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**Showrunner/Executive Producer, Director | RadicalMedia | WRONG MAN | STARZ | 2017**

A 6-episode series by Joe Berlinger that brings together a team of experts to re-investigate three cases of possible wrongful conviction, shining light on systemic cracks in the criminal justice system.

**Showrunner, Executive Producer | Jigsaw Productions | PARCHED | National Geographic Channel | 2016**

This three-part limited series narrated by Academy Award-winning director Alex Gibney investigates water wars from West Virginia and Michigan to Syria and India and explores the corporate, political and social interests that are responsible for our water-limited future.

**Executive Producer | Jigsaw Productions | WATER & POWER: A CALIFORNIA HEIST | 2016**

This feature documentary explores a rich tale of water barons manipulating California's complex water system through a series of backroom deals to gain control of the state's most precious resource. Dir. Marina Zenovich. *2017 Sundance Film Festival world premiere.*

**Executive Producer, Director | Lucky 8 TV | END POLIO NOW | United Nations | 2015**

Shot in Somalia and across India, these short films highlight the story of the polio vaccine and UNICEF's mission to eradicate the disease.

**Showrunner, Director, Writer | Part2 Pictures | BELIEF | Oprah Winfrey Network | 2013-2014**

Filmed on six continents, this landmark 7-part series expands our view of belief and spirituality by revealing the common quest we are on as human beings.

**Director, Producer, Writer | Partisan Pictures | THE SECRET LIFE OF MONEY | Discovery Channel | 2013**

Explores the life cycle of American cash and how it's made, moved, and protected. Examining the philosophical side, NPR's Planet Money team explores the question of why money has value.

**Field Producer | Partisan Pictures | DEFIANT REQUIEM | Theatrical run & PBS | 2012**

90-minute feature doc about the cultural resistance at the Nazi concentration camp Terezín. Shot in Czech Republic. *Nominated for two News & Doc Emmy Awards.*

**Series Producer | National Geographic Television | BORDER WARS | Seasons 4 & 5 | 2010-2011**

**Producer, Writer | National Geographic Television | BORDER WARS | Seasons 1, 2 & 3 | 2009-2010**

U.S. Customs and Border Protection working the front lines of America's most notorious smuggling corridors.

**Director, Producer, Writer | National Geographic Television | LIFE ON THE OUTSIDE | 2009**

One man's struggle to survive his first 90 days out of prison after 14 years of incarceration.

**Producer, Writer | National Geographic Television | LOCKDOWN | Seasons 2, 3 & 4 | 2007-2008**

A series on the culture of prisons told through the eyes of inmates and officers.

**Director, Producer, Writer | Thirteen/WNET | EXPOSÉ: AMERICA'S INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS | 2006**

A pair of investigative journalists uncovers evidence that troops with serious psychological problems are falling through the cracks and being sent into combat by the U.S. military.

**Field Producer, Researcher | Ofra Bikel Productions | THE CONFESSIONS | Frontline | 2006**

Precursor to the 2010 film highlighting cases of coerced confessions proven false by DNA evidence.

**Producer | Partisan Pictures | INSIDE GRAND CENTRAL | National Geographic Channel | 2005**

A two-hour special on the hidden secrets, engineering marvels and colorful history of this iconic landmark.

**Producer | Partisan Pictures | INSIDE THE U.S. SECRET SERVICE | National Geographic Channel | 2004**

A two-hour special featuring the men and women who swear to protect the President at any cost.

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**Barnard College, Columbia University | New York, New York | B.A. Anthropology | Magna Cum Laude**  
**The American University in Cairo | Year Abroad | Cairo, Egypt**

Work samples can be viewed at <http://www.wide-eyedproductions.com>. References available upon request.