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PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT
TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

AGRICULTURE:

Series Title: **Independent Lens “Medora”**

Airdate: April 6, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: A once-booming rural community with a thriving middle class has seen its factories and farms close as the population dwindles. A deeply personal look at small-town life, “Medora” follows a down-but-not-out varsity basketball team as its struggles to compete parallel the town’s own fight for survival.

Series Title: **Tavis Smiley**

Airdate: May 9, 2014

Airtime: 12:30 AM

Length: 30 (segment length 11)

Description: Vermont’s Gov. Peter Shumlin: Gov. Shumlin explains why he’s signing legislation that makes his state the first in the U.S. to require labeling of all genetically modified food.

AMERICAN HISTORY/BIOGRAPHY:

Series Title: **Civilization: The West and the Rest With Niall Ferguson - Part 1**

Airdate: April 10, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 120

Series Title: **Civilization: The West and the Rest With Niall Ferguson - Part 2**

Airdate: April 17, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: Historian Niall Ferguson explores philosophical and political developments that have enabled the Western hemisphere to dominate the globe for the past 500 years. And he asks, as the developing world adopts the ways of the West, can the West survive?

Series Title: **Lincoln @ Gettysburg**

Airdate: April 15, 2014

Airtime: 10:30 PM

Length: 60

Description: In 1863 Abraham Lincoln proved himself a master of a new frontier-not on the battlefields of the Civil War, but in his "high-tech" command center: the War Department Telegraph Office, America's first "Situation Room." The "Internet" of the 19th century, the telegraph gave Lincoln new powers to reshape leadership and wield personal control across distant battlefields. The results of Lincoln's pioneering experiment in electronic leadership led to the rebirth of America on the fields of Gettysburg... both in the battle that turned the tide of the Civil War, and in a few words that recast the American ideal as a national creed: the Gettysburg Address. LINCOLN@GETTYSBURG will unfold the greatest turning point in American history:the rebirth of a nation and the dawn of the information age.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "The Trials of Muhammad Ali"**

Airdate: April 20, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: This documentary covers Muhammad Ali's toughest bout, his battle to overturn his five-year prison sentence for refusing U.S. military service. The film traces a formative period in Ali's life, one unknown to young people and neglected by those who remember him as a boxer but overlook how controversial he was when he first took center stage. Cassius Clay became Muhammad Ali and found himself in the crosshairs of conflicts concerning civil rights, religion and wartime dissent. This film zeroes in on the years 1967 to 1970, when Ali lived in exile within the U.S., stripped of his heavyweight belt and banned from boxing, sacrificing fame and fortune on principle.

Series Title: **Civil War: The Untold Story "Bloody Shiloh"**

Airdate: April 24, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The fighting in the hellish terrain around Shiloh in 1862 is some of the most brutal of the war.

Series Title: **Civil War: The Untold Story "A Beacon of Hope"**

Airdate: May 1, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Significant Civil War battles are explored with insight from experts and realistic battle footage.

Series Title: **Civil War: The Untold Story "River Of Death"**

Airdate: May 8, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Ulysses S. Grant's campaign to take the Confederate citadel of Vicksburg, Mississippi is chronicled.

Series Title: **Civil War: The Untold Story "Death Knell Of The Confederacy"**

Airdate: May 15, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The Battle of Chickamauga in 1863 marked the end of a Union offensive in Tennessee and Georgia.

Series Title: **Civil War: The Untold Story "With Malice Toward None"**

Airdate: May 22, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: In 1864, General William Tecumseh Sherman's force of 100-thousand men marched toward Atlanta.

Series Title: **D-Day 360**

Airdate: May 27, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: LiDAR technology is used to re-create the landscape of the D-Day invasion during World War II.

Series Title: **Nova "D-Day's Sunken Secrets"**

Airdate: May 28, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: Dive teams and underwater robots discover Allied crafts that sank during the invasion of Normandy.

