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2019-Q2 Quarterly Issues Report 04/01/19 through 06/30/19 Airs-Sunday Approximately 9 AM*

*Subject to Variation & some Programs may have not aired fully due to technical difficulty.

Issues covered this quarter (See Specific Program):

American culture	Intellectual disabilities
American history	Law
Art	Literature
Business	Media
Careers	Mental health
Child health/development	Mental illness
Climate change	Music
Criminal justice	Nationalism
Culture	Pop culture
Death	Politics
Disaster	Psychology
Discrimination	Public health/safety
Diversity	Racism
Domestic violence	Recreation
Economics	Religion
Education	Science
Emotional grief	Self-discipline
Environment	Sexual assault/abuse
Entertainment	Social media
Entrepreneurship	Societal issues
Family and parenting issues	Space Travel
Feminism	Storytelling
Gender issues	Technology
Government	Television
Health and wellness	Terrorism
Healthcare	The Presidency
Home improvement	Trauma
Immigration	Violence
Inclusivity	Women's issues
Interpersonal relationships	Youth at risk

Program	19-14	Written & Produced	Polly Hansen, Evan Rook
Air Week	04/7 – 04/13/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:47	SEGMENT 1: THE ROLE OF A LITERARY EDITOR		10:06
Synopsis: You see authors thank their editors all the time in the acknowledgements section of a book. But exactly what does an editor do? We talk to an editor himself who explains to us what an editor does to get the book from a manuscript to the finished copy on store shelves.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Peter Ginna, literary editor and author, <i>What Editors Do</i>			
Links for more information: http://www.press.uchicago.edu/ucp/books/book/chicago/W/bo21439635.html			
Issues Covered: literature, careers, culture			
13:55	SEGMENT 2: GREENER GARDENING DURING CLIMATE CHANGE		9:10
Synopsis: Gardeners always seek to get the most out of their plants, but some are finding that their plot of land doesn't produce the way it used to because of wildly changing, extreme conditions—torrential rain, then drought, heat then cold. We talk to two experts who explain ways to increase your garden's productivity, and how it can help combat climate change.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Lee Reich, author, <i>The Ever Curious Gardener: Using A Little Natural Science For A Much Better Garden</i> ; Ginny Stibolt, co-author, <i>Climate-Wise Landscaping: Practical Actions For A Sustainable Future</i>			
Links for more info: https://greengardeningmatters.blogspot.com/p/about.html http://www.leereich.com/books/the-ever-curious-gardener-using-a-little-natural-science-for-a-much-better-garden			
Issues Covered: environment; climate change; home improvement; gardening			
24:05	Culture Crash: Sketch Comic Becomes movies' hottest horror director		2:19
Synopsis: Jordan Peele used to be best known as a sketch comic, but his second film as a director, "Us," is showing that the success of his first, "Get Out," was no fluke.			
Host: Evan Rook Issues Covered: media; culture; movies			

Program	19-16	Written & Produced	Evan Rook, Pat Reuter
Air Week	04/21 – 04/27/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:47	SEGMENT 1: THE GATEKEEPER: MISSY LeHAND AND FDR		10:14
Synopsis: Everyone knows about the presidency of Franklin D. Roosevelt, but not many know about the powerful and loyal confidant FDR relied on, Marguerite “Missy” LeHand. Our guest discusses the life and work of this remarkable woman and how she helped and influenced one of the greatest chief executives of our time.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Kathryn Smith, author of <i>The Gatekeeper: Missy LeHand, FDR, and the untold story of the partnership that defined a presidency</i>			
Links for more information: www.margueritelehand.com https://www.facebook.com/margueritelehand/			
Issues Covered: government; women’s issues; the Presidency; American history			
14:02	SEGMENT 2: THE LADY FROM THE BLACK LAGOON		8:38
Synopsis: Horror movies are major box office. Some experts see the film “The Creature from the Black Lagoon” as a turning point. One reason is the Gill Man character, created by an often-overlooked female trailblazer in monster design, Milicent Patrick. An author who has researched Patrick discusses her significance in American culture and the horror film genre.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Mallory O’Meara, author, <i>Lady from the Black Lagoon: Hollywood Monsters and the Lost Legacy of Milicent Patrick</i>			
Links for more info: http://www.malloryomeara.com/book			
Issues Covered: movies; women’s issues; feminism; American culture			
23:39	Culture Crash: The End of Game of Thrones		2:47
Synopsis: The wildly popular TV show Game of Thrones is set to wrap up its story with six episodes this season, yet its fans may be unsatisfied. The TV show has departed the path of the books.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: media; pop culture; television; entertainment			

