

WIFV NEWS

WIFV People in the News - Jan 2024

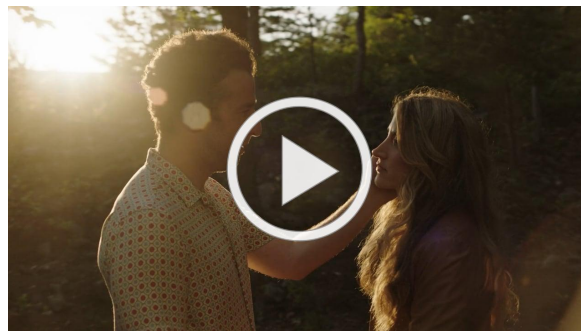
Chloe Ross, Mark Maxey, Randi Cohen, Carletta S. Hurt, Rachel Gordon



Ross Back on Land

Chloe Ross recently returned from seven months at sea working as a wardrobe supervisor for Norwegian Creative Studios. She is a DC native and is back on land to continue her love of wardrobe styling and costume design. She recently worked on the wardrobe for the live filmed Tuti Gala event in Capital One Hall this past November. She also had the opportunity to work with AF talent management modeling agency to style their 2023 Fashion show.

Chloe is excited to continue to network and collaborate in the DC area. She's open to all creative work and would love to collaborate with all walks of life. Chloe has a passion for travel and is always open to traveling work, expanding her horizons, and pushing herself outside her comfort zone. [Email her here.](#)



Exclusive DC Premiere of BURST THE SILENCE

On February 19, 2024, there will be an exclusive showing of the feature film BURST THE SILENCE at the Miracle Theatre in Washington, DC beginning at 7pm. Based on the musical LIGHT YEARS, which premiered at Signature Theatre in 2018, the film is a musical fable about a father and son and a gift that gives voice to a haunted past. BURST THE SILENCE features Bobby Smith, Marcy Harriell, Nick Blaemire, Dylan Silver, Declan Fennell, Susan Rome and Robbie Schaefer. With an indie folk-rock score by Robbie Schaefer, BURST THE SILENCE is a poignant memoir about forgetting and remembering and being lost. And being found. The film is directed by Eric D. Schaeffer and produced by WIFV Board Member **Mark Maxey** and **Rolling Pictures**.

February 19 at 7pm [Purchase tickets here.](#) Limited seating available.

MIRACLE THEATRE 535 8th Street SE, Washington, DC

\$20 for film and Talkback with Creatives and Cast
\$45 for film, Talkback with Creatives and Cast, and Souvenir Book which includes a download for the Original Motion Picture Soundtrack.



Cohen and Broadway Bound

Broadway Bound is in its 7th year of weekly broadcasting on WERA LP, 96.7 FM, part of Arlington Independent Media. You can find it the old-fashioned way on your radio, **but also through this link - so you can listen anywhere!** The show airs Mondays at 7:00 pm and repeats Wednesdays at 11:00 am. Broadway Bound host and producer is **Randi Cohen**, former WIFV Board member and current host of the bi-monthly Documentary Roundtable.

Broadway Bound looks at musicals through different lenses: whether through obscure references within musical lyrics, or informative trivia about actors who began on Broadway, the program are fun and the takeaways are Jeopardy-worthy.

The week of January 15 will feature a special program on censored musicals with special guest Diane Kresh, the innovative Arlington County Library Director, who was recently featured in the *Washington Post* about her crusade to fight those who wish to ban books from libraries.

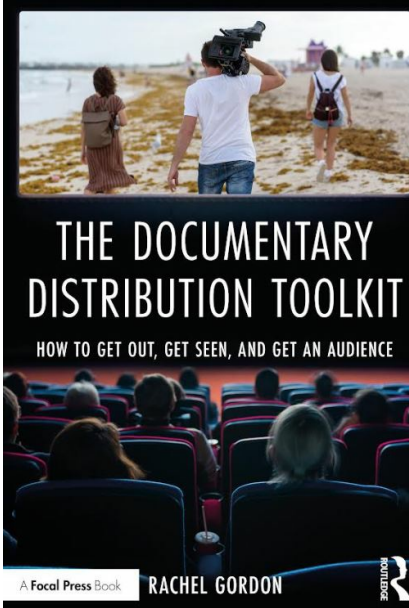
Hurt and ART IMITATES LIFE

Carletta S. Hurt, wraps production on Art Imitates Life: Barbara Brandon Croft, part two of her three part education series focused on Black women that made an impact in media who are still alive. ART IMITATES LIFE: Barbara Brandon Croft was filmed in Baltimore, MD, at Dreamers and Make-Believers Bookstore. Written by Tiffany Alexander, the film highlights the work of Barbara Brandon Croft through Liz (Crystal Thomas), a nearly 40-year-old illustrator comedian and her sister-friend, Jackie (Alicia Watson). IKAM Productions is proud to have an inclusive film set (pictured below) with a BIPOC director (Dircelene Torres) and assistant director (Jose Reyes). Currently in post-production, the film is set for completion in time for Women's History month. **Visit the IKAM site here.**



Doc Toolkit Radio Interview

Listen to this episode from OWC RADiO on Spotify. Independent filmmakers make films. That's what they do out of love for the craft, the message, or the story. But, how do they make money so they can continue to create those stories? Author **Rachel Gordon** interviewed 150 top experts, producers and industry representatives from around the world. Her book, *The Documentary Distribution Toolkit*, is a comprehensive how-to for emerging as well as experienced documentarians. **Listen to the interview here.** OWC host, Cirina Catania, a long-time veteran of the filmmaking, marketing, and distribution world, engages Rachel in a lively conversation about best practices and



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Women in Film & Video (WIFV) provides educational and networking opportunities for screen-based media makers, celebrates women's creative and technical achievements in media, and advocates for parity both in front of and behind the camera to ensure that all voices can be heard.



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