



## Outstanding Writing For A Nonfiction Program

### aka Mr. Chow

The vibrant and varied life of Michael Chow, the famed actor, artist and restaurateur who used his creativity to triumph over childhood trauma, loss and systemic racism.

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### The American Buffalo

For untold generations, America's national mammal sustained the lives of Native people, whose cultures were intertwined with the animal. Newcomers to the continent bring a different view of the natural world, and the buffalo are driven to the brink of extinction.

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### American Nightmare

Part One: The Boyfriend

In 2015, California couple Aaron Quinn and Denise Huskins were attacked at home during the night. After Denise was kidnapped, Aaron became a suspect.

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### The Beach Boys

The Beach Boys is a celebration of the band that revolutionized pop music, and the harmonious sound they created that personified the California dream. The documentary traces the band from humble family beginnings and features footage and interviews.

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### A Brief History Of The Future

Human

Ari explores the human ability to increase empathy and compassion, what values we are instilling into artificial intelligence technologies, and the need to create both a better world and a better humanity for life to flourish on this planet.

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### Conan O'Brien Must Go

Ireland

While chasing his family's roots in Ireland, Conan endeavors to speak like a local, operate a lighthouse, act in an Irish-language soap opera, and track down Dublin's most famous citizen.

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### The Dynasty: New England Patriots

Under Pressure

Envy and jealousy take root, putting Brady and the Patriots at the center of a two-year media spectacle known as Deflategate.

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### For Love & Life: No Ordinary Campaign

For Love & Life: No Ordinary Campaign follows the life of Brian Wallach and his wife Sandra, in the aftermath of his ALS diagnosis at age 37. Brian and Sandra continue to fight against a broken system for their future and countless others.

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## **Going To Mars: The Nikki Giovanni Project**

Through vérité, archival footage, and visual treatments of her poetry, *Going to Mars: The Nikki Giovanni Project* travels through time and space to reveal the influence of one of America's greatest living artists and social commentators.

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## **Hostage**

On October 7th 2023 Hersh Goldberg Polin was attending a music festival when 3000 Hamas terrorists invaded Southern Israel bent on murdering every Jew they could find. His left arm was blown off by a grenade and he was taken hostage. His mother is fighting to bring him home.

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## **How To With John Wilson**

How To Watch The Game

John struggles to immerse himself in the world of sports, until he discovers a type of game that hits home, opening him up to the familial rituals that bond fans.

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## **James Brown: Say It Loud**

*James Brown: Say It Loud* traces the intense highs and lows of James Brown's life and career from a 7th-grade drop-out to a global entertainment legend whose words, songs, style, and moves inspired musical revolutions and molded a nation's view of Black pride and Black masculinity.

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## **Jim Henson Idea Man**

*Jim Henson Idea Man* takes us into the mind of this creative visionary, from his early years puppeteering on local television to the worldwide success of *Sesame Street*, *The Muppet Show*, and beyond.

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## **The Jinx - Part Two**

Chapter 7: Why Are You Still Here?

After *The Jinx* aired in 2015, incriminating evidence comes to light, and Robert Durst goes on the run. He's captured and charged with murdering his best friend, Susan Berman. With help from his second wife, Durst assembles a defense team, including the lawyer who once helped get him acquitted.

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## **Kiss The Future**

*Kiss the Future* celebrates the underground art and music scene that thrived during the siege of Sarajevo. It is also a cautionary tale against nationalism and war. The Irish band U2 shined a light on the crisis to support the besieged Sarajevans. The film culminates in a post-war unification concert.

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## **Life On Our Planet**

Chapter 2: The First Frontier

For billions of years, land on Earth was uninhabitable. But in the seas, predation allowed species to thrive before—and after—two mass extinctions.

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## **Maxine's Baby: The Tyler Perry Story**

*Maxine's Baby: The Tyler Perry Story* is a portrait of visionary and innovator Tyler Perry: his harrowing but faithful road to the top of an industry that didn't always include him.

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## **October 7th, 2023**

On Oct. 7, 2023, 3,000 Hamas, ISIS-like terrorists stormed across Israel's internationally recognized border and systematically raped, murdered, mutilated, and burned alive over 1,200 men, women, and children, and kidnapped 242 others. This is the story of the horrors of Israel's darkest day.

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### **On A Quest: With Jaswant**

Magical Dolphins In The Wild

Jaswant is determined to have an intimate experience with the Bottlenose dolphins in their natural habitat, and he makes numerous attempts to fulfill his dreams of filming them as they showcase their acrobatic moves.

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### **Queens**

Rainforest Queens

In the Congo Forest, a young bonobo must leave behind everything she knows to find her place in a world where friendship means survival.

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### **The Reluctant Traveler With Eugene Levy**

Scotland: My Mother's Country

Past meets present as Eugene explores his emotional family history in Glasgow and lives like a royal at the stunning Candacraig mansion.

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### **The Secret Song**

A documentary illuminating the power of music education as a tight-knit school community must find new ways to connect, learn, and perform together during the unprecedented school year in lockdown.

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### **Stamped From The Beginning**

This documentary based on Ibram X. Kendi's book explores the history of racist ideas in America.

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### **Thank You, Goodnight: The Bon Jovi Story**

Brothers In Arms

With renewed perspective, Bon Jovi introduces themselves to a new generation of fans at the turn of the millennium with a fresh sound and the same iconic reputation... until the band is ripped apart by Richie's sudden and painful departure.

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### **Wayne Shorter: Zero Gravity**

Newark Flash In NYC 1933-1971

Portal 1 transports us into Shorter's childhood, filled with comics and movies that serendipitously lead him to music. He writes and plays with Art Blakey and the Jazz Messengers, records stunning solo compositions and joins the Miles Davis Quintet. Shorter's virtuosity and arrangements take Davis in a new direction.

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### **You Were My First Boyfriend**

In this twist on the classic high school reunion movie, Cecilia Aldarondo embarks on a fantastical quest to reconcile her tortured teen years, revisiting some of her most formative—and at times cringeworthy—experiences.

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