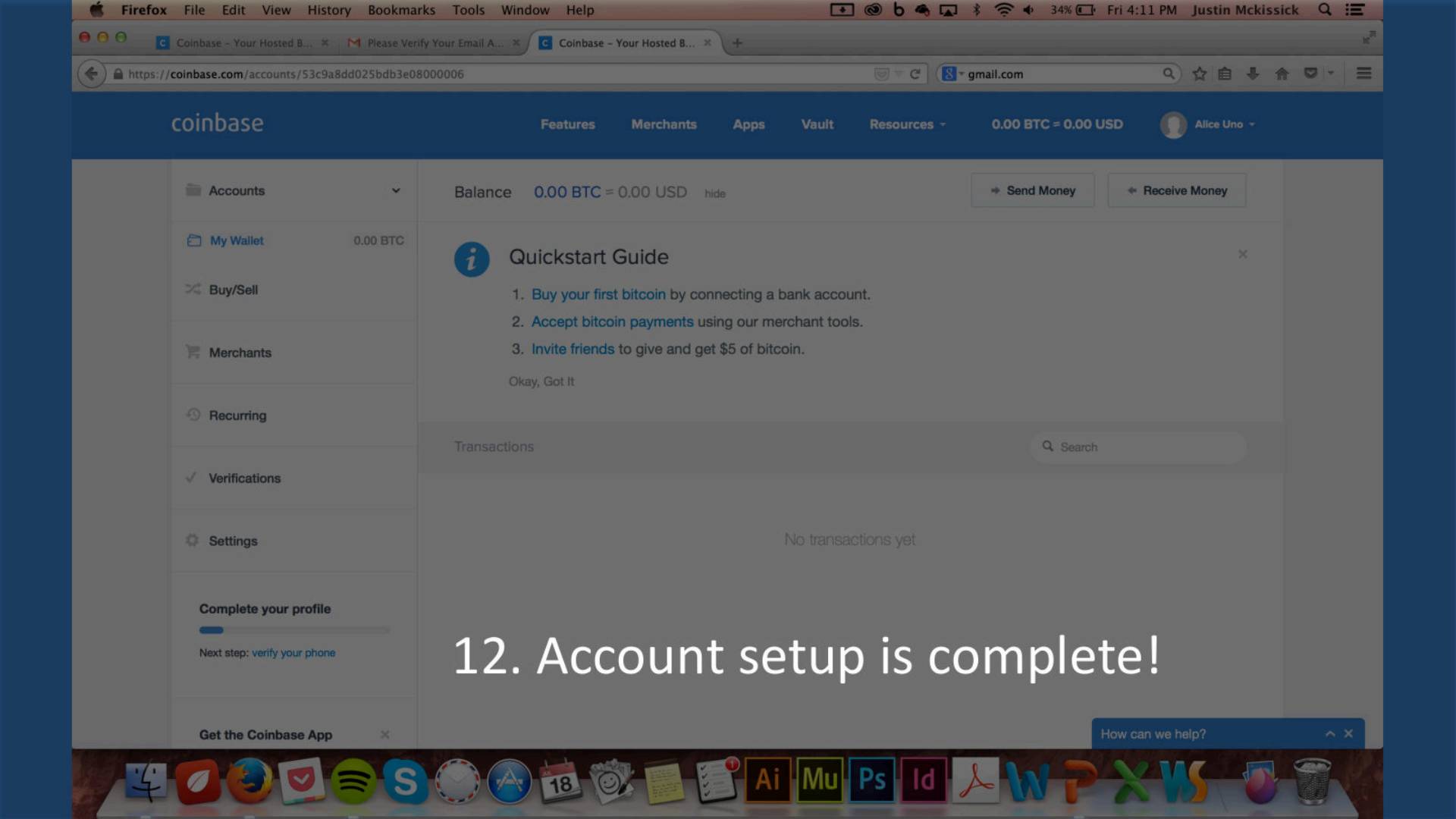
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Okay, Got It
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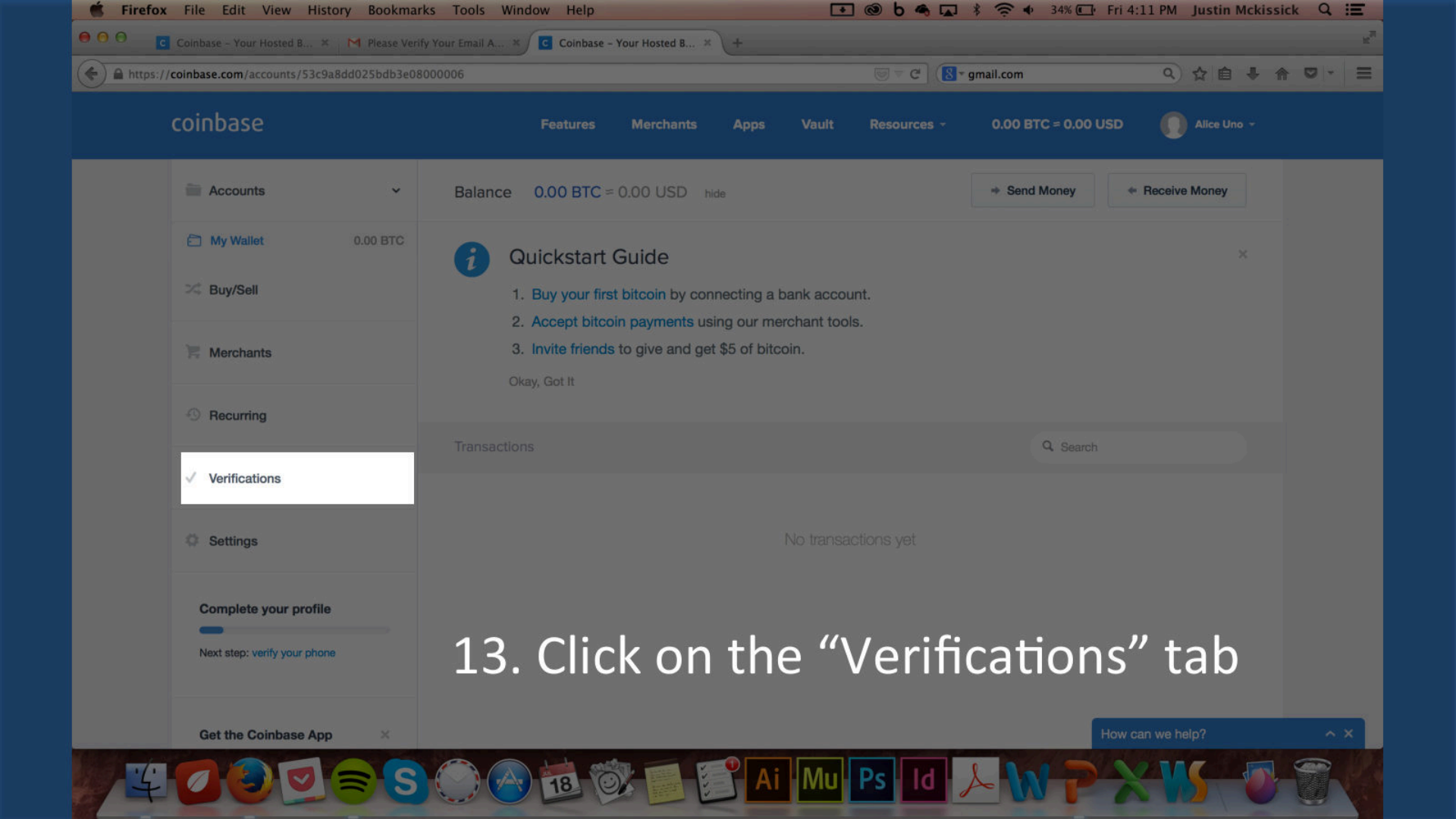
Get the Coinbase App
How can we help?
12. Account setup is complete!

Two-Factor Authentication

Making your Account more Secure



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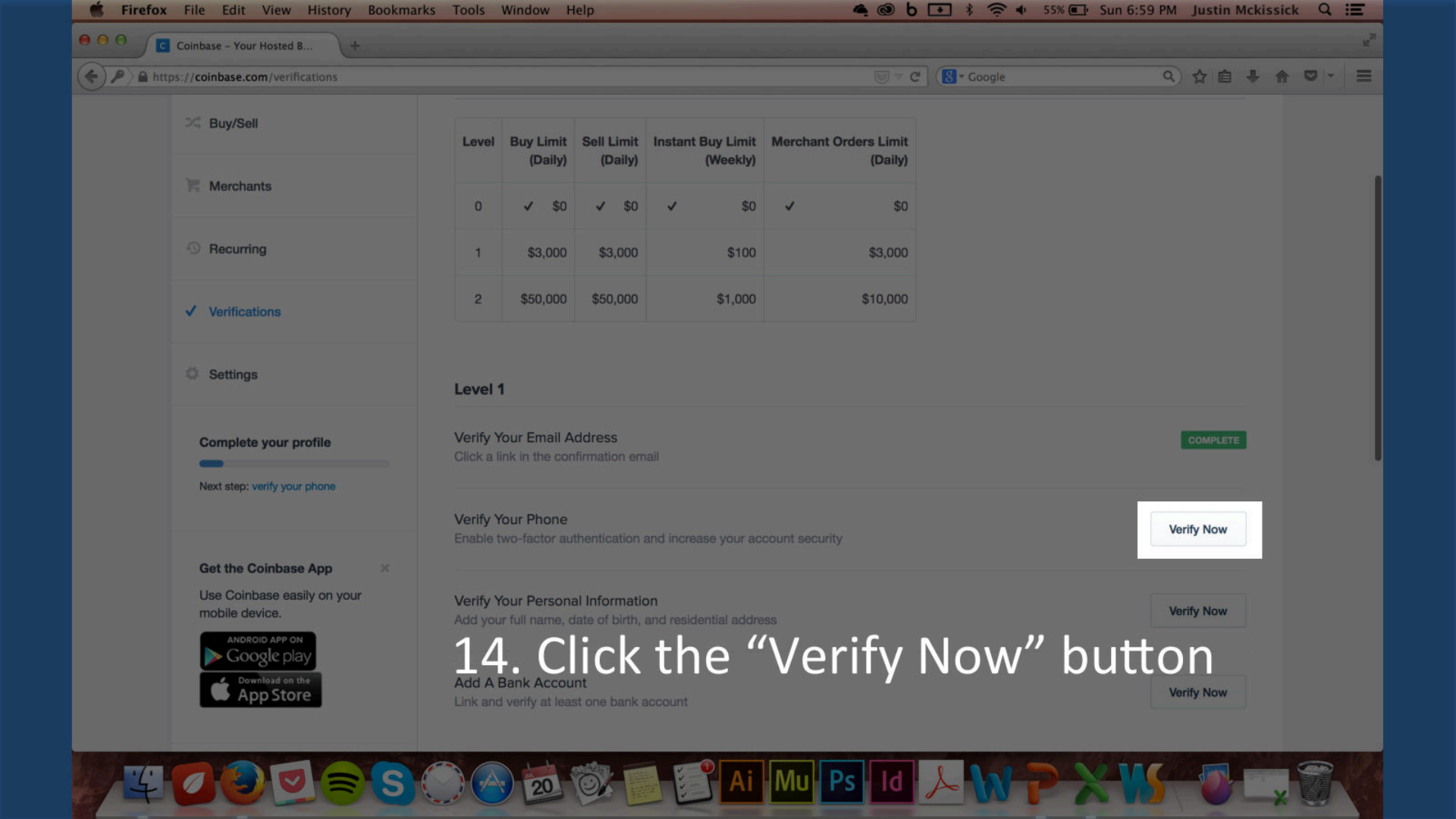
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Level 1
Verify Your Email Address
Click a link in the confirmation email
COMPLETE
Verify Your Phone
Enable two-factor authentication and increase your account security
Verify Now
Verify Your Personal Information
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Link and verify at least one bank account
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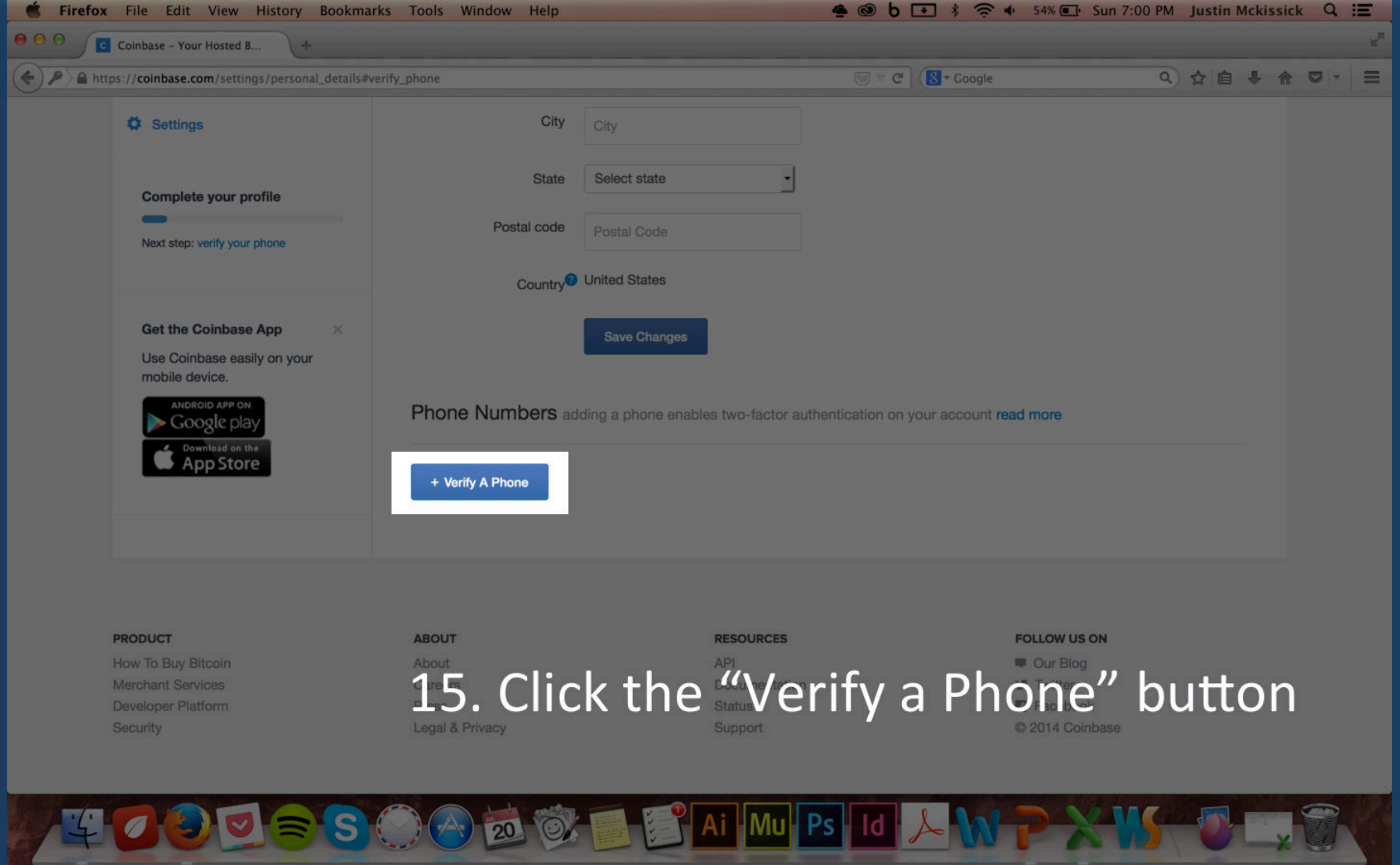
14. Click the “Verify Now” button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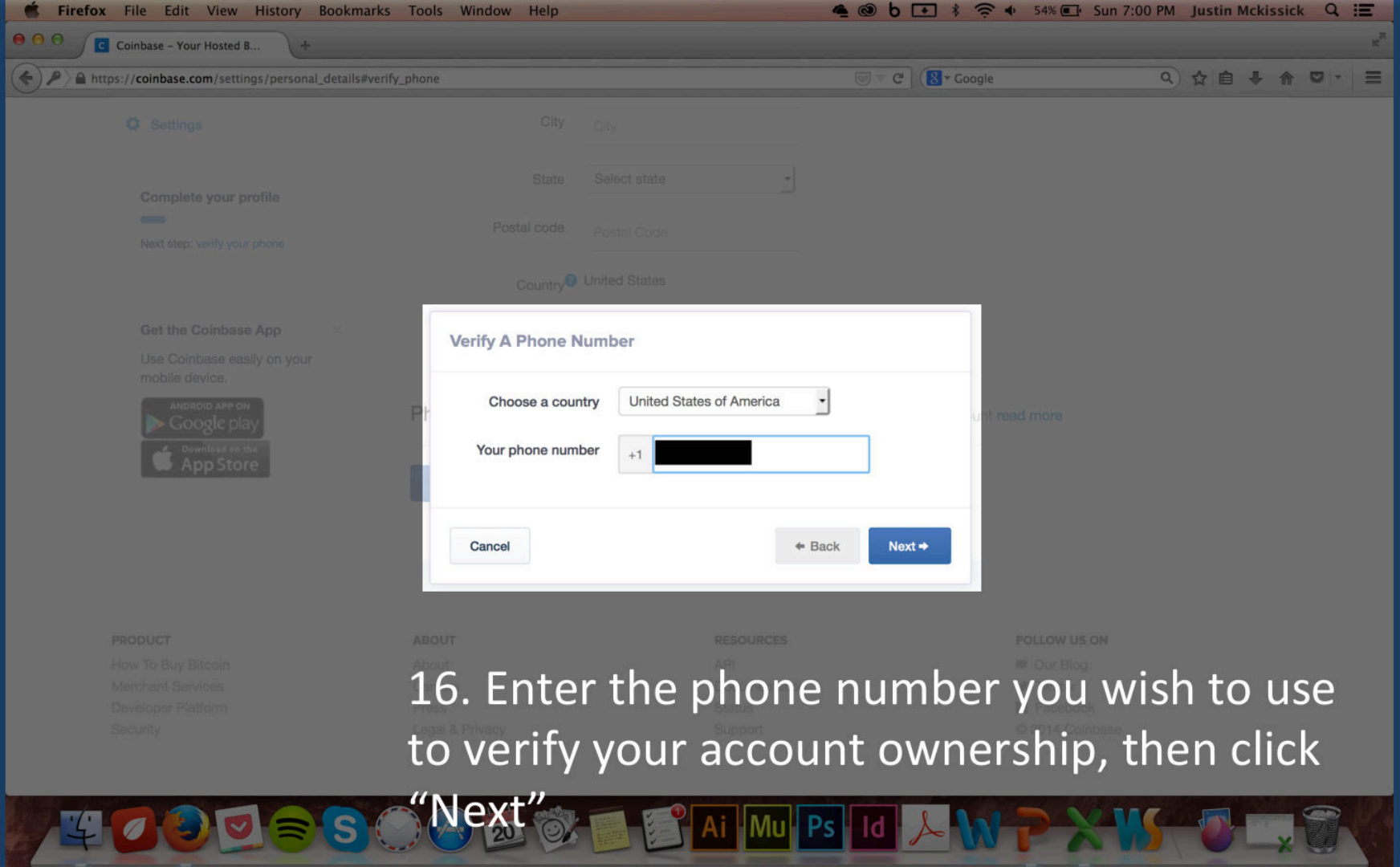
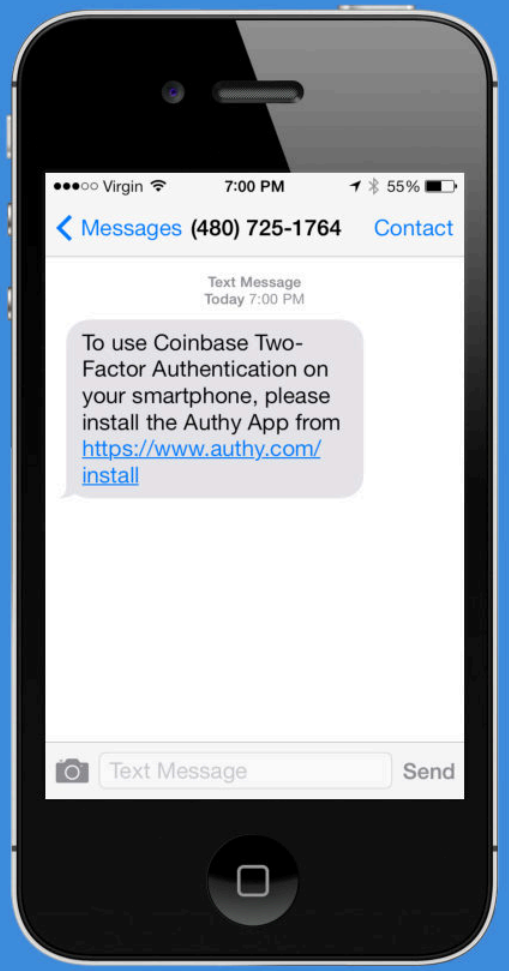
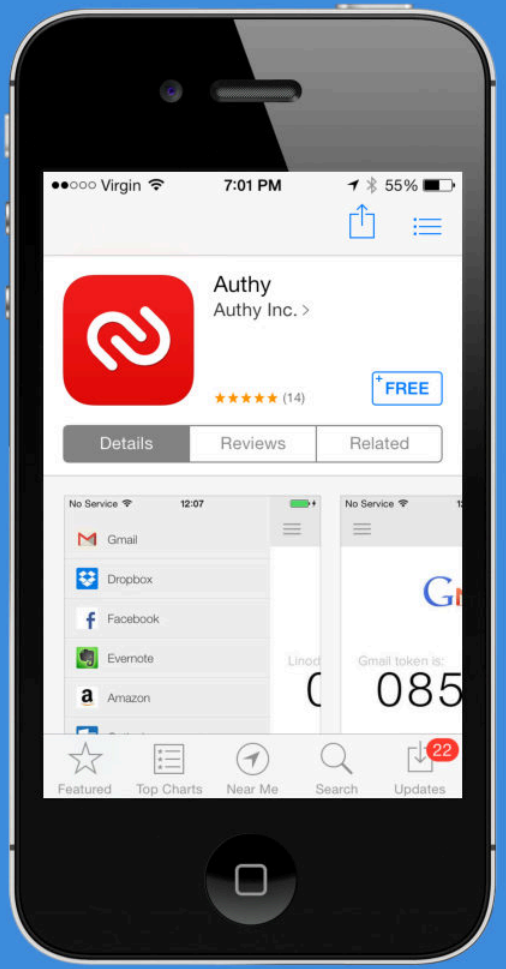


