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HOLLYWOOD WORK:

ABC Television Network Burbank, CA; 2010
Creator, Writer, Executive Producer: Untitled David Feige Project.

Sony Pictures/Lifetime Television Network, Hollywood, CA; 2010
Writer/Consulting Producer: Drop Dead Diva (13 episodes)

Steven Bochco Productions//Touchstone Television; Santa Monica, CA; 2006-09
Creator, Writer, Supervising Producer: Created, wrote and produced two seasons of “*RAISING THE BAR*” a one-hour episodic television drama. Sole credited writer on seven episodes (including the pilot) shared “Written by” credit on one, “Created by” and “Supervising Producer” credit on each of the other aired episodes. The show’s premiere, on September 1st, 2008, garnered 7.7 million viewers, the highest ratings for a season premiere in the history of ad-supported cable television.

Across two seasons and twenty-five episodes, the show investigated the systemic flaws in the criminal justice system, delving into prosecutorial misconduct, and the myriad ways the frictional costs of an overburdened system conspire to make justice elusive for the poor and disenfranchised. Scrupulously accurate, the show exposed a side of the system other shows avoided: low-level offenses disproportionately filed against poor people, with life altering consequences.

LEGAL CAREER:

Seton Hall Law School; Newark, NJ; 2007-2009
Professor of Law and Director of Advocacy Programs: Created and implemented an entirely new three-tiered skills curriculum involving a required basic course and more than half a dozen advanced electives. Hired trained and supervised over 30 adjunct professors, and administered and taught an intensive version of the basic course. Also responsible for managing all of the Law School’s moot court, mock trial, legal writing and appellate advocacy programs.

The Bronx Defenders; Bronx, NY; 1997-2004
Trial Chief: Supervised a staff of nearly 30 committed public defenders providing guidance on trial strategy, and in-house training on felony practice and trial skills. Sought to create a culture of aggressive litigation and compassionate representation. Carried caseload of homicides and other serious felonies. Directed broad based legal challenges to police procedures. Lectured and taught throughout the country. Received the *National Legal Aid and Defender Association’s 2002 Reginald Heber Smith Award* for “Outstanding Contributions to Justice” and *Rider University’s 2004 Law and Justice Award*.

Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem; New York, NY; 1996-1997
Trial Attorney: Represented indigent defendants in serious felony cases,

Civilian Complaint Review Board; New York, NY; 1994-1995
Acting General Counsel: Managed and supervised legal staff; created and administered training program for investigators, focusing on techniques for interviewing complainants and tactics for interrogating subject police officers; reviewed contracts for outside services, and investigations involving death in custody.

Legal Aid Society - Criminal Defense Division; New York, NY; 1991-1994
Trial Attorney: Represented indigent clients in criminal cases from arraignment through trial.

Dewey, Ballantine; New York, NY; 1990
Summer Associate

Public Defender Service; Washington, D.C; 1989
Law Clerk: 1989; **Investigator:** 1985-1986.

WRITING & JOURNALISM:

Fellowship: Soros Media Fellow; New York, NY; 2004-2005

Book: *Indefensible: One Lawyer's Journey Into the Inferno of American Justice;* **Little, Brown & Co.; 2006** The book was named one of "The Best Books of 2006" by *Kirkus Reviews*, and received an "A" from *Entertainment Weekly*.

Newspaper Work:

The New York Times

Witnessing Guilt, Ignoring Innocence
Op-Ed Page; June 6th, 2006

We Find the Defendant Not Guilty (If that's O.K. With Everyone)
Arts & Leisure Section; January 1st, 2006

Put Down Your Gun
Op-Ed Page; March 19th, 2005

Jail Breaks
Op-Ed Page; November 21st, 2004

The Dark Side of Innocence
The New York Times Magazine; June 15th, 2003

Fatal Flaws in the Justice System
Op-Ed Page; April 27th, 2002

How to Defend Someone You Know Is Guilty
The New York Times Magazine; April 8th, 2001

Prosecuting Judge Duckman
Op-Ed Page; February 29th, 1996

Los Angeles Times

Pursing the Polluters
Op-Ed Page; April 20th 2008

Shredding a Constitutional Protection That Isn't Even Used
Op-Ed Page; June 20th, 2006

A Prison Without Hope
OpEd Page; February, 1st, 2005

The Supreme Beginner
Los Angeles Times Magazine;
December 5th 2004

Washington Post

**Finding the System Guilty:
A Review of Courtroom 302**
Style Section; March, 29th, 2005

**You Can See it in Their 'I's:
A Review of Sex, Lies and Handwriting**
Style Section; December, 13th, 2006

Boston Globe

Innocence by the Numbers
Ideas, July 16th, 2006.

