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EDITOR'S BIO

It's a great thrill when a television show you have worked on for many years is nominated for four Emmy Awards including "Best Comedy Series." It speaks of a great community effort and shared ambitions. In the case of **Schitt's Creek** I have greatly enjoyed working on the show for the last six seasons.

I have been in this business for a number of years and have worked on productions from large studio musicals and action thrillers to intimate documentaries and personal short films. I like and desire to work on projects of all genres and sizes. I have worked in Berlin, New York and Los Angeles but Toronto is my home. My formal education is a BAA specializing in film studies from Ryerson University, but I am always upgrading my skills and am continually learning. I am both a consummate story teller and a lover of technology and I feel that my skills are the ultimate intersection of art and craft. For me the most fun is when we all get in the room and make the best story we can.

Some of my favourite things are: baseball, fishing, corned beef on rye with caraway, camping, traveling, dogs, fresh baked pastries, dance and music.

Some of my favourite movies are: The Graduate, Close Encounters of the Third Kind, Guardians of the Galaxy, Fight Club, The Queen, Deadpool, The Big Short, Isle of Dogs, The Wages of Fear. I felt that The Wolf of Wall Street was way too long. Cut out an hour of shtick and you've got a really good film. Save it for the extras features.

Some of my favourite TV shows are: Breaking Bad and its cousin Better Caul Saul, Endeavour, Ozark, The Daily Show, Deadwood, True Detective, Jimmy Kimmel and Stephen Colbert - the monologues (it's where I get the news), The Simpsons (Seasons 1 to 7 - the next 23 years were not as good but I still watched). TV is the new Movies: big screens, big couches and meals in front of the TV, binge-watching a season of 13 one-hours in two days.

Some of the things that bother me are: public monies for building of sports venues, cuts to education funding, rain on scheduled softball days, populist politicians.