

Director's Vision



Tony Quinones, DOP with Judith Silverthorne, Producer/Director and safari guide in Kaziranga National Park, India.

I am honoured to be the Director of this documentary series on bison and buffalo to showcase some of the world's most respected and revered mammals and their astonishing contributions to civilizations and the natural world over the eons. This speaks to my passion for imparting knowledge in an engaging way to excite audiences. By creating a fascinating journey that follows the trail of bison and buffalo around the world, I hope to generate intrigue and awareness about how these amazing key species are making phenomenal contributions to restoring and maintaining the eco-systems in numerous countries wherever they live on the planet.

The opportunity to explore the lives of the different species allows for being able to follow their origins from prehistoric time, their evolution, what transpired through the ages, how they criss-



Judith Silverthorne with Wisent in Leipzig Wildpark, Germany

crossed continents, and to discover where they live now. I'm inspired to share the story of how they were subjected to near extinction in many cases, are experiencing a resurgence, and becoming iconic symbols of knowledge and unity. I'm excited to share narratives of those who care for them, and of those who share affinity for them.

Of great importance is being able to communicate how significant these majestic animals are for Indigenous People around the globe historically and currently, and to share the potential they hold to bring people together to heal the planet. Above all, it's thrilling to create a remarkable story for audiences to understand, support, and enjoy the incredible bison and buffalo connections throughout the world.

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