

Quarterly Issues/Programs List

WHRO TV – April 1 – June 30, 2014

Description of Issue	Program/Segment	Date Time Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
Art			
Arts/American Music	Women of Soul: In Performance at the White House	4/7/2014 9 pm 1 hr.	In this musical special, hosted by President and Mrs. Obama, in the East Room of the White House, we see performances by Tessanne Chin, Melissa Etheridge, Aretha Franklin, Ariana Grande, Pattie LaBelle, Janelle Monae, and Jill Scott will pay homage to the great “foremothers” of music, with songs expressing the struggles and the achievements of women in American music.
Arts/American Music	Independent Lens: Muscle Shoals	6/5/2014 8pm 2 hrs.	Located alongside the Tennessee River, Muscle Shoals, Alabama, is the unlikely breeding ground for some of America’s most creative and defiant music Under the spiritual influence of the “Singing River”, as Native American’s called it, the music of Muscle Shoals has helped create some of the most important and resonant songs of all time.
Arts/American Music	National Memorial Day Concert	5/25/2014 9pm 2 hrs.	Live from the West Lawn of the U.S. Capital – this 25 th Anniversary broadcast honors the service and sacrifice of our men and women in uniform, their families at home and all those who have given their lives for our country.
Arts/Dance	Great Performances: Matthew Bourne’s Sleeping Beauty	4/25/2014 9pm 2 hrs.	This highly theatrical production of Matthew Bourne’s Sleeping Beauty marks the choreographer’s return to the music of Tchaikovsky to complete his acclaimed reinterpretation of the composer’s trio of masterworks that began in 1992 with Nutcracker! And followed in 1995 with Swan Lake. This timeless fairy tale about a princess cursed to sleep for 100 years was adapted into a ballet by Marius Petipa in 1890.

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Economy			
Economy/ Unemployment	PBS NewsHour	4/4/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm/ 9:38 seg.	The Labor Department’s reported boost of 192,000 jobs in March marks a milestone in the economic recovery: all of the private sector jobs lost in the recession have been regained. Economics correspondent Paul Solman offers a closer analysis of the numbers and Hari Sreenivasan takes an in-depth look at the problem of long-term unemployment with Ofer Sharone of the MIT Sloan School of Management.
Economy/ Unemployment	PBS NewsHour	5/2/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm/.	The jobs report released today finds that employers added 288,000 jobs in April and the unemployment rate fell to 6.3 percent. However, the dip in unemployment was driven by a sharp decline — more than 800,000 — in the number of people who worked or searched for work last month. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports on the dwindling labor force.
Education			
Education/ K-12 education/ Higher Ed	PBS NewsHour	4/10/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm/ 8:15 seg	At Pathways in Technology Early College High School in Brooklyn, N.Y., students are expected to attend for six years, earning both a high school diploma and a two-year Associate’s degree. P-TECH and other schools based on the same model aim to give students from low-income families a head start on college with free, career-oriented coursework. Hari Sreenivasan tells the story.

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Education/ K-12 education/ Civil War/ Lincoln	The Address	4/15/2014 9 pm 1.5 hrs.	At the Greenwood school in Putney, VT, each student is encouraged to memorize, practice and recite the Gettysburg Address. In this documentary by Ken Burns the students, boys ages 11 – 17, all facing complex learning differences, unlock the history, context and importance of President Lincoln’s most powerful address.
Education/ K-12 education/ Improving graduation rates	PBS NewsHour	4/28/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm/ 5:42 seg	The graduation rates for American high schools have reached 80 percent, according to a report based on statistics from the Department of Education. Jeffrey Brown discusses the milestone and the work that lies ahead with John Bridgeland of Civic Enterprises, an author of the report.
Education/ Cost of Higher Ed	PBS NewsHour	6/9/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm/ 9:14 seg	The average person graduating from college in 2013 borrowed nearly \$30,000 in student debt. To help Americans overburdened by their loans, President Obama signed a new executive order that expands on a 2010 law that capped federal loan repayments at 10 percent of borrowers' monthly income. Gwen Ifill talks to Richard Vedder of Ohio University and Deanne Loonin of the National Consumer Law Center.
Environment			
Environment / Climate change	PBS NewsHour	4/15/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm/ 8:24 seg	The latest U.N. report on climate change suggests ways to potentially ward off the worst impacts of rising emissions. But these scenarios come with real costs, and have faced political opposition as well as reluctance from the American public. Judy Woodruff learns more from Robert Stavins of the Harvard Kennedy School of Government and Maura Cowley of the Energy Action Coalition

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Environment / Climate change	Tavis Smiley	4/18/2014 11 pm 30 mins. 10:34 seg	Interview/Discussion with Scientist Ken Caldeira: As we approach Earth Day 2014, one of the leading U.S. scientists on global warming weighs in on the climate change debate.
Environment/ Environmentalism	American Masters: A Fierce Green Fire	5/22/2014 9 pm 1 hr. pgrm	In big-picture exploration of the environmental movement we experience the battle for a living planet, spanning 50 years of grassroots and global activism. Robert Redford, Ashley Judd, Van Jones, Isabell Allende and Meryl Streep narrate.
Environment/ Extreme weather	PBS NewsHour	5/6/2014 6 pm 1 hr. pgrm 10:16 seg	In its most comprehensive report on climate change yet, the White House forecasts the likely, negative effects facing each of the eight regions in the U.S., from drought in the Southwest, to stronger storms in the Northeast. The administration is expected to cite the warnings when it lays out new regulations this summer. John Holdren, science advisor to the president, talks to Gwen Ifill.
Environment / Sea level rise	PBS NewsHour	5/12/2014 6 pm 1 hr.pgrm 6: 52 seg.	A study released by NASA and others offers the most definitive evidence that parts of the ice sheet in West Antarctica are melting and the damage is irreversible. The collapse will take more than a century, and the melting will lead to rising sea levels. Judy Woodruff talks to Thomas Wagner of NASA, one of the team's lead members, about the larger consequences of these projections .

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History			
History/ American/Civil Rights	Freedom Summer: American Experience	6/24/14 9 pm 2 hr.	During the summer of 1964, the nation's eyes were riveted on Mississippi. Over 10 memorable weeks known as Freedom Summer, more than 700 student volunteers joined organizers and local African Americans in a historic effort to shatter the foundations of white supremacy in the nation's most segregated state.
History/ Increase awareness of local & regional history	Here and Then	ongoing	Interstitial segments that highlight significant episodes in Hampton Roads history. Sixty spots in rotation. Approximately 6 – 8 aired each day.

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