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Filmography and Resume

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Documentaries

Lynn Margulis: The Revolution is in Progress (in production)	Filmmaker	A feature length documentary about the great scientist Lynn Margulis and the cutting edge ideas that she and her colleagues championed – ideas that will change how we all think about evolution, genetics, bacteria, and the environment.
Local Power from Water: The Stuyvesant Falls Hydroelectric Plant (in production)	Filmmaker	A short documentary about how a community took charge of its own hydroelectric plant. Supported in part by the Decentralization Program of the New York State Council on the Arts.
The Renewable Energy Zone (in production)	Filmmaker	Everything you always wanted to know about renewable energy, and a few things you didn't. A collection of short, often witty, informative videos coupled with a series of satiric internet service announcements (ISA).
EVO: Ten Questions Everyone Should Ask about Evolution (2011)	Filmmaker	A film about the evolution of life on earth – for the budding environmentalist in all of us. Distributed by NSTA, Hummingbird Films, and many catalog distributors.
		EVO Teachers Guide by Rodger Bybee and John Feldman published by National Science Teachers Association Press (2012)
		Awards: Cine Golden Eagle (2011), Parents Choice Award (2012)
Energy and You: Renewable Resources and Innovative Solutions (2009)	Filmmaker	Educational film and book curriculum for San Diego County Office of Education. Five 10 minute videos. Curriculum and book by Rodger Bybee. High school
Five Video Portraits (2007): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jessye Norman• Ming Cho Lee• Helen Frankenthaler• Merce Cunningham• Douglas Durst and The Durst Organization	Filmmaker	Commissioned by Purchase College School of the Arts for the 2007 Nelson A. Rockefeller Awards
BSCS: The Continuing Story (2007)	Filmmaker	History of science education in United States since Sputnik as told by the Directors of BSCS. Commissioned by the Biological Science Curriculum Study

ArTTalks:	Editor	With Arne Zaslove. A series of half-hour documentaries about artists for Global Works and The Seattle Channel
<i>Aurora Valentenetti: "The Puppet Lady" (2007)</i>		
Dan Klennert: Sculptor "Art Piece by Piece" (2007)		
The Bubbleman (2007)		
I am Clay (2006)	Filmmaker	With Kathleen Bailer. Educational documentary about clay and its use as a medium for fostering healthy development in early childhood
GRIMY – A film about sex by teens for teens (2005) PLAYING WITH FIRE (2006) - Drinking and Driving SWAG (2008) Male sexuality as portrayed by the media	Instructor/Filmmaker	Workshop films made by students at Hudson High School (New York), Chatham High School (New York), Planned Parenthood. Through grants from the New York State Dept. of Health, Columbia Greene Community College, Planned Parenthood and others
CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY (1984)	Writer Associate Producer	Channel 4 TV, U.K. Interpretation of U.S. elections for an English audience
DEMOCRACY AND THE PRESIDENCY (1984)	Writer Associate Producer	Channel 4 TV, U.K. With I.F. Stone Analysis of the power of the presidency for an English audience
RANDY NEWMAN (1982)	Assistant Editor	BBC TV
THE POTATO CHIP STORY (1976)	Filmmaker	Humorous documentary
PUSH THE CLOUDS AWAY (1971)	Filmmaker	Nature camp for inner city youths Washington, D.C. Dept. of Education
POISON (1969)	Filmmaker	Air pollution Award: Newsweek Documentary Film Contest
A SENSE OF EXISTENCE (1968)	Filmmaker	Documentary about a wildlife summer camp. Grant from the Bradley Fisk Fund

Fiction Films

FOX FABLES (2011)	Photographer, editor	An opera in one act by Peter Winker and Rhoda Levine
THE THIEF OF LOVE (2006)	Filmmaker	A Lyric Comic Opera in Three Acts, music and libretto by Sheila Silver -- a unique opera film
WHO THE HELL IS BOBBY ROOS? (2002)	Filmmaker	"New American Cinema Award" Seattle International Film Festival (2002) "Best Film -- Digital Vision" International Film Festival of Cuenca Festivals: Vancouver Int. Film Festival, Buenos Aires

DEAD FUNNY (1995)	Director Writer (<i>with C. Oswin</i>)	Int. Film Festival, Independent Media that Matters (Hawaii) A psychological mystery. Starring Elizabeth Peña and Andrew McCarthy. Distributed by Film Four International, Unapix Entertainment, HBO, syndicated television Festivals: London, Hong Kong
ALLIGATOR EYES (1990)	Director Writer Editor Producer	Independent feature distributed by J & M Entertainment, Castle Hill Productions, Academy Ent., HBO FIRST PRIZE: Audience Jury San Sebastian Int. Film Festival, Spain Festivals: Edinburgh, London, Chicago, Mill Valley