Series Title: **Hawking**
Airdate: June 18, 2014
Airtime: 10:00 PM
Length: 60

Description: The life of Stephen Hawking, one of the most remarkable minds of the modern age, is chronicled.

Series Title: **Eye On the Sixties: The Iconic Photography of Rowl Scherman**
Airdate: June 24, 2014
Airtime: 10:00 PM
Length: 90

Description: Famed LIFE magazine photojournalist Rowland Scherman captured transformational events of the 1960s.

Series Title: **Champlain: The Lake Between**
Airdate: June 26, 2014
Airtime: 8:00 PM
Length: 60

Description: Explores Samuel de Champlain's 1609 arrival in the Lake Champlain region and its ensuing cultural history. When Champlain first came to the region, it had already been a multi-cultural landscape for thousands of years. For the next 150 years, trade alliances created both conflict and connections among Abenaki, Mohawk, French, English and Dutch people. The film features interviews and re-enactments set against the lake's natural beauty. (Vermont PBS Production)

ARTS:

Series Title: **Live From Lincoln Center "James Naughton: The Songs of Randy Newman"**
Airdate: April 4, 2014
Airtime: 9:00 PM
Length: 60

Description: A Tony winner for his performances in "City of Angels" and "Chicago," James Naughton is an entertainer of breathtaking range. He stretches his sardonic "angel's wings" once again, taking on the repertoire of Randy Newman, whose pop songs and film scores have delighted and outraged audiences for decades.

Series Title: **In Performance at The White House "Women of Soul"**

Airdate: April 7, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Aretha Franklin, Janelle Monae, Jill Scott and others perform songs by remarkable women of soul.

Series Title: **Live From Lincoln Center "Jason Isbell: Moving Forward"**

Airdate: April 11, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The Alabama songwriter creates a sound that stays true to his roots and cuts close to the bone.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "Brothers Hypnotic"**

Airdate: April 13, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The Chicago-based Hypnotic Brass Ensemble consists of eight sons of jazz trumpeter Phil Cohran.

Series Title: **Great Performances at The Met "Falstaff"**

Airdate: April 20, 2014

Airtime: 1:30 PM

Length: 150

Description: Ambrogio Maestri sings the role of the blustery Sir John Falstaff in Verdi's comic masterpiece.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "Muscle Shoals"**

Airdate: April 21, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: Muscle Shoals, Alabama is the unlikely breeding ground for some of America's most creative music.

Series Title: **Great Performances "Matthew Bourne's Sleeping Beauty"**

Airdate: April 27, 2014

Airtime: 2:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: Choreographer Matthew Bourne presents a highly theatrical production of the timeless fairy tale.

Series Title: **Great Performances at The Met "Rusalka"**

Airdate: May 25, 2014

Airtime: 1:00 PM

Length: 180

Description: Renee Fleming returns to one of her signature roles in Dvorak's soulful fairy-tale opera.

Series Title: **Shakespeare Uncovered "Macbeth With Ethan Hawke"**

Airdate: June 13, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Ethan Hawke uncovers the true story that inspired Shakespeare's murderous Thane of Cawdor.

Series Title: **Shakespeare Uncovered "The Comedies With Joely Richardson"**

Airdate: June 13, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Joely Richardson and Vanessa Redgrave explore the legacy of Shakespeare's brilliant cross-dressing comedies.

Series Title: **Shakespeare Uncovered "Richard II With Derek Jacobi"**

Airdate: June 20, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The actor reveals why the play could have cost Shakespeare his life and coaches actors at the Globe.

Series Title: **Shakespeare Uncovered "Henry IV & Henry V With Jeremy Irons"**
Airdate: June 20, 2014
Airtime: 10:00 PM
Length: 60

Description: The actor examines the appeal of Shakespeare's "history plays" and discloses Shakespeare's sources.

Series Title: **Great Performances at the Met "La Boheme"**
Airdate: June 27, 2014
Airtime: 9:00 PM
Length: 150

Description: Anita Hartig stars as the frail Mimi in Puccini's moving story of young love.