Program	19-17	Written & Produced	Evan Rook, Pat Reuter, Emily Parker
Air Week	04/28 – 05/04/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:47	SEGMENT 1: TEACHING YOUTH ABOUT CONSENT AND ABUSE		9:40
Synopsis: In the 20 years since writing the young adult novel <i>Speak</i> , based on her own rape, author Laurie Halse Anderson has met with numerous audiences of adolescents. She has found a huge gap in the ways girls and boys perceive what constitutes sexual consent, abuse, and the consequences of assault, and attributes this to a parental inability to discuss the topic with children. She discusses the issue.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Laurie Halse Anderson, author, <i>Speak</i> and <i>Shout</i>			
Links for more information: http://madwomanintheforest.com/about-the-author/			
Issues Covered: youth at risk; sexual assault and abuse; gender issues; education; parenting			
11:27	SEGMENT 2: THE PSYCHOLOGY OF FASHION		9:34
Synopsis: Fashion advertising raises issues about confidence, self-esteem and body image. Our guest discusses why it's important to look beyond the advertisements and find the fashions that are right for you, how cheap clothing is hurting developing countries and the environment, and why designers and manufacturers need to change how they create clothing for and market to older men and women.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Dr. Carolyn Mair, Chartered Scientist and Psychologist, Associate Fellow at the British Psychological Society and a Reader at the London College of Fashion, author <i>The Psychology of Fashion</i>			
Links for more info: www.cazweb.info			
Issues Covered: consumerism; women's issues; health and wellness; manufacturing			
24:01	Culture Crash: ADAPTING A BOOK INTO A MOVIE		2:19
Synopsis: For a decade now, it seemed like comic book movies had settled in to an existence based on these larger cinematic universes. Now, Spider-Man and The Joker are proving comic stories can have their cake and eat it, too.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: media; culture; movies; books			

Program	19-18	Written & Produced	Evan Rook, Polly Hansen
Air Week	05/05 – 05/10/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:47	SEGMENT 1: DIVERSITY IN SCI-FI		7:32
Synopsis: For decades, science fiction was a genre written almost exclusively by white males. Now, the genre is flourishing with diverse voices, thanks in part to the trailblazing writer Octavia E. Butler. Historian Gerry Canavan discusses the obstacles Butler faced and her legacy on one of the most popular genres in American literature.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Gerry Canavan, professor at Marquette University and author, <i>Octavia E. Butler</i>			
Links for more information: https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=nb_sb_noss_2?url=search-alias%3Dstripbooks&field-keywords=octavia+e+butler https://www.press.uillinois.edu/books/catalog/34ghf4me9780252040665.html			
Issues Covered: culture; race; diversity; gender issues; literature			
11:16	SEGMENT 2: THE HONEY BUS		10:35
Synopsis: In Meredith May's new book, she examines the parallels between the inner workings of beehives and our society, and how beekeeping taught her numerous life lessons as a child. She also discusses the threat to bees with commercialized beekeeping and what we can do to protect these insects vital to our ecosystem.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Meredith May, author, <i>The Honey Bus: A Memoir of Loss, Courage and a Girl Saved by Bees</i>			
Links for more info: https://meredithamay.net/category/the-honey-bus/			
Issues Covered: literature; environment; beekeeping; mental health; family relationships			
26:25	Culture Crash: BEYONCE'S DOMINANCE IN POP CULTURE		3:34
Synopsis: We examine Beyonce's consistent influence throughout all sectors of media. The visionary artist is known for her fierce demeanor and powerhouse concert performances, rewriting traditional female and black stereotypes in media.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: music; media; pop culture; feminism; African American Issues			

Program	19-19	Written & Produced	Evan Rook, Polly Hansen
Air Week	05/12 – 05/18/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:52	SEGMENT 1: THE BOYS IN THE BUNKHOUSE: INTELLECTUALLY CHALLENGED MEN IN SERVITUDE		12:13
<p>Synopsis: If you came upon a rundown, roach-infested bunkhouse in the heartland of America, full of middle-aged and elderly men in poor health who worked all day at a job for little pay and had been for decades, you might think you had time traveled back to the 19th century. We talk to an author who writes about this very situation where mentally challenged men were pressed into servitude in 1974 and remained there until 2009 when some determined social workers stepped up to their aid.</p>			
<p>Host: Gary Price. Guests: Dan Barry, <i>New York Times</i> reporter and columnist, author of <i>The Boys in the Bunkhouse: Servitude and Salvation in the Heartland</i></p>			
<p>Links for more information: www.danbarryonline.com</p>			
<p>Issues Covered: intellectual disabilities; commerce; poverty; agriculture; Civil Rights; law</p>			
16:02	SEGMENT 2: FIRST IMPRESSIONS & THEIR PITFALLS		7:16
<p>Synopsis: We all get gut instincts when we walk into a room of strangers. Do we fit in here? Do these people seem friendly? Snap judgments are simply a part of how we function. But Princeton University psychology professor Alexander Todorov says that while these first impressions are natural, we should try to resist them.</p>			
<p>Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Alexander Todorov, professor of psychology at Princeton University and author of <i>Face Value: The Irresistible Influence of First Impressions</i></p>			
<p>Links for more info: https://press.princeton.edu/titles/10923.html</p>			
<p>Issues Covered: human psychology; business; perception; interpersonal relationships; workplace</p>			
24:18	Culture Crash: A REVIEW OF ELISABETH MOSS IN “HER SMELL”		2:08
<p>Synopsis: Elisabeth Moss stars in the new indie movie, “Her Smell” directed by Alex Ross Perry. The film follows Moss as she plays the chaotic role of fictional punk rocker, Becky Something, who is mentally unstable, addicted to drugs and clawing to get her life together.</p>			
<p>Host: Evan Rook Issues Covered: film; media; music; rock; culture; pop culture; drug addiction; mental health; mental illness; movies</p>			

Program	19-20	Written & Produced	Polly Hansen, Pat Reuter, Evan Rook
Air Week	05/19 – 05/25/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:47	SEGMENT 1: THE END OF ICE		9:02
Synopsis: Journalist and author Dahr Jamail exposes how climate change is affecting our ecosystems and natural landscape, including the melting and disappearance of massive ice glaciers. We discuss the long-term consequences of global warming and what we can do as a society to reverse the damage.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Dahr Jamail, journalist and author, <i>The End of Ice: Bearing Witness and Finding Meaning in the Path of Climate Disruption</i> ; Mario Trigueros, Program Manager for Online Learning, Pachamama Alliance; Pam Peck, Manager, Metro, the regional government for greater Portland Oregon metropolitan area			
Links for more information: https://thenewpress.com/books/end-of-ice https://www.pachamama.org/			
Issues Covered: climate change; environment; composting; nonprofits			
12:46	SEGMENT 2: LOUISA ADAMS - THE EXTRAORDINARY FIRST LADY YOU'VE NEVER HEARD OF		9:57
Synopsis: We all know the names of famous First Ladies – Martha Washington, Mary Todd Lincoln, Eleanor Roosevelt, Nancy Reagan – and they all left their marks on our country in one way or another. One of these ladies that you probably <i>don't</i> know much about is Louisa Adams, wife of President John Quincy Adams. Our guest has researched this extraordinary woman and discusses her strength, political wit and resilience.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Louisa Thomas, author, <i>Louisa: The Extraordinary Life of Mrs. Adams</i>			
Links for more info: www.louisathomas.com			
Issues Covered: politics; war; the presidency; First Lady; foreign affairs; culture; feminism			
23:43	Culture Crash: A GREATER DIVERSITY WITHIN TELEVISION		2:41
Synopsis: We examine how television series have grown to be more diverse and inclusive in the Peak TV era. One such show is “Ramy”, a new Hulu original, which candidly follows the life of a young, first-generation Muslim man and the challenges that arise with the melting pot of cultures.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: television; media; inclusivity; cultural perspectives; religion; Islam			

Program	19-21	Producers	Polly Hansen, Evan Rook
Air Week	05/26 – 06/01/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:48	SEGMENT 1: THE COLOR OF LAW		10:21
Synopsis: Racial segregation still persists throughout the U.S. One factor contributing to this inequality is the structure of our town and cities. Richard Rothstein and Tonika Johnson talk about how past laws and our government created a divided demographic and the impact this has on certain populations.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Richard Rothstein, distinguished fellow, Economic Policy Institute and author, <i>The Color of Law: A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America</i> ; Tonika Johnson, photographer and creator, art exhibit <i>Folded Map</i> at Loyola University Museum of Art in Chicago.			
Links for more information: https://www.epi.org/publication/the-color-of-law-a-forgotten-history-of-how-our-government-segregated-america/ https://www.tonijphotography.com/projects/6836945			
Issues Covered: segregation; discrimination; inequality; Civil Rights; housing; government; art; law			
14:06	SEGMENT 2: APPRECIATING THE BEAUTY OF CALCULUS		8:54
Synopsis: For many, learning about mathematics can be a terrifying and daunting task. Steven Strogatz discusses the importance of learning the basics of calculus and not only the math itself, but also understanding its historical prevalence and everyday use in our world.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Steven Strogatz, professor, applied mathematics at Cornell University and author, <i>Infinite Powers: How Calculus Reveals the Secrets of the Universe</i>			
Links for more info: https://www.amazon.com/Infinite-Powers-Calculus-Reveals-Universe-ebook/dp/B07FKF9DVJ			
Issues Covered: mathematics; education; civilization; history; technology; space exploration			
24:00	Culture Crash: THE NEW ALBUM BY JUDAH & THE LION		2:26
Synopsis: We discuss the new album <i>Pep Talks</i> from the band Judah & The Lion, most known for their 2016 single “Take It All Back”. The album features a funky, electronic vibe coupled with old-time folk and bluegrass instruments, offering a refreshing perspective in the alternative rock genre.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: music; media; pop culture; diversity			