16. Enter the phone number you wish to use to verify your account ownership, then click "Next"

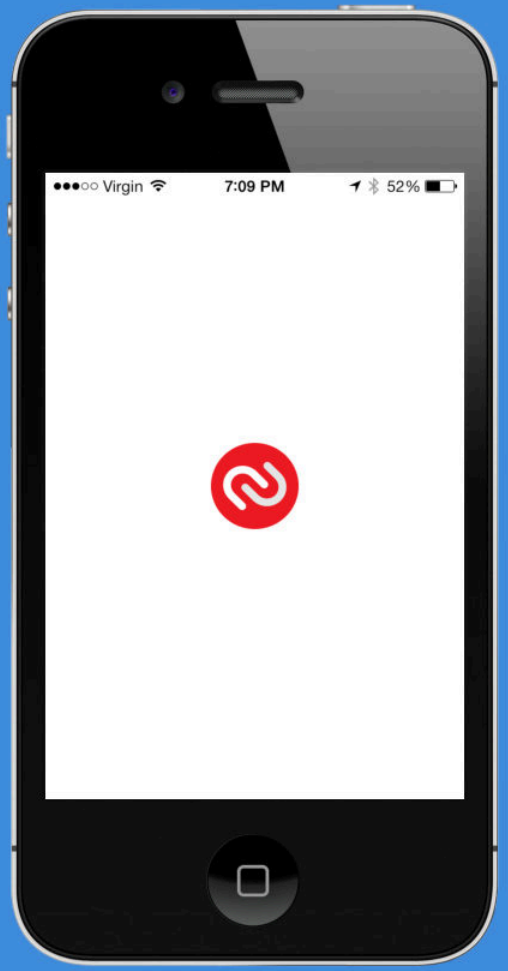
17. Click on the link that you receive via text message from Coinbase.



18. When prompted, download the Authy application.

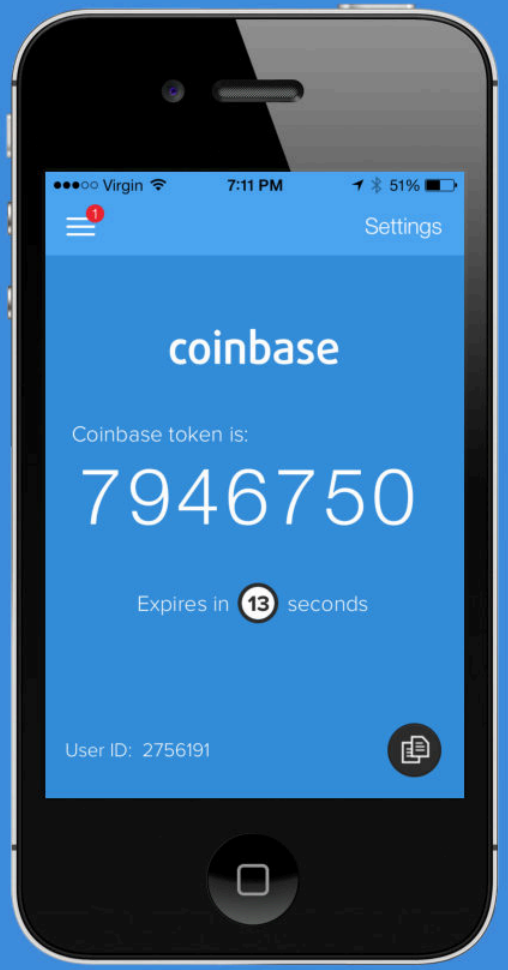


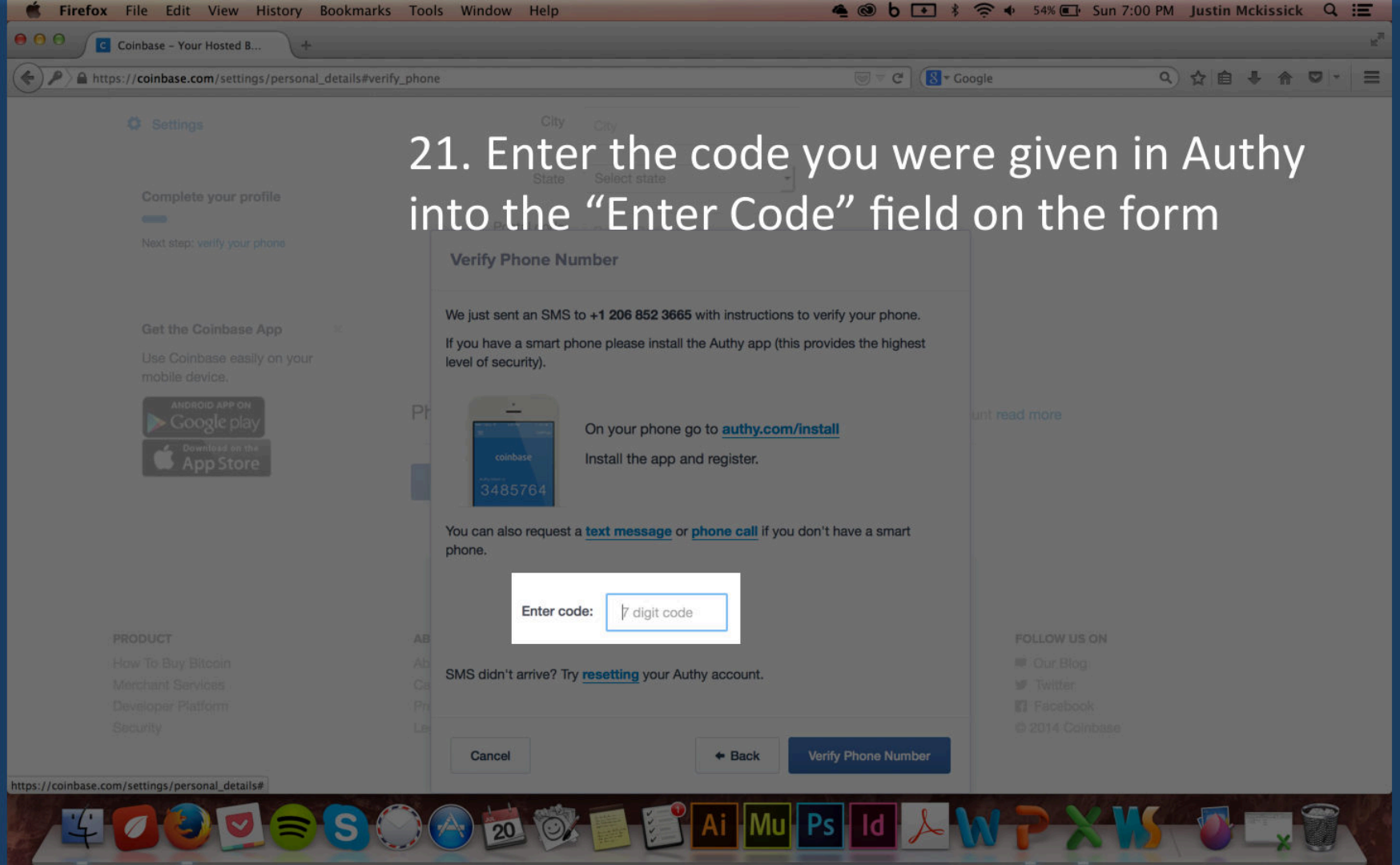
19. Once downloaded, open the Authy application on your phone.



20. Now take note of the code you see on your phone, and enter it into the window on your computer before it expires.

If it does, simply enter the new code given instead.




21. Enter the code you were given in Authy into the “Enter Code” field on the form
Verify Phone Number
We just sent an SMS to +1 206 852 3665 with instructions to verify your phone.
If you have a smart phone please install the Authy app (this provides the highest level of security).
On your phone go to authy.com/install
Install the app and register.
You can also request a text message or phone call if you don't have a smart phone.
Enter code:
7 digit code
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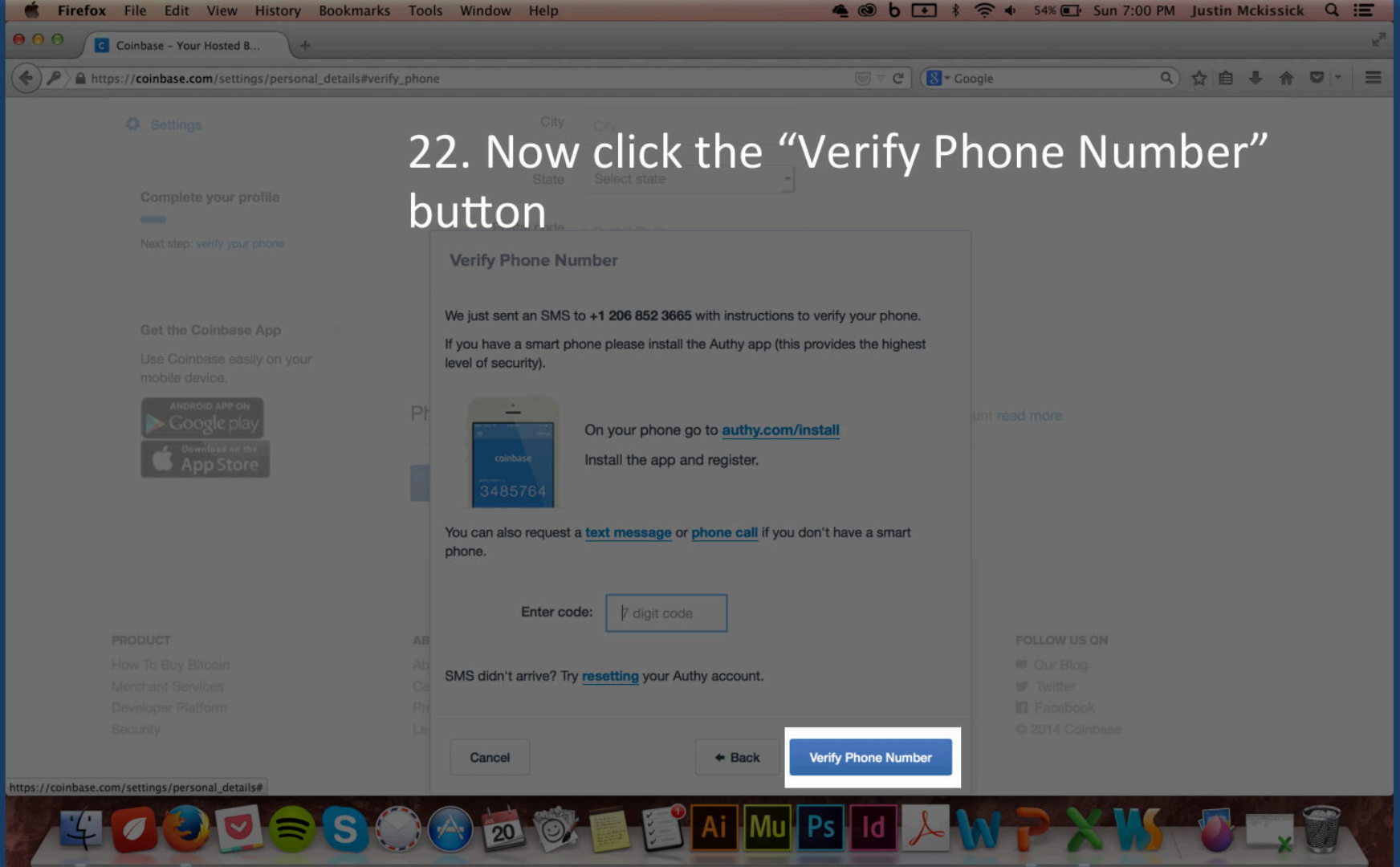
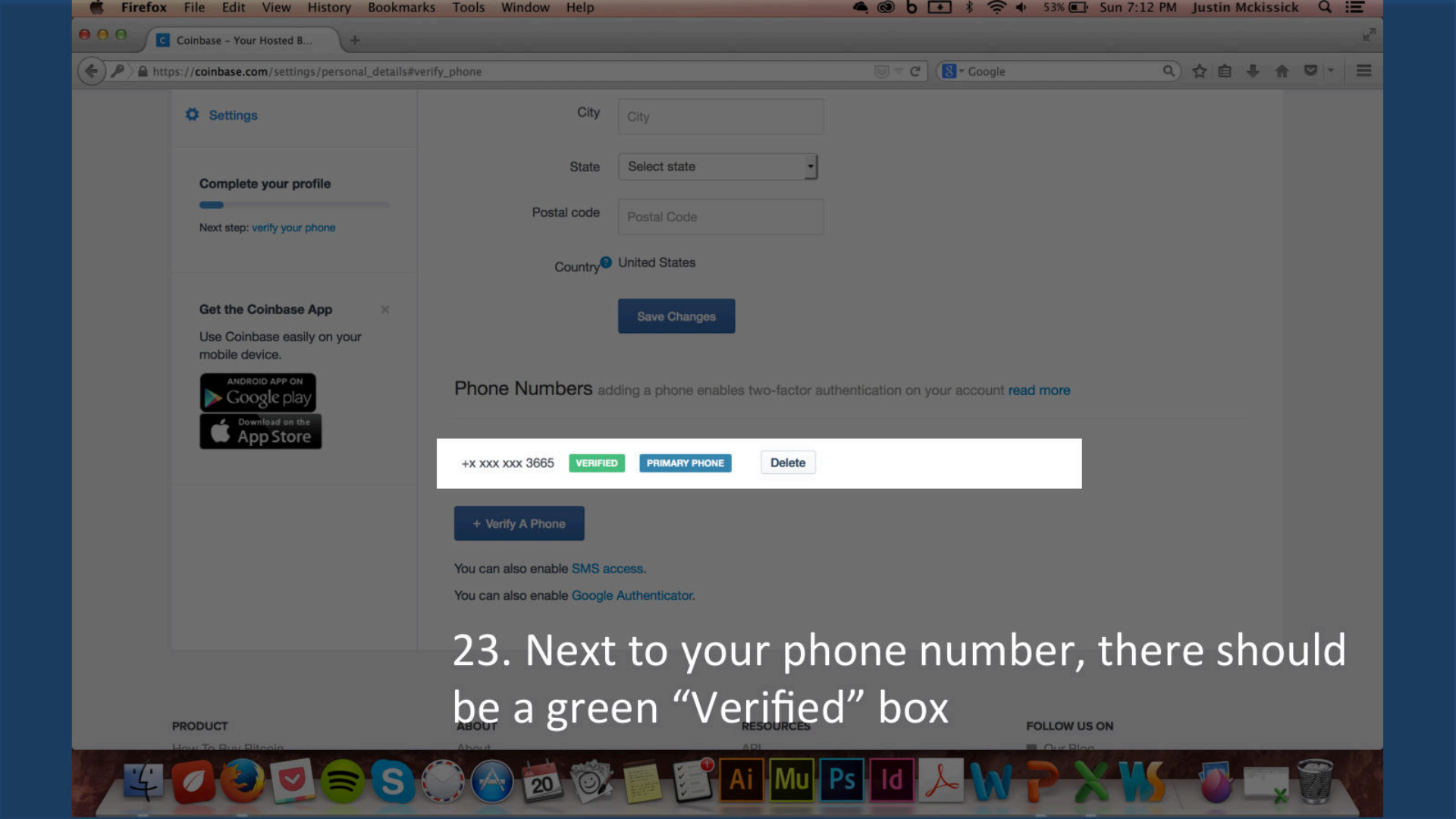
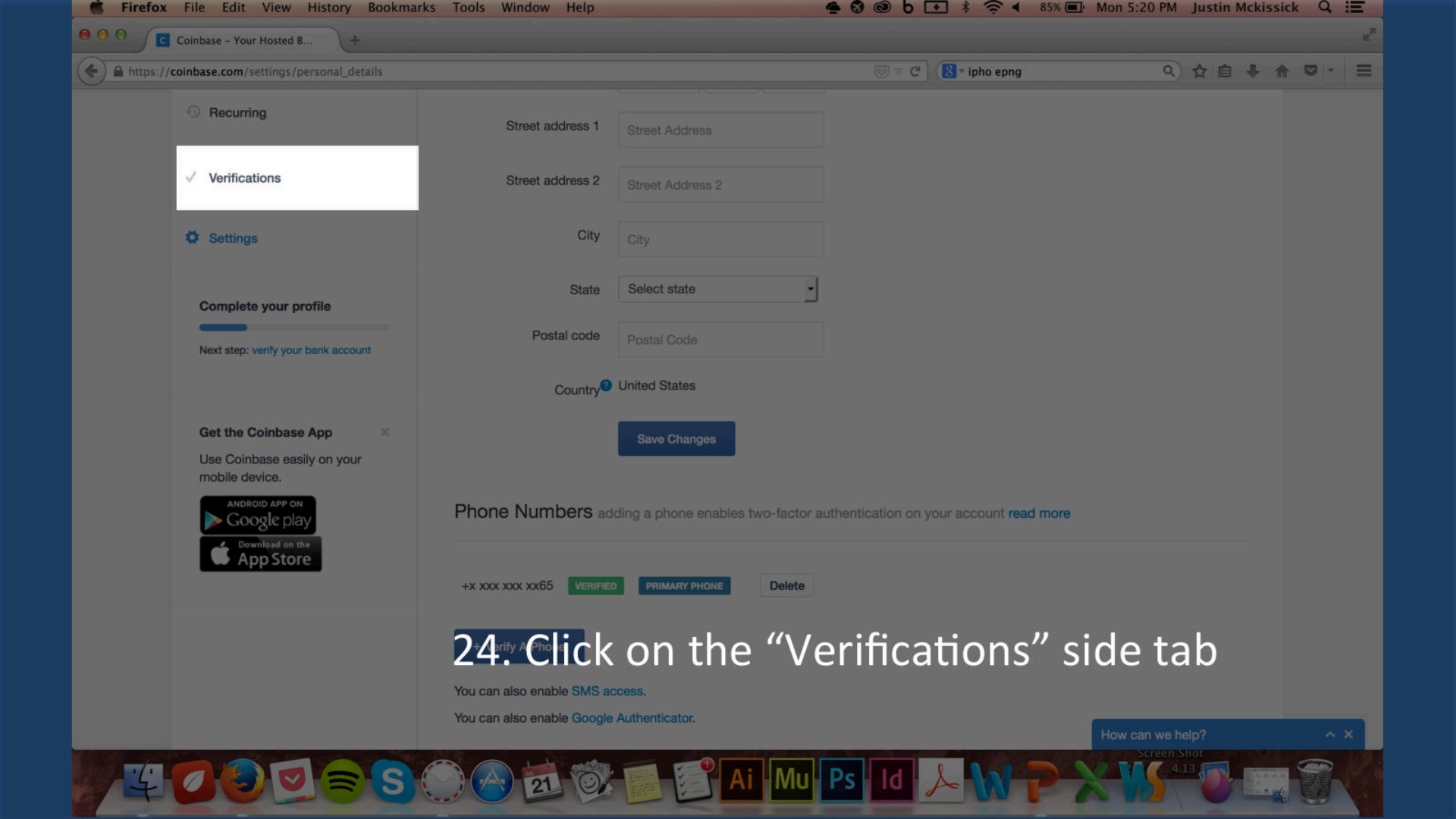
Verify Phone Number