CRIME/LEGAL ISSUES/LAW ENFORCEMENT:

Series Title: **Frontline "Solitary Nation"**
Airdate: April 22, 2014
Airtime: 10:00 PM
Length: 60

Description: Interviews with inmates and prison officers shed light on America's use of solitary confinement.

Series Title: **Frontline "Prison State"**
Airdate: April 29, 2014
Airtime: 10:00 PM
Length: 90

Description: A look at the impact of mass incarceration in America focuses on a housing project in Kentucky.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "Let the Fire Burn"**
Airdate: May 18, 2014
Airtime: 11:00 PM
Length: 90

Description: The clash between Philadelphia police and the radical urban group MOVE in 1985 is chronicled.

Series Title: **Secrets of Scotland Yard**

Airdate: June 22, 2014

Airtime: 10:30 PM

Length: 60

Description: A look London's police force sheds light on what it takes to become a modern-day Sherlock Holmes.

CULTURE:

Series Title: **Tales From A Yiddish Theatre**

Airdate: April 1, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: A profile of Montreal's thriving Yiddish performing arts community, viewed through the activities of the city's Dora Wasserman Yiddish Theatre, which is helping to spur a renaissance in Yiddish culture. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Little Jerusalem**

Airdate: April 6, 2014

Airtime: 3:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: In the late 19th century, Jews from neighboring villages in rural Lithuania settled in Burlington, Vermont, a bustling port amid countryside that reminded them of home. Archival images and interviews with descendants of the original settlers capture the history of a community that enriches the culture of Vermont to this day. (Vermont PBS Production)

ENVIRONMENT/NATURE/GEOGRAPHY:

Series Title: **Nature "White Falcon, White Wolf"**

Airdate: April 2, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The enormous falcons and Arctic wolves raise their families on Canada's remote Ellesmere Island.

Series Title: **Nova "Wild Predator Invasion"**

Airdate: April 2, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Scientists return apex predators to their environments to restore the balance of their ecosystems.

Series Title: **Nova "Inside Animal Minds: Bird Genius"**

Airdate: April 9, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Researchers use the science of animal cognition to learn how birds understand the world around them.

Series Title: **Nature "Touching the Wild"**

Airdate: April 16, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Researcher Joe Hutto spends seven years of his life walking among a herd of wild mule deer.

Series Title: **Nova "Inside Animal Minds: Dogs & Super Senses"**

Airdate: April 16, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Researchers use the science of animal cognition to learn how dogs understand the world around them.

Series Title: **American Masters "A Fierce Green Fire"**

Airdate: April 22, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Robert Redford, Ashley Judd and other stars narrate this exploration of the environmental movement.

Series Title: **Nature "Snow Monkeys"**

Airdate: April 23, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The Japanese macaque, or snow monkey, survives in winter temperatures below 15 degrees.

Series Title: **Nova "Inside Animal Minds: Who's the Smartest?"**

Airdate: April 23, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Scientists try to unlock the secrets of animal communication by tracking dolphins in the Caribbean.

Series Title: **Nature "Love in the Animal Kingdom"**

Airdate: April 30, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The subtle, outrageous and romantic antics of gorillas, flamingos and other animals are revealed.

Series Title: **Nova "The Incredible Journey of the Butterflies"**

Airdate: April 30, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Journey into the fascinating world of the Monarch butterfly and explore its migratory odyssey.

Series Title: **Nature "Shark Mountain"**

Airdate: May 7, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Underwater filmmakers take the dive of a lifetime off the coast of Central America.

Series Title: **Nova "Why Sharks Attack"**

Airdate: May 7, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Leading shark experts research the science behind the great white's hunting instincts.

Series Title: **Nature "Leave It to Beavers"**

Airdate: May 14, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Scientists regard beavers as tools for reversing the effects of global warming and water shortages.

Series Title: **Nature "The Gathering Swarms"**

Airdate: May 21, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The planet's most extraordinary swarms, including 17-year cicadas and a locust swarm, are explored.

Series Title: **Nature "American Eagle"**

Airdate: May 28, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The drama of the bald eagle's nest is captured by Emmy-winning cinematographer Neil Rettig.

Series Title: **Nature "Fortress of the Bears"**

Airdate: June 11, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The Tongass National Forest in Alaska supports the largest concentration of bears in the world.

Series Title: **Nature "Great Zebra Exodus"**

Airdate: June 18, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Over 20,000 zebras make their epic migration across the Kalahari's Makgadikgadi Pans in Africa.

Series Title: **Nature "Fabulous Frogs"**

Airdate: June 25, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Sir David Attenborough sheds new light on the weird and wonderful world of frogs.

Series Title: **Nova "Deadliest Earthquakes"**

Airdate: June 25, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Follow a team of US geologists as they first enter Haiti in the immediate aftermath of the tragedy.

Series Title: **Surviving the Tsunami: A Nova Special Presentation**

Airdate: June 25, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Video footage and the stories of survivors reveal the destruction of the 2011 tsunami in Japan.

HEALTH/HEALTHCARE:

Series Title: **PBS NewsHour**

Airdate: April 8, 2014

Airtime: 6:00 PM

Length: 60 (segment length 8)

Description: For the 42 million Americans who take care of loved ones at home, the responsibilities of care -- once the purview of trained nurses -- have become increasingly complex. AARP has begun to advocate for greater caregiver support through public policy and legislation, but the health care industry may be wary of additional regulation. Special correspondent Kathleen McCleery reports.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "How to Survive A Plague"**

Airdate: June 15, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: Two grassroots coalitions fought to turn AIDS from a death sentence into a manageable condition.

HOMOSEXUALITY:

Series Title: **Independent Lens "God Loves Uganda"**

Airdate: May 25, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: A look at how the American Evangelical movement is influencing Uganda's laws against homosexuality.

Series Title: **PBS NewsHour Weekend**

Airdate: June 15, 2014

Airtime: 5:30 PM

Length: 30 (segment length 9)

Description: For gays living in Uganda, just walking outside of their homes can be dangerous. And today, long-standing prejudice has been institutionalized into law with the country's "Anti-Homosexuality Act," which calls for harsh sentences for gay acts. Offenders convicted of "aggravated homosexuality" face life in prison. NewsHour Weekend special correspondent Martin Seemungal reports from Kampala.

MEDIA:

Series Title: **Pioneers of Television "Standup To Sitcom"**

Airdate: April 15, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Jerry Seinfeld, Roseanne Barr and Ray Romano discuss how standup comics transitioned to sitcoms.

Series Title: **Pioneers of Television "Doctors and Nurses"**

Airdate: April 22, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Noah Wyle, Anthony Edwards, Ed Begley Jr. and others discuss "ER," "St. Elsewhere" and more.

Series Title: **Pioneers of Television "Acting Funny"**

Airdate: May 6, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The backstage techniques of Robin Williams, Tina Fey and more great comedic actors are revealed.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "A Fragile Trust: Plagiarism, Power, and Jayson Blair at the New York Times/Lies"**

Airdate: May 11, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: The story of serial plagiarist Jayson Blair and the scandal at The New York Times are detailed.

MINORITIES/CIVIL RIGHTS:

Series Title: **Pioneers of Television "Breaking Barriers"**

Airdate: April 29, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The story of people of color on American television is traced, including Bill Cosby and Desi Arnaz.

Series Title: **Ruben Salazar: Man In the Middle - A Voces Special Presentation**

Airdate: April 29, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The life and death of Ruben Salazar, a prominent Civil Rights era journalist, is investigated.

Series Title: **Freedom Riders**

Airdate: June 17, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: Chronicles the journey of the courageous band of civil-rights activists in the Deep South in 1961.