Program	19-22	Written & Produced	Amirah Zaveri, Polly Hansen, Evan Rook
Air Week	06/02 – 06/08/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:47	SEGMENT 1: THE STORM ON OUR SHORES: A STORY OF WAR, LOSS & FORGIVENESS		8:32
Synopsis: Mark Obmascik shares the incredible story of two men fighting for opposing sides and tangled in the complexities of World War II. He exposes how our enemy isn't as different as we think, the lasting effects of war and the process of finding forgiveness and peace.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Mark Obmascik, author of <i>The Storm on Our Shores: One Island, Two Soldiers, and the Forgotten Battle of World War II</i>			
Links for more information: https://www.simonandschuster.com/books/The-Storm-on-Our-Shores/Mark-Obmascik/9781451678376			
Issues Covered: war; government; military; politics; history; literature; interpersonal relationships; preserving history; veterans			
12:21	SEGMENT 2: ONE MEAL AT A TIME: REVIVING THE AMERICAN SCHOOL LUNCH SYSTEM		10:54
Synopsis: School lunches in the U.S. have long been overlooked. Dan Giusti, the former head chef of Noma and founder of Brigaid, is gaining ground in his efforts to overhaul the school lunch system and bring scratch cooking back into cafeterias. We speak with Giusti about his journey from fine dining to lunch reform and some of the barriers facing Brigaid.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Dan Giusti, former head chef of Noma and founder of Brigaid			
Links for more info: https://www.chefsbrigaid.com/			
Issues Covered: food; education; nutrition; health & wellness; cooking; politics; diversity; parenting; American culture			
24:15	Culture Crash: TO BINGE OR NOT TO BINGE		2:12
Synopsis: Binge-watching several seasons of a TV show all at once might not be the best idea after all. For some lighter shows like “Stranger Things” it may make sense, but it can be cumbersome and brain draining to get through all eight seasons of “Game of Thrones” in a matter of weeks. We discuss an alternate route that avoids the fatigue.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: television; media; psychology; health & wellness; mental health; addiction; self-discipline			

Program	19-23	Written & Produced	Amirah Zaveri, Polly Hansen, Evan Rook
Air Week	06/09 – 06/15/2019	Studio Producer	Jason Dickey
Time	Segment		Dur.
1:48	SEGMENT 1: NOT YOUR GRANDMA’S CO-OP		10:22
Synopsis: How we buy our food has drastically changed throughout the decades. We discuss the evolution of the grocery marketplace from local grocers to big-box retailers and how this has affected the production chain. More so, how food co-ops operate and aim to help support local farmers and communities.			
Host: Gary Price. Guests: Jon Steinman, journalist and author, <i>Grocery Story: The Promise of Food Co-ops in the Age of Grocery Giants</i> ; Jerry Nash, owner of Prairie Food Co-op.			
Links for more information: https://www.newsociety.com/Books/G/Grocery-Story http://www.prairiefood.coop/			
Issues Covered: food; nutrition; agriculture; farming; business; economics; history; literature, poverty, community			
14:12	SEGMENT 2: THE ART OF ILLUSTRATION		8:52
Synopsis: We speak with Tim O’Brien who has illustrated numerous magazine covers throughout the years. O’Brien discusses his career, the history of illustration and how the art form is used to convey a specific, singular moment or feeling that other mediums may not be able to capture.			
Host: Marty Peterson. Guests: Tim O’Brien, Illustrator.			
Links for more info: https://obrienillustration.com/?gclid=EAIaIQobChMI3YqO98jG4gIVU7nACh05DATZEAAYASAAEgJ7RvD_BwE			
Issues Covered: art, literature, media, news, politics, history, fashion, culture, illustration			
24:04	Culture Crash: CHRONICLING THE NUCLEAR DISASTER AT CHERNOBYL		2:21
Synopsis: We discuss the new HBO miniseries, co-produced with Sky UK, titled “Chernobyl”. The show follows the chronological events of the 1986 nuclear disaster in the Soviet Union and captures the confusion and terror in the days, months and years following the accident.			
Host: Evan Rook			
Issues Covered: television; media; history; science; government; disaster; environment			