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**2009 – 2010**

**Executive Producer, “The Haunted” – Animal Planet**  
Ghost stories involving animals. 26 episodes including 3D special.

**Executive Producer/Creator, “Saved” – Animal Planet**  
Heart warming stories about animals saving people.

**2008 - 2009**

**Co-Executive Producer, “Paranormal State” – A&E**  
Reality documentary series about the paranormal.

**Executive Producer/Creator, “Bedroom Video Star” – MTV**  
“American Idol” meets YouTube.

**2007**

**Director, “Wife Swap” – ABC/RDF**

**Director/Producer, “Matched in Manhattan” – Lifetime**  
Reality show about a Manhattan matchmaker.

**Executive Producer/Creator, “Little Bastards” – MTV**  
Hidden-camera comedy pilot. Kids playing scripted characters, “Critical Sue,” “Casanova Jake,” “Potty Mouth Pete,” prank unsuspecting adults.

**Consultant, “Scarred” – MTV**  
Skaters, surfers, snowboarders, and others tell their scar stories. User-generated clip-driven series.

**Director, “Home Second Home” – Fine Living**  
Stories of people fulfilling their vacation home dreams.

**2006**

**Producer, “Balls of Steel” – A&E/Embassy Row**  
Prank and stunt talk show hybrid.

**Consultant/Writer, “Shut Up It’s Stacy London!” – TLC/BBC**  
Helped develop celebrity/style talk show with BBC in London, England.

**Producer/Writer, “Race Riot” – Comedy Central**  
Hidden-camera comedy pilot.

**Co-Executive Producer, “Mystery Match” – MTV/One Louder**  
Dating game pilot.

**Producer/Director, “Forbes’ Best Places to Live in America” – Fine Living**  
One-hour special.

## **2005**

**Supervising Producer, “Monster Hunters” – MTV/One Louder**  
Worked on the development of this scripted/reality hybrid.

**Writer, “The Smoking Gun” – Court TV**  
Animated/puppet comedy. 6 episodes.

**Producer/Writer, “Your Reality Checked” – Fine Living**  
One-hour reality special featuring the winners of “The Next Food Network Star.”

## **2003 - 2005**

**Supervising Producer/Director/Writer, “Boiling Points” – MTV**  
Hidden-camera comedy. Over 60 episodes.

**Director/Producer, “Blitzed” Pilot – MTV**  
Scripted/hidden-camera sitcom pilot.

**Director/Producer, “MTV’s Break-Ins” – MTV**  
Game show comedy featuring Nick Cannon.

**Producer/Director, “Simplify Your Life” – Fine Living**  
Service and entertainment show.

**Director, “Back to Basics” – Fine Living**  
Service and entertainment series.

## **2001 - 2002**

**Executive Producer/Creator, “Shut Up & Vote” – AMC**  
Irreverent celebrity-based talk show pilot.

**Co-Executive Producer, “Everyday Elegance with Colin Cowie” – WE**  
Innovative talk/service show. 13 episodes.

## **1997 - 2001**

**Director of Development/Exec-in-Charge/Supervising Producer – VH1**  
Served as development executive at VH1 for four years.

**Executive Producer/Creator, “Hey Joel” Pilot – VH1/CBC**  
Animated sitcom starring Time Magazine reporter Joel Stein. 13 episodes produced.

**Executive-in-Charge/Supervising Producer, “The List” – VH1**  
Half-hour celebrity-based talk show. Over 200 episodes including live one-hour specials.

**Executive-in-Charge, “Breakthrough” – VH1**  
One-hour Internet music talent competition hosted by Joe Rogan.

**Supervising Producer, “Rock of Ages” – VH1**  
Critically acclaimed show featuring kids and old folks commenting on music videos. 40 episodes.

**Executive-in-Charge, “Karaoke Cabaret” – VH1**  
One-hour celebrity karaoke concerts produced live in New York and Las Vegas.

**Supervising Producer, “Rock Candy” Pilot – VH1**

Comedic rock and roll newsmagazine. 8 episodes produced.

**Supervising Producer, “Video Timeline” – VH1**

Graphic-based biography show utilizing videos, interviews, clips, and text. Over 40 episodes.

**Supervising Producer, “Random Play” Pilot – VH1**

Sketch comedy parodying popular music and culture. 8 episodes produced.

**Supervising Producer, “VH1 Confidential” Pilot – VH1**

Music’s most famous unsolved mysteries. 13 one-hour episodes produced.

**Executive-in-Charge, “Needledrop” – VH1**

Thirty-minute fast paced video clip show. 26 episodes.

**Executive Producer/Director/Writer, “Couch Potato Video” Pilots – VH1**

VH1’s first sitcom. One building, ten people, one music video channel.

**Executive-in-Charge, “Fish and Clips” Pilot – VH1**

Animated/live action sitcom hybrid.

**Supervising Producer, “Love and Harmony” Pilot – VH1**

Rock trivia/relationship game show.

**1996 - 1997**

**Senior Producer/Writer/Director, “The RuPaul Show” – VH1**

Over 100 episodes. Wrote and directed one-hour Christmas special.

**Writer/Producer, “USA Live” – USA Network**

Daily, live talk show.

**Writer, “Tompkins Square” – Comedy Central**

Stand-up comedy series hosted by Jeff Ross. 8 episodes.

**1993 - 1996**

**Producer, “The Ricki Lake Show” – Columbia Tri-star Television**

One of the original producers. Three seasons. Emmy nomination 1994.

**1993 - 1991**

**Producer, “The Richard Bey Show” – Chris Craft**

Produced for insane talk show.

**Writer, “Hangin’ With MTV” – MTV**

Daily live variety/music show.

**Writer, “Rumor Has It” – VH1**

Trivia game show.

**Segment Producer, “Like We Care – MTV**

Coordinated two daily segments for ACE nominated teen issue magazine show.

**Education: Emerson College - BS TV/Film, 1988  
The Student Award of Distinction 1988**