Slate:

The Real Price of Trying KSM
November 19th, 2009

Pyrrhic Acquittal
October 24th, 2007

One-Off Offing
June 18th 2007

Duke and Cover
May 1, 2006

Tamper-Proof
March 16th, 2006

Don't Tell, Ask
November 23rd, 2005

Stupid-Syndrome Syndrome
April 6th, 2005

Radical Sheik
February 14th, 2005

Pro-Se Can You See?
January 13th, 2005

Blue Hawaii
November 24th, 2004

Public Offenders:
September 3rd 2004

Printing Problems
May 27th, 2004

Everyday Obstruction
May 6th, 2004

Domestic Silence
March 12th, 2004

Reprinted in *Rights of the Accused*
Greenhaven Press, 2007

Lying Lawyers
Slate, March 21 1998

Diary,
May 5th - May 9th 1997

Reprinted in *The Slate Diaries*
Public Affairs Books, 2000

Magazine Articles:

Table for One: Where to Eat Alone in a City of Food Snobs
Conde Nast Portfolio; April 16th, 2007

Smoked Signals: A Barbecue Aficionado Rates Missouri's Finest
Lexus Magazine; Q2, 2006

All The Kings Horses: At the Annual Yearling Auction With the Emir of Dubai
Lexus Magazine; Q4, 2006

The Sun King: Josef Kiraly's Solar Homes Make Innsbruck Shine
Lexus Magazine; Q3, 2005

Master of Speed: Finding Leadfoot Nirvana at the Bonneville Salt Flats
Lexus Magazine; Q1, 2005

How to Deter White Collar Crime
The Nation; June, 2005

Police Lineups Point/Counterpoint,
The New York Law Journal Magazine; December 2002

A Bumble in the Bronx
Legal Affairs Magazine; September, 2002 (Cover Story)

I'll Never Forget That Face: The Science and Law of the Double-Blind Sequential Lineup
The Champion; January 2002

Private Islands
Fortune Magazine; October 2005

Radio Pieces:

Lynne Stewart
WNYC; February 10th, 2005

Mired in Misdemeanors
WNYC; June 8th, 2004

Latosha (Part ii)
WNYC; May 19th, 2004

Latosha (Part i)
WNYC; May 18th, 2004

Judge Bruce
WNYC; May 11th, 2004

Student Metrocard
WNYC; May 4th, 2004

Ineffective Assistance
NPR; June 4th, 2003

Hello Dali
WNYC; March 5th, 2003

False Confessions,
WNYC; January 31st, 2003

Aliens Took My Dad
NPR; June 15th, 2002

A Moment of Mercy
WNYC; December 11th, 2002

A New Kind Of Lineup
WNYC; July 27th, 2001

The Calvin Baker Story
WNYC; May 8th, 2001

Treatment Court
WNYC; April 24th, 2001

All Work and No Play
WNYC; January 22nd, 2001

King of the Courts
WNYC; December 7th, 2000

Hate Crimes
WNYC; July 12th, 2000

The Trouble with CCRB
WNYC; June 30th, 2000

Disorderly Conduct
WNYC; March 26, 2000

Television & Radio Appearances

Nearly 100 appearances as a commentator providing live or taped analysis of criminal justice issues. Appearances on **Court TV, Tru TV, MSNBC** and other nationally distributed shows including "**Rita Cosby,**" "**Fox and Friends,**" "**The O'Reilly Factor,**" and "**E!**" Multiple appearances on **National Public Radio, Air America,** and other commercial radio stations around the country. Topics have included a wide range of issues with a focus on criminal justice.

Other Teaching:

National Criminal Defense College,
Macon, GA 2002- Present.
Faculty Member. Taught trial skills to seasoned criminal defense attorneys.

Open Society Institute
Chisinau, Moldova September 14-18th 2009
(Trained public defenders and human rights lawyers in new models of advocacy for emerging democracies)

New York State Defender Association's Basic Trial Skills Program,
Troy, NY, 2003
Faculty Member, Taught trial skills to public defenders from across New York State.

Kentucky Department of Public Advocacy,
Lexington/Faubush, KY, 2003-2006
Faculty Member, Taught trial skills to public defenders from across Kentucky.

Missouri State Public Defender,
Lake of the Ozarks, MO, 2003-2006
Team Leader/Faculty Member, Taught trial skills to public defenders from Missouri.

N.Y. County Lawyers' & National Institute for Trial Advocacy,
New York, NY., 1995-1999.
Trial Academy Instructor. Taught direct and cross-examination skills to lawyers in private practice.

National Institute of Trial Advocacy,
New York, NY, 2001-2004
Instructor. Taught deposition skills to fancy big firm lawyers.

Rutgers Law School Intensive Trial Advocacy Program,
Newark, NJ., 1996-2005.
Instructor. Taught direct and cross-examination skills to law students.

Hofstra Law School, & NITA-- Northeast Regional Advanced Advocacy,
Hempstead, NY., 1999-2000.
Instructor. Taught trial skills to highly experienced criminal and civil litigators.

Lectures & Presentations:

Oregon Association of Criminal Defense Attorneys
Lahina, HI November, 9th 2009

Wyoming Public Defender
Casper, WY, October 6th, 2008

Wisconsin Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Milwaukee, WI, June 7th, 2007

Yale University—Rebellious Lawyering
New Haven, CT February, 24th, 2007

University of North Carolina School of Government.
Wrightsville Beach, NC May 16th, 2007

Oregon Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Newport, OR. September 15th, 2007

Maryland Public Defender Office
Potomac, MD, June 14th, 2007

Wyoming Public Defender
Sheridan, WY, September 28th, 2007

Missouri State Public Defender
St. Louis, MO December 12th, 2006

Washington State Bar Association
Seattle, WA November 17th, 2006

Kentucky Department of Public Advocacy
Fabush, KY October 18th 2006

Wyoming Public Defender
Cody WY, September 29th, 2006

Northeastern Law School
Boston, MA September 22nd 2006

Harvard Law School
Boston, MA September 21st, 2006

Georgia Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Athens, GA September 8th, 2006.

Center for American and International Law
Plano, TX August 24th, 2006.

American Constitution Society
Atlanta, GA, July 21st 2006.
Indiana Public Defender Counsel.
Indianapolis, IN June, 23rd, 2006.

Maine Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Portland, ME June 2nd, 2006

American Constitution Society
Austin TX, May 23rd, 2006

North Carolina Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Asheville, NC March 31st, 2006

Georgia Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Brasstown, GA

Innocence Network Conference
University of the District Of Columbia, Washington, D.C. 4/3/05

Virginia Indigent Defense Commission Conference:
Recent developments in Eyewitness Identification, Roanoke, VA 3/23/05
Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Associations
Texas Two Step—Experts and Advocates. Austin, TX 12/04

Rider University Law and Justice Awards
Eyewitness Identification, Science and the Courtroom, Trenton, NJ October, 28th 2004

National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers
Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA., 10/14/04.

American Psychology and Law Society,
Wasted Science: Foundering on the Shoals of Judicial Indifference
Scottsdale, AZ. March 6th, 2004.

And...

Two dozen other lectures and presentations to universities, public defender offices, criminal defense associations and other organizations around the country.

EDUCATION

The University of Chicago; Chicago, IL
B.A with Honors 1988

The Chicago Maroon;
Columnist, 1985

The University of Wisconsin Law School;
Madison, WI
J.D. with Honors, 1991

Wisconsin Law Review;
Editor, 1990-1991; *Member*, 1989-1990