Series Title: **Freedom Summer: American Experience**

Airdate: June 24, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: Over 700 student volunteers joined organizers to combat white supremacy in Mississippi in 1964.

NATIONAL POLITICS/GOVERNMENT:

Series Title: **Frontline “Secret State of North Korea”**

Airdate: April 8, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: FRONTLINE goes inside secretive North Korea to explore life under its new ruler Kim Jong-Un.

Series Title: **Report From Washington “Rep. Peter Welch”**

Airdate: April 9, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: In this live broadcast, Rep. Peter Welch, D-Vt., talks about current issues and takes viewer questions submitted by phone and email. Questions may be submitted in advance to connect@vpt.org. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Age of Delirium**

Airdate: April 24, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The story of the fall of the Soviet Union as lived and experienced by the Soviet people is shared.

Series Title: **Report From Washington "Sen. Patrick Leahy"**

Airdate: May 1, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: In this live broadcast, Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt., talks about current issues and takes viewer questions submitted by phone and email. Questions may be submitted in advance to connect@vpt.org. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Ask the Governor**

Airdate: May 22, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Gov. Peter Shumlin will talk about current issues and take viewer questions submitted by phone and email during this live special. Questions may be submitted in advance to connect@vpt.org. (Vermont PBS Production)

RECREATION/LEISURE/SPORTS:

Series Title: **Outdoor Journal**

Airdate: April 1, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: Lawrence explores the underwater world of Lake Champlain during a scuba expedition. Gina pans for gold at Smugglers' Notch. A visit to Rock River Wildlife Management Area in Highgate explores waterfowl habitat. Fisheries biologists keep tabs on fish populations. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Outdoor Journal**

Airdate: April 8, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: Gina enjoys a Vermont winter adventure. A rescue program looks to protect timber rattlesnakes. Wenlock Wildlife Management Area in Ferdinand, Vt., is one of the few remaining homes for the threatened spruce grouse. The Sacred Hunter movement teaches values like respect and empathy through the traditional sports of hunting and fishing. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Outdoor Journal**

Airdate: April 15, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: Gina takes advantage of Vermont's first annual free ice-fishing day. The state works to upgrade public shooting ranges. The Nature Conservancy's Bob Klein leads an intriguing canoe paddle through the Little Otter Wildlife Management Area in Ferrisburg. Citizen scientists participate in Vermont's winter bald eagle survey. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Out & About "Unusual Sports"**

Airdate: April 22, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: With unexpected stories from around the region, this episode focuses on some unusual sporting events. River surfing in Montreal, a scary Vermont 'Zombie Run' and a Bath, N.H., sheepdog competition are featured, as well as a foodie visit to Big Lenny's in Rutland. Former UVM basketball coach Tom Brennan is guest host. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Out & About "Unexpected Arts"**

Airdate: April 29, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: With unexpected stories from around the region, this episode takes up unusual artistic endeavors. Featured stories include graveyard photography, Montreal's Yiddish theatre community, very large metal sculptures and a unique cake shop in Ludlow, Vt. Comedian Josie Leavitt is guest host. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Out & About "Unlikely Foods"**

Airdate: May 6, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: With unexpected stories from around the region, this episode explores food in various forms. Featured stories include a local food service in Vermont's Northeast Kingdom, a unique, urine-based fertilizer project, a McGill University insect-farming initiative - and a queasy look at insect eating. Also, a visit to Bradford, Vt.'s annual game dinner. Vermont chef Michael Kloeti is guest host. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Out & About "Uniquely Musical"**

Airdate: May 13, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: With unexpected stories from around the region, this episode tunes into some unique musical happenings. Featured stories include iconic Vermont radio host Joel Najman, Les Muses - a Montreal school for disabled performers, a honky tonkin' profile of Vermont's Starline Rhythm Boys and a singing pizza chef from Essex, Vt. Renowned DJ Craig Mitchell is guest host. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Outdoor Journal**

Airdate: June 10, 2014

Airtime: 7:00 PM

Length: 30

Description: Wing shooters, including Lawrence Pyne, hone their skills at the Orvis school in Manchester, Vt. LCI Father's Day Fishing Derby on Lake Champlain is the organization's biggest annual event. Turner Hill Wildlife Management Area in southeastern Vermont sits atop what is known as the Athens dome. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **American Pharaoh**

Airdate: June 17, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: An American coaches the Egyptian national soccer team as it attempts to qualify for the World Cup.