Experimental Films/MusicVisions

HORIZON LINES (2011)	Filmmaker	Commissioned by the Seattle Chamber Music Society. A collaboration between composer Laura Kaminsky and painter Rebecca Allan. Premiered at Benaroya Hall, Seattle, July 15, 2011
AS THE EARTH TURNS (2000)	Filmmaker	MusicVisions are a unique collaboration with composer Sheila Silver. These videos are designed to accompany live instruments in a chamber music setting, and for DVD release
SUBWAY SUNSET (1999)	Filmmaker	MusicVision
TWO DAYS IN THE MOUNTAINS (1986)	Filmmaker	Landscape portrait. Awards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sinking Creek Film Festival • (1986) Festival Mondial du Cinema de Courts Metrages (Belgium)
CIRCUS OF HOSTAGES (1982)	Filmmaker	Theatrical short subject. Experimental documentary about a performance artist. Awards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best of the Festival: Biograph Film Fest., Wash., D.C. • Hirshhorn Museum screening
THE ELEVATOR ROOM (1980)	Filmmaker	Experimental fiction. Shown on PBS. Awards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academy Award, regional student winner. • Best of the Festival: Humboldt Film Festival

**DRY YEARNINGS
(1979)**

Filmmaker

Experimental. **Awards:**

- CINE Eagle
- Finalist in Focus '80
- Christchurch Film Fest, New Zealand
- Golden Knight Film Fest, Malta
- Melbourne Film Festival
- Canadian Film Festival
- Huy Film Festival, Belgium
- Guimaraes Film Festival, Portugal
- Ann Arbor Film Festival, U.S.A.
- Filmex, Los Angeles

Sponsored documentaries/Corporate/Industrial (partial listing)

**OPTION INSTITUTE/AUTISM
TREATMENT CENTER OF AMERICA**
*"An Invitation to Change (2012)," "Four
Son Rise Stories (1999)," "Jade's Story,"
(2003) and others (1999-2012)*

Filmmaker

Documentary portraits of autistic children who
have made progress toward realizing their
potential

MARSH AND McLENNAN *"Expect the
Unexpected -- Four Cautionary Tales"
(1998), second set of stories (writer only)
(2001)*

Writer, Director,
Editor

Fictional stories about dealing with human
errors in an intense corporate environment

**MANHATTAN CENTER FOR EARLY
LEARNING** *"Committed to Excellence in
Child Development" (1997)*

Writer, Director

Documentary about a ground breaking school

Broad Street Productions, N.Y. - Many videos including:

EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY,
"We Begin with Values" (1996)

Writer, Director

Documentary on business ethics and values

TIME WARNER, INC. (1995 - 2002)

Writer, Director

Corporate profiles and other informational
videos

**CAPCURE: "Fast Track to a Cure"
(1998)**

Writer, Director

Fund raising video for prostate cancer research

CITIBANK (2000 -2001)

Writer

CD ROMs and videos about on-line banking

THE SEAGRAM COMPANY (1998-2000)

Writer

Corporate profile videos and others

**NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS
SOCIETY (1992)**

Writer

Fund raiser

**AMERICAN SHARED HOSPITAL
SERVICES (1992)**

Writer

Corporate profile

NUS Corporation, Maryland - Several scripts including:

BASIC CHEMICAL REACTIONS (1977)

Writer

Six part series on elementary chemistry

**NUCLEAR POWER STATION
OPERATION PROCEDURES (1977)**

Writer

Six one hour shows. Training

THE STEAM GENERATOR PROJECT (1978)	Director of Animation, Writer	20 minute animated film. Training. NUS Corp.
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Karaoke Music Videos (all 1988)

"My Way" "Get Back" "What'd I say?" "Roxanne" "Baby I Need Your Lovin'" "Brandy"	Director Cinematographer	"Karaoke" music videos produced for Pioneer Laser Disk through American Dream Productions and Telestar Video
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Teaching

2011-2012	Great Barrington Waldorf High School	Video production classes
2008-2009	Upper Hudson Planned Parenthood	Media Literacy Workshop on Male Images in the Media for teens ages 15 to 18
2005-2006	Visiting Professor, Universidad San Francisco de Quito	Digital Video Production Workshop in conjunction with the World Evolution Summit—5 students from various US colleges participated in this 9 credit workshop
2004 - 2006	Hudson High School, NY; Chatham High School, NY	Grant from New York State. Working with high school students to make films about subjects that concern them (sex, drinking and driving)
2004/2005/2006/2007	Columbia-Greene Community College (SUNY)	Workshops in digital video production
1998	State University of NY at Stony Brook	"Music and the Moving Image"
1984-1985	Crosswind Films, London	Courses in film and video production, including directing actors and scriptwriting
1978-1981	Temple University (Graduate Assistant)	Courses in 16mm film production, journalism, film theory

Born: 1954

Education

M.F.A.	Film Production	Temple University, Philadelphia. 1982
B.A.	Biology	The University of Chicago. 1976