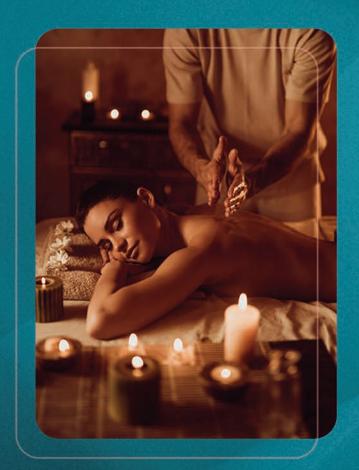




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#### Greetings!

It is truly a pleasure for us all to gather together and celebrate the winners for this year's American Advertising Awards. For the local and district winners — congratulations! To those awardees forwarded to the National American Advertising Awards — one of the oldest creative awards competitions in the world — we have the delightful opportunity to cheer you on at home as Pittsburgh hosts the national awards later this year.

This year has been eventful, to say the least. When I was in university, we had a convocation speaker who ended their remarks with the phrase:

"Welcome to the exhilarating uncertainty of now."

While we can debate if 'exhilarating' is the right word to describe our creative and commercial environment, the quote no doubt brings home that our industry continues to adapt to new practