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Producer of why and how stories: the sparks that drive survivors, scientists, activists, artists and outsiders. Specializing in nature, geekdom, human-rights, DIY and Americana. Skills include story-work; client handholding; cocktails, and random acts of brotherliness.

SELECTED CREDITS

SEGMENT / CASTING

• Segment Producer	Most Terrifying Places	Sharp, Travel Channel	2019
• Segment Producer (casting)	Alaskan Bush People	Park Slope, Discovery	2016
• Location Scout	On the Case with Zahn	DiscoveryID	2015
• Segment Casting	Hardcore Pawn	TruTV	2013, 2014
• Segment Producer	Storage Wars New York	Original, A&E	2012
• Associate Producer	Real Scary Stories	Highland, Fox, Fox Family	2000

FIELD

• Director / Producer	When Sharks Attack	Optomen, Nat Geo Wild	2018
• Producer / Writer	We Are the Joneses	Centric	2017
• Field Producer	Dream School	FreshOne, Sundance	2014
• Field Producer	Endless Yard Sale Showdown	Great American / HGTV	2014/2015
• Field Producer	Angry Nation	LeftRight, Spike	2013
• Field Producer	All the Right Moves	Oxygen	2012
• Field AP/Shooter	I Will Survive	Fremantle	2012
• Field Producer	Picked Off	Cineflix, History Channel	2012
• AP (segment/field directing)	Survival Guide	Atlas Media, Fine Living	

POST / ARCHIVAL

• Archival Producer	Cooking with Paris	IPC, Netflix	2021
• Archival Producer	Spotlight Originals	IPC, YouTube	2020
• Archival Producer	Jewelle (feature doc)	QWOCMAP, indie	2019, 2020
• Archival Producer	LoveBoat Taiwan (feature doc)	independent	2018
• Archival AP	James Cameron's Story of Sci-Fi	LeftRight, AMC	2016, 2017
• Story Consulting/ Writing	Four Seasons Lodge		

FEATURE DOCUMENTARY

• Producer	Four Seasons Lodge	indie, First Run theatrical, PBS	2006-2009
• Co-Producer	Tying the Knot	indie, Roadside theatrical	2003, 2004
• Producer	Bollywood on 42 nd	independent	2018-current
• Outreach Coordinator	The Yes Men Save	theatrical release	2010

RADIO / STUDIO

• Producer / Mixer	The Katie Halper Show	The Commons, WBAI	2015, 2016
• Livestream Producer	Mix of talk, music	Brooklyn Commons	2015, 2016
• Producer	Weekly news feature	WNTN 1550 am	
• Board Operator / DJ	Mix of diverse shows	WNTN 1550 am	

WRITING

• Producer / Writer	We Are the Joneses	Centric	2017
• Pitch Writer	Animated series, shorts	Baboon Animation	2000's
• Web Producer	Releases, content	Charged Studios	2010

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Final Cut Pro; Avid-certified; shooting experience incl. Sony EX1, EX3, Panasonic DVX-100b, Sony HVRV1U, HVRA1U, Canon 5D, Canon V40; ProTools; basic AfterEffects; Final Draft; Photoshop; HTML; CMS; Powerpoint; FCC-licensed Board Op, and Super 8.

EDUCATION

BA, Lang College, New School for Social Research, New York.