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PROFILE

With over twenty-five years of experience with factual and documentary film... I have directed documentaries for top entertainment companies and corporations. I've traveled the globe, including war zones, to produce and direct award-winning documentaries and television series for industry leading networks, including A&E, Discovery, National Geographic and TLC. I am an accomplished Director of Photography as well and have the ability to shoot and direct when needed. I have been recognized for outstanding work with numerous awards including seven International Monitor Awards, six New York International Film Festival awards, thirty-eight Emmy Awards, two Iris awards, eleven Telly awards, ten Houston International Film Festival Awards, three Broadcast Design Awards and a Peabody.

TELEVISION SERIES

MEGASTRUCTURES - National Geographic Channel 7 x 60 minutes
Director-Producer (Self-Shooting)

A television series filmed around the world that features inside looks of various "Mega-structures"... a few examples, the German Autobahn... Japan's Kansai Airport and on deployment on the U.S. Navy Ronald Reagan aircraft carrier.

SELL THIS HOUSE – A&E Network 95 x 30 minutes
Series Producer/Director

This series gets inside the mind of the buyer and the heart of the seller. Each episode features homeowners desperate to sell and is filmed in three days... along with the homeowners, our experts redesign, renovate and stage the home for sale... with nearly 100% of the homes sold within a few months

BIG STUFF - TLC 6 x 60 minutes
Series Producer/Director (Self-Shooting)

International television series that profiles the most immense man-made objects and construction projects on land, sea and air. Each episode features five stories of gigantic proportions.

WELL READ (seasons five and six) – PBS & World Channel 65 x 30 minutes
Director

Television series featuring leading author interviews, profiles and book reviews. After becoming director of season five have increased the content and production value resulting in increased carriage (88% of nation) and ratings.

CITY PROFILE VIDEOS - Travel Channel 24 x 3 minutes
Series Producer/Director
Vancouver B.C. and Seattle, Washington are featured in these videos for the mobile phone market. This series profiles these cities and tells unique stories of places travelers will want to visit.

SUPERSTRUCTURES – Discovery Communications 3 x 60 minutes
Director
International Television Series that takes an in-depth look at The Pentagon, the world's largest aircraft the Antonov 227 Cargo plane and the world's largest building... Boeing 747 assembly plant.

HELP AROUND THE HOUSE – HGTV 169 x 30 minutes
Series Producer/Director
This popular series works with homeowners... and host Henry Harrison walks them through fix up projects in their homes... showing them they can do it themselves.

POPULAR SCIENCE - TLC 13 x 30 minutes
Director (Self-Shooting)
Popular Science examines new and emerging technologies that have daily impact on our lives... and looks at the science behind the technology.

POP SCI – Discovery Communications 6 x 30 minutes
Director
Pop Sci gets kids excited about the newest advancements in technology and explains the science behind the gadget.

TECH OF A TOUCHDOWN- Tech TV 1 x 30 minutes
Producer/Director
This program is part of the series THE TECH OF and examines the technology behind the NFL's Seattle Seahawks... and how they use tech to help them play and win the game of football.

TEST DRIVE – Mojo 6 x 30 minutes
Director (Self-Shooting)
A fuel injected, full turbo, and fresh off the line show for car lovers. Each episode explores and reports about new aspects of the automotive world.

NATIONAL HEALTHY HOME QUIZ- HGTV 1 x 60 minutes
Director

A one-hour special that tests homeowners' knowledge and gives them the information they need to make their home safe.

HISTORY COLLECTORS - History Channel 1 x 30 minute pilot
Director

Television series pilot that profiles the incredible private collections of history aficionados and their personal passion for collecting objects that were there when history was being made.

TELEVISION FILMS

WAR ON CHILDREN ABC television affiliates 1 x 60 minutes
Director (Self-Shooting)

This critically acclaimed film explains the effects of war on children. This project was filmed in Bosnia, Herzegovina and Croatia at the conclusion of the Bosnian War and tells the story of what happens to children and families when war tears a region apart. This documentary was awarded a Peabody.

IN THE SHADOW OF THE TIGER Discovery 1 x 60 minutes
Executive Producer

This award winning natural history documentary features the Siberian Tiger. Filmed in Eastern Russia this documentary tells the story of a mature Siberian tiger named Katia and her cub... and profiles the work of scientists studying this impressive animal.

CORPORATE

X-TREME BLUE ANGELS Boeing 1 x 60 minutes
Director (Self-Shooting)

Documentary that follows the U.S. Navy Blue Angles flight demonstration team through a yearlong season. Filmed in High Definition for Boeing this documentary aired on Discovery HD.

BLUE FLAME Williams Companies 1 x 30 minutes
Producer/Director

Documentary profiling the ambitious construction project to build a natural gas pipe line across the Gulf of Mexico from Mississippi to Florida. Produced for Williams Companies, this documentary was aired on television.

GLOBAL NEIGHBORS

Microsoft

1 x 10 minutes

Director

This documentary tells the story of how Microsoft uses technology and its people to help with disaster relief. Filmed in several locations around the world to demonstrate the global reach of their efforts. This documentary played at the World Economic Forum in Davos.

DVD PROJECT

GET UP ON THE MOUNTAIN

1 x 60 minutes

Director

This project involved climbing and filming on Mount Rainier. Filmed across three days... it is an instructional video for mountain climbers.