Series Title: **Outdoor Journal**

Airdate: June 24, 2014

Airtime: 7:30 PM

Length: 30

Description: Bass anglers are encouraged to keep some of their catch on Kent Pond in Killington, Vt., which means a good old-fashioned fish fry. Biologists study the impact of white-nose syndrome on bats. Gina has the experience of a lifetime at Vermont Skydiving Adventures. (Vermont PBS Production)

RELIGION/ETHICS:

Series Title: **The Story of the Jews With Simon Schama "A Leap of Faith"**

Airdate: April 1, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Simon Schama explores how the Enlightenment allowed Jews to integrate into modern European culture.

Series Title: **The Story of the Jews With Simon Schama "Over The Rainbow"**

Airdate: April 1, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Simon Schama chronicles how the Jewish people of Eastern Europe made their mark on the modern world.

Series Title: **The Story of the Jews With Simon Schama "Return"**

Airdate: April 1, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Simon Schama examines how the Holocaust and creation of Israel changed what it means to be Jewish.

Series Title: **Religion & Ethics Newsweekly**

Airdate: Sundays, April 6 – 27, May 4 – 25 and June 15 & 22

Airtime: 10:30 AM

Length: 30

Description: This series provides in-depth coverage of the top religion and ethics stories of the week as well as religious and ethical perspectives on domestic and foreign events and the arts. Hosted by veteran journalist Bob Abernethy, the series brings viewers breaking news through live and taped reports filed by a team of correspondents in the field and interviews with prominent newsmakers.

SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY:

Series Title: **Your Inner Fish "Your Inner Fish"**

Airdate: April 9, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The genetic legacy of a fish that lurched onto land 375 million years ago is seen today in our DNA.

Series Title: **Your Inner Fish "Your Inner Reptile"**

Airdate: April 16, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: A look at how our reptilian ancestors left their mark on many parts of the human body.

Series Title: **Your Inner Fish "Your Inner Monkey"**

Airdate: April 23, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Humans inherited versatile hands, amazing vision and some less beneficial traits from primates.

Series Title: **Nova "Escape From Nazi Alcatraz"**

Airdate: May 14, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Aerospace engineers and carpenters test a plan to escape a Nazi war camp using a two-man glider.

Series Title: **Nova "Earth From Space"**

Airdate: June 11, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: NOVA takes data from earth-observing satellites and transforms it into dazzling visual sequences.

Series Title: **Nova "At the Edge of Space"**

Airdate: June 18, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The shimmering aurora, meteors and more phenomena are explored in the earth-space boundary zone.

TRANSPORTATION:

Series Title: **PBS NewsHour**

Airdate: April 23, 2014

Airtime: 6:00 PM

Length: 60 (segment length 8)

Description: The amount of oil being moved around the United States by rail has quadrupled since 2005. A string of explosive train derailments in the U.S. and Canada have prompted the National Transportation Safety Board to work with other agencies on improving the safety of the rail shipments. Judy Woodruff talks to Deborah Hersman, chair of the National Transportation Safety Board.

Series Title: **Independent Lens "Revenge of the Electric Car"**

Airdate: May 4, 2014

Airtime: 11:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: In 2006, thousands of new electric cars were purposely destroyed. Now the electric car is back.

WAR/VETERANS/NATIONAL SECURITY:

Series Title: **Nazi Mega Weapons "Super Tanks"**

Airdate: April 30, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: In a quest for world domination, the Nazis built deadly pieces of military hardware and technology.