22. Now click the “Verify Phone Number” button





23. Next to your phone number, there should be a green “Verified” box



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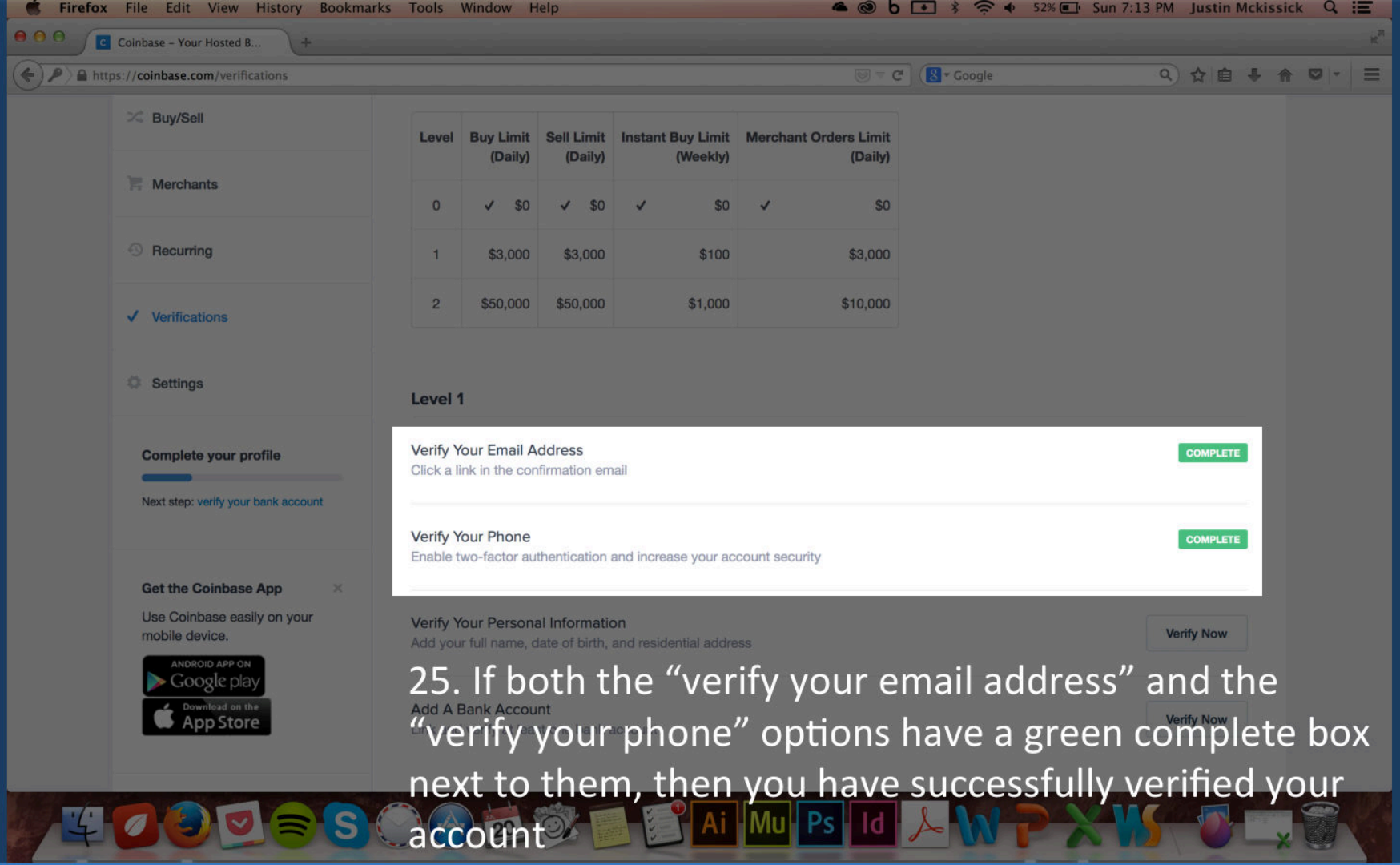
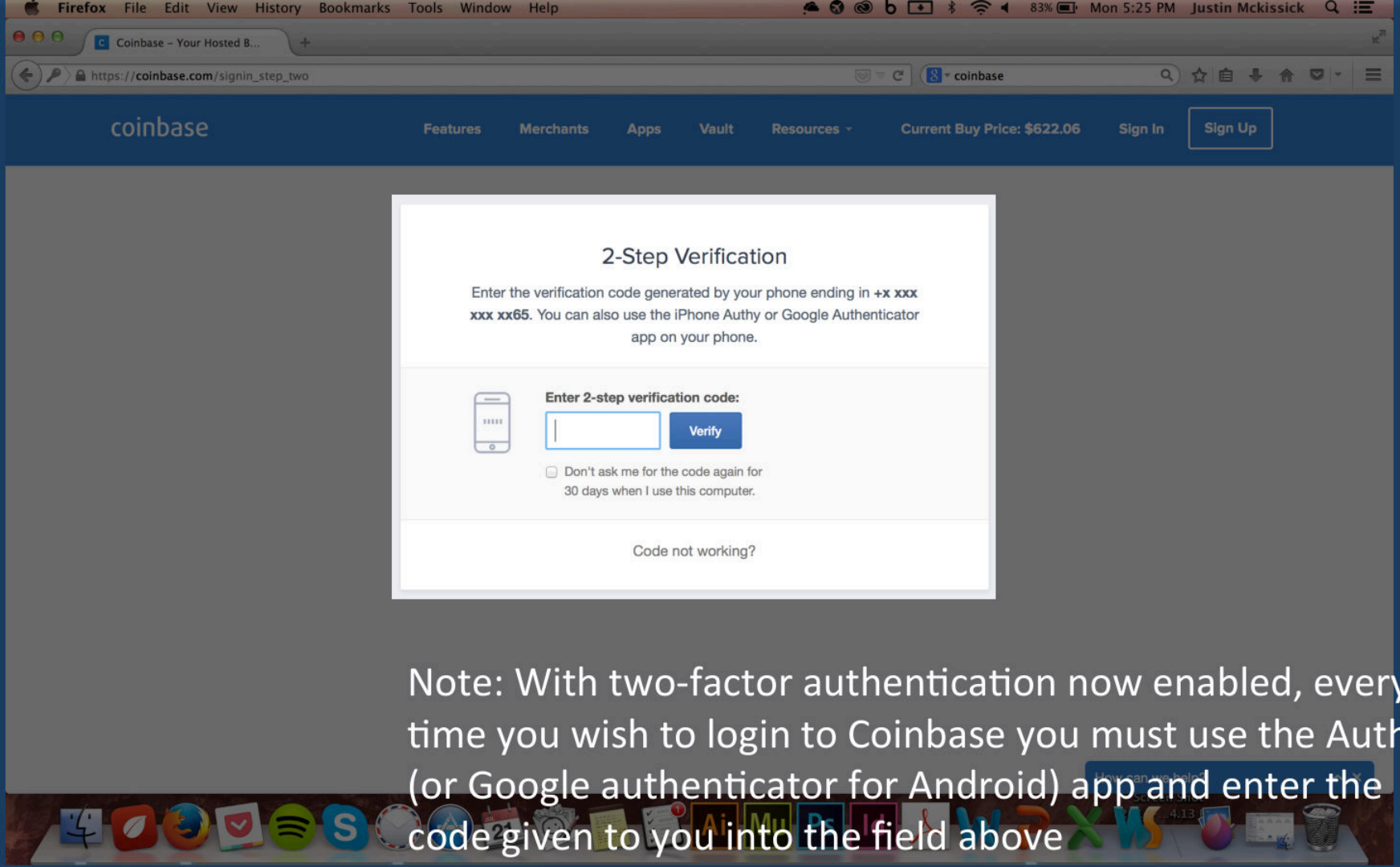


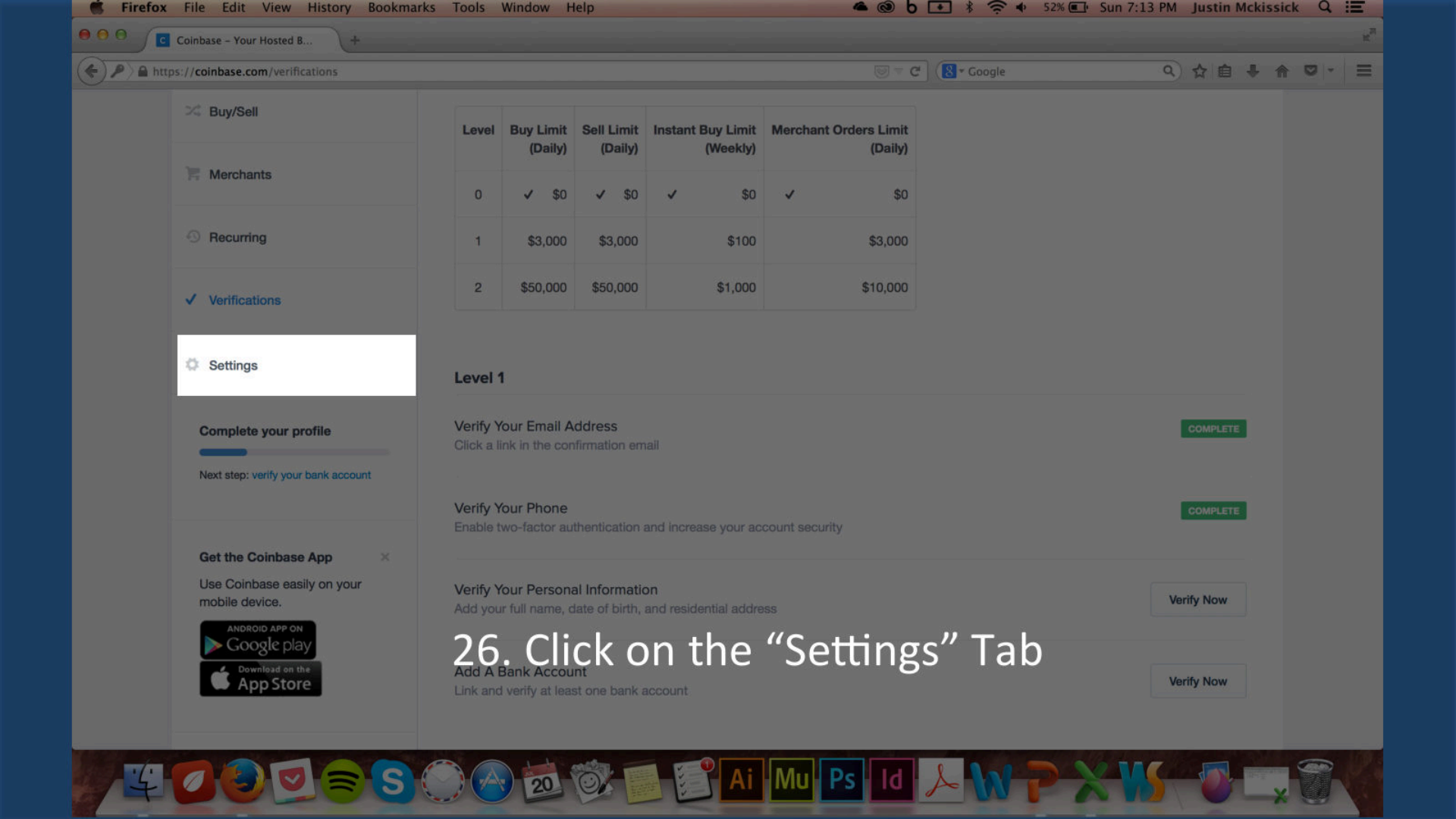
25. If both the “verify your email address” and the “verify your phone” options have a green complete box next to them, then you have successfully verified your account



Note: With two-factor authentication now enabled, every time you wish to login to Coinbase you must use the Authy (or Google authenticator for Android) app and enter the code given to you into the field above

Bitcoin Address Creation

Used to transfer and sell Bitcoins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Enable two-factor authentication and increase your account security
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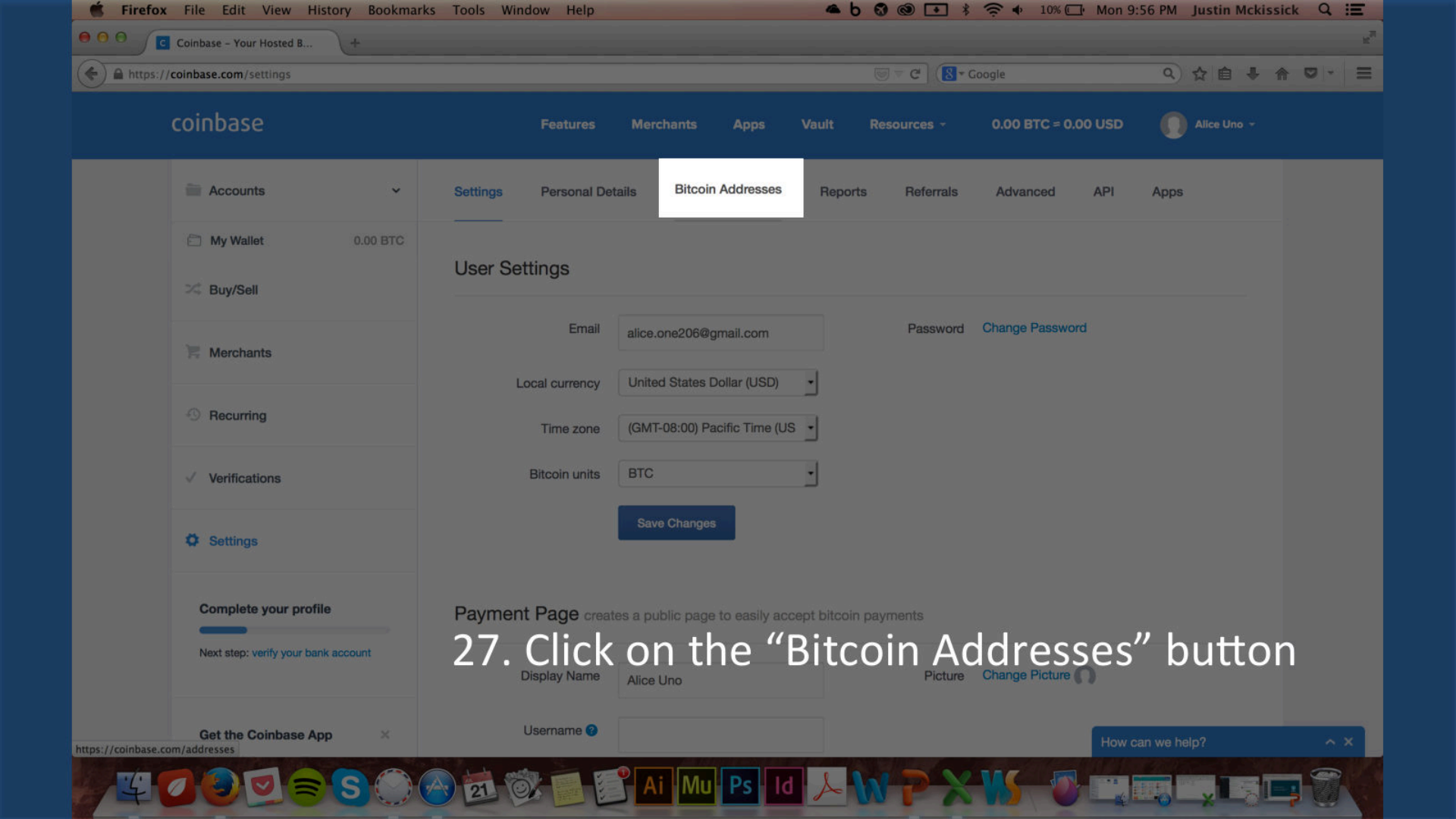

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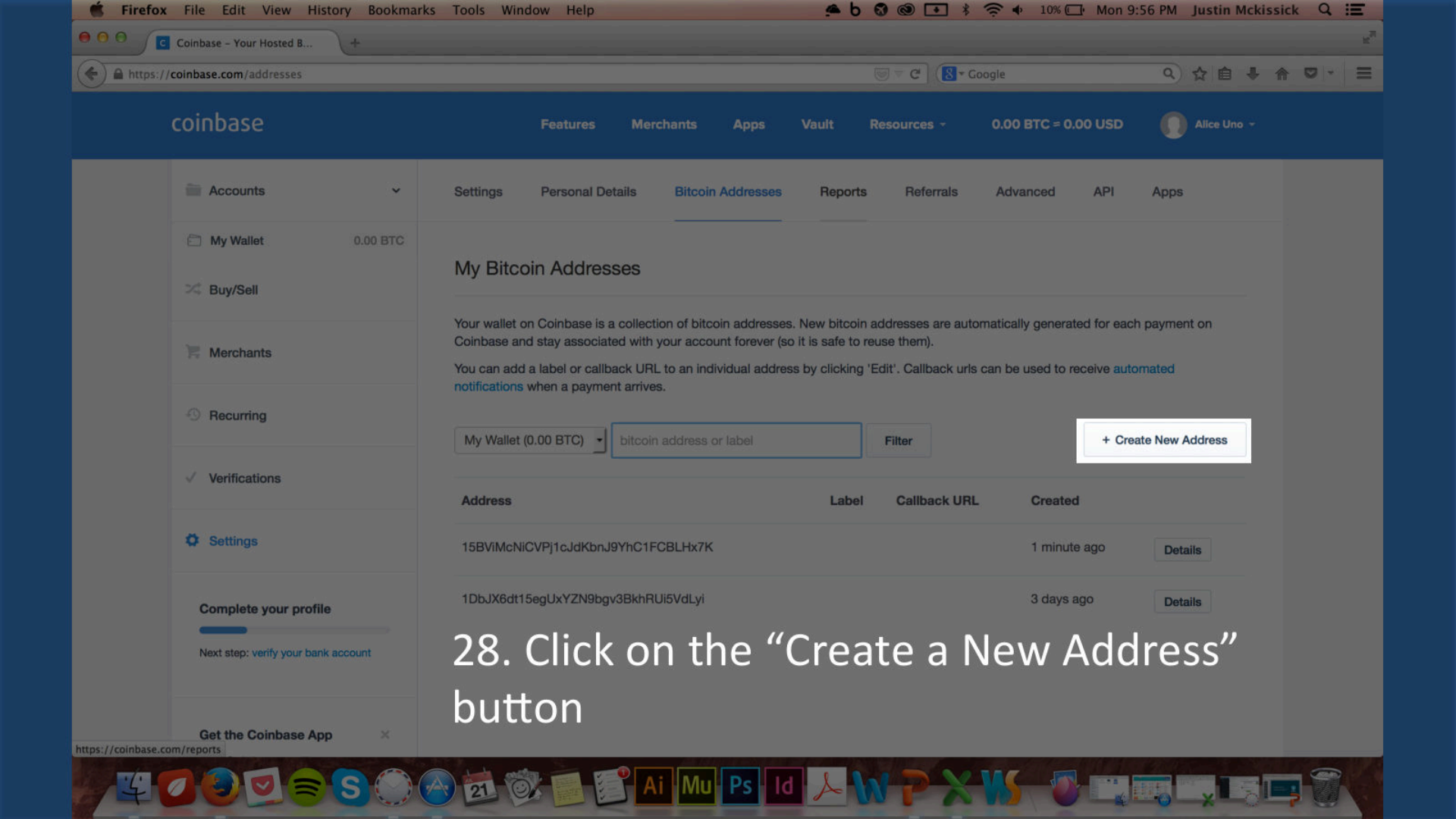
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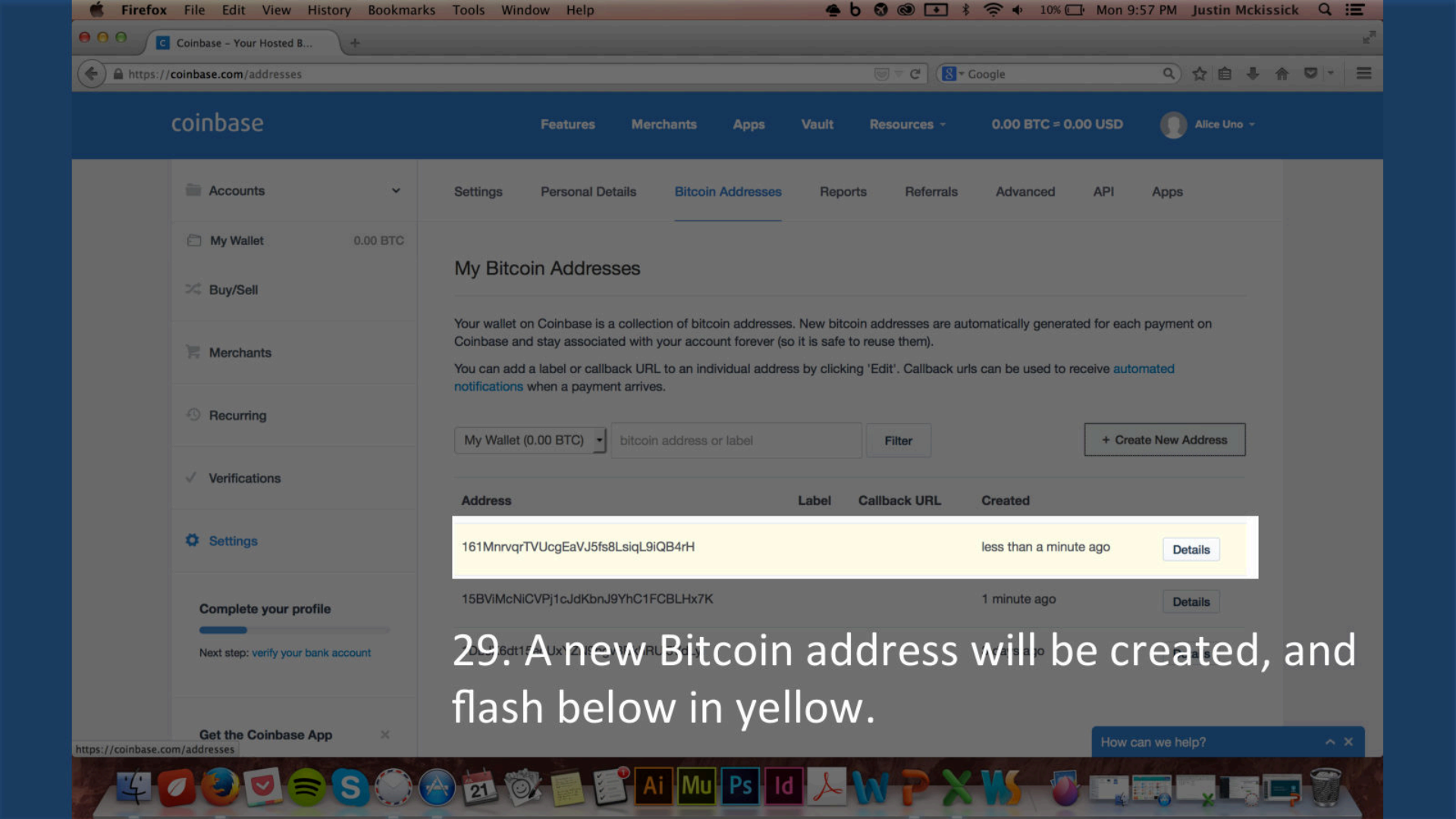
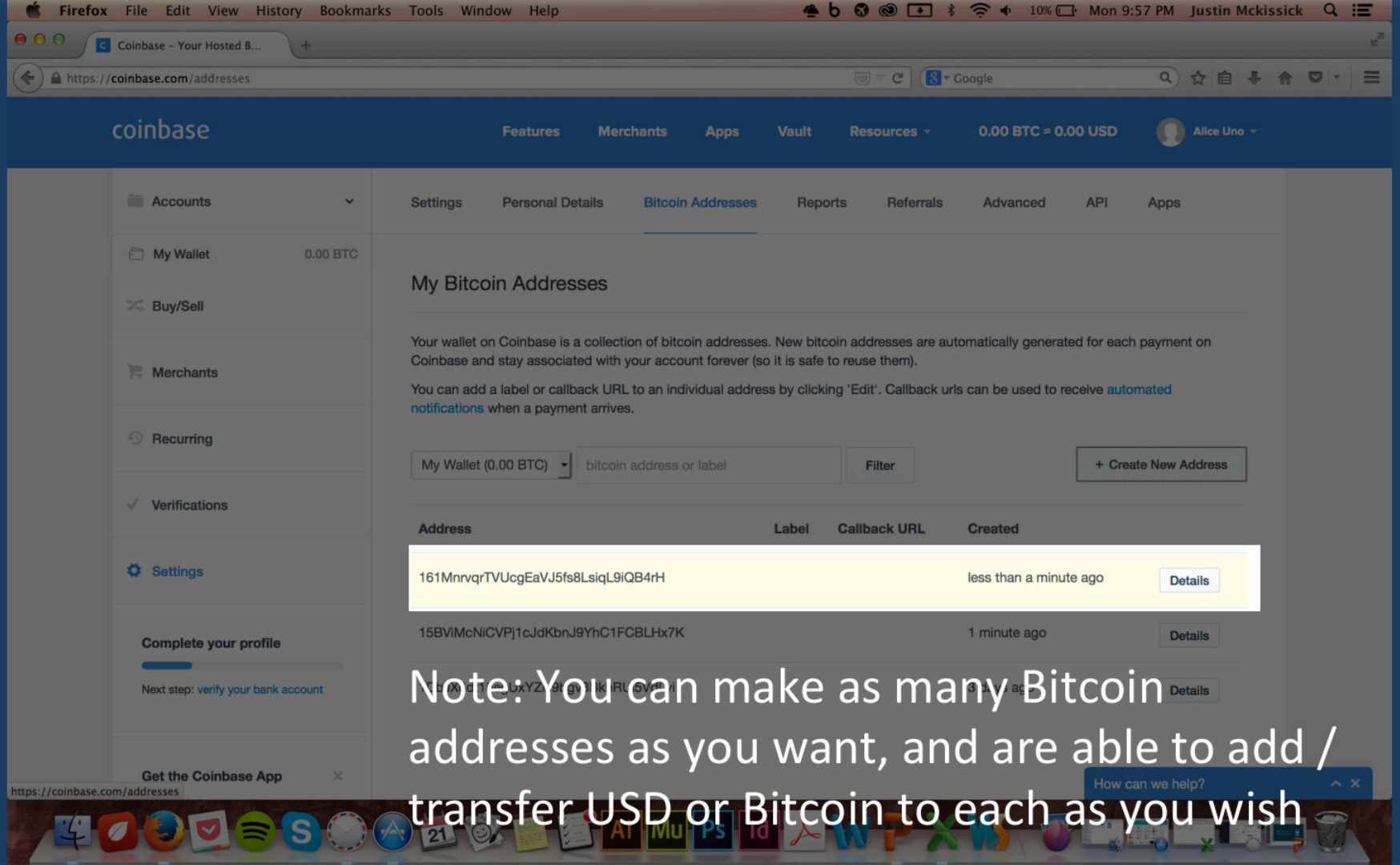


29. A new Bitcoin address will be created, and flash below in yellow.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Details
Note: You can make as many Bitcoin addresses as you want, and are able to add / transfer USD or Bitcoin to each as you wish
How can we help?
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Congratulations,

You now have a Coinbase account with two-factor authentication