Series Title: **Nazi Mega Weapons "Jet Fighter ME262"**

Airdate: May 7, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The most technologically advanced plane of World War II, the Messerschmitt ME262, is explored.

Series Title: **Coming Back With Wes Moore "Coming Back"**

Airdate: May 13, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Former combat veteran Wes Moore explores the difficulty with the process of coming back from war.

Series Title: **Frontline "United States of Secrets, Part One"**

Airdate: May 13, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: The history of the National Security Agency's unprecedented surveillance program is investigated.

Series Title: **Nazi Mega Weapons "Fortress Berlin"**

Airdate: May 14, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: In April of 1945 Hitler was 10 meters underground in the center of Berlin as the Russians advanced.

Series Title: **Coming Back With Wes Moore "Fitting In"**

Airdate: May 20, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Wes Moore focuses on the idea of fitting in at home when soldiers are fundamentally changed by war.

Series Title: **Escape From A Nazi Death Camp**

Airdate: May 20, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Jewish prisoners staged a bloody escape from the Nazi death camp of Sobibor during World War II.

Series Title: **Frontline "United States of Secrets, Part Two"**

Airdate: May 20, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The role of Silicon Valley in the National Security Agency's surveillance program is explored.

Series Title: **Nova "Bombing Hitler's Dams"**

Airdate: May 21, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 120

Description: In 1943 a squad of Lancaster bombers destroyed dams in Germany with a revolutionary bouncing bomb.

Series Title: **Day of Days: June 6, 1944**

Airdate: May 25, 2014

Airtime: 6:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Four D-Day veterans share their experiences at the Museum of World War II in Natick, Massachusetts.

Series Title: **National Memorial Day Concert**

Airdate: May 25, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: An all-star line-up performs with the National Symphony Orchestra to honor American soldiers.

Series Title: **Coming Back With Wes Moore "Moving Forward"**

Airdate: May 27, 2014

Airtime: 8:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The drive that veterans often have of finding a new mission after returning from war is showcased.

Series Title: **Frontline "Battle Zones: Ukraine & Syria"**

Airdate: May 27, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Personal and dramatic footage reveal a look inside the raging battle zones of Ukraine and Syria.

WOMEN:

Series Title: **VT Makers – Barbara Ann Cochran** (*Interstitial*)

Airdate: Aired 7 time(s) between April 3, 2014 – April 27, 2014

Length: 7

Description: Barbara Ann Cochran, a member of the famous 'Skiing Cochrans' of Richmond, Vermont, captured the Olympic gold medal in slalom in 1972 and has taught Vermonters how to ski 'the Cochran way' for over 30 years.
(Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **VT Makers – Elizabeth Coleman** (*Interstitial*)

Airdate: Aired 2 time(s) between April 3, 2014 – April 10, 2014

Length: 5

Description: One of the longest serving college presidents in the country, Liz shares her innovative approach to higher education at Bennington College.
(Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **VT Makers – Alex MacLean** (*Interstitial*)

Airdate: Aired 11 time(s) between April 3, 2014 – April 27, 2014

Length: 7

Description: Alex shares her experiences as a young, first-time campaign manager who guided Vt. Governor Peter Shumlin to two hard-fought but successful elections before moving back home to the Northeast Kingdom where she manages the largest economic initiative in state history. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **VT Makers – Demeny Pollitt** (*Interstitial*)
Airdate: Aired 2 time(s) between April 6, 2014 – April 17, 2014
Length: 7

Description: This 34 year old co-owner of Gurlington Garage in South Burlington talks about her struggles in the mainstream male-dominated car repair business and fulfilling her dream of starting an all-female garage. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Vermont Makers - Riya Patel** (*Interstitial*)
Airdate: Aired 19 time(s) between April 10, 2014 – June 26, 2014
Length: 5

Description: A former South Burlington High School class president. Her long list of high school achievements include participating in the International Science and Engineering Fair, Girls Nation, the Real World Design Challenge, the DECA business competition, and the Department of State Youth Leadership Program. Community service and youth activism are her passions and at South Burlington High, she co-founded FRIEND, a non-profit dedicated to helping refugee youth integrate into the community. She is now a freshman at Harvard. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Vermont Makers - Courtney Gabaree** (*Interstitial*)
Airdate: Aired 10 time(s) between April 10, 2014 – June 23, 2014
Length: 5

Description: A graduate of Johnson State College, Courtney is a youth advocate at H.O.P.E. Works, an anti-sexual violence organization in Chittenden County. Courtney helps survivors of prostitution and has most recently worked with the State Attorney General's Office to update Vermont's sex trafficking law. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Vermont Makers - Brooke Spence** (*Interstitial*)
Airdate: Aired 14 time(s) between May 1, 2014 – June 24, 2014
Length: 4

Description: A senior at Bellows Free Academy in St. Albans, Brooke is the president of GLOW (“Gay, Lesbian or Whatever”) and was nominated for Student Activist of the Year with Outright Vermont. She co-created OutandProudVT which raises awareness of the struggles that the LGBT community faces in Vermont. (Vermont PBS Production)

Series Title: **Ellen DeGeneres: The Mark Twain Prize**
Airdate: May 6, 2014
Airtime: 9:00 PM
Length: 90

Description: The work of Ellen DeGeneres is celebrated as she receives the Mark Twain Prize for American Humor.

Series Title: **Tina Fey: The Mark Twain Prize**

Airdate: May 6, 2014

Airtime: 10:30 PM

Length: 90

Description: Steve Carell, Jimmy Fallon, Jon Hamm, Steve Martin and more pay tribute to the humor of Tina Fey.

Series Title: **Extraordinary Women "Madame Chiang Kai-Shek"**

Airdate: May 18, 2014

Airtime: 2:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: The remarkable life of the controversial former First Lady of the Republic of China is chronicled.

Series Title: **Extraordinary Women "Wallis Simpson"**

Airdate: May 18, 2014

Airtime: 3:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: King Edward VIII gave up the British throne to marry the twice-divorced American socialite in 1936.

Series Title: **Extraordinary Women "Martha Gellhorn"**

Airdate: May 24, 2014

Airtime: 3:30 PM

Length: 60

Description: The remarkable life of the war correspondent, novelist, travel writer and journalist is chronicled.

Series Title: **Portraits for the Home Front: The Story of Elizabeth Black**

Airdate: May 25, 2014

Airtime: 12:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Leaving an art career behind, Elizabeth Black joined the American Red Cross during World War II.

Series Title: **Unsung Heroes: The Story of America's Female Patriots "Part 1"**

Airdate: May 26, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Brave women who fought in the American Revolution, the Civil War and Afghanistan are highlighted.

Series Title: **Unsung Heroes: The Story of America's Female Patriots "Part 2"**

Airdate: May 26, 2014

Airtime: 10:00 PM

Length: 60

Description: Heroic female patriots who have shattered the brass ceiling through valiant deeds are showcased.

YOUTH:

Series Title: **The Address**

Airdate: April 15, 2014

Airtime: 9:00 PM

Length: 90

Description: This film showcases the Greenwood School in Putney, Vermont -- where students grappling with an array of learning challenges use the Gettysburg Address as a tool for success. Each student is tasked with memorizing Abraham Lincoln's 10-sentence masterpiece, and at year's end, recite it before their classmates and teachers. The film uses the contemporary story to reveal the history, context and importance of one of the greatest speeches in US history.

Series Title: **PBS NewsHour**

Airdate: May 6, 2014

Airtime: 6:00 PM

Length: 60 (segment length 12)

Description: In the last few decades, a multi-billion dollar industry has evolved around princess stories and toys. But in contrast to this pink and purple “girlie” world are alternatives emphasizing more diverse interests and portraying different kinds of heroines. Gwen Ifill talks to author Peggy Orenstein and Angelica Perez of the Ella Institute about the influence of modern marketers and media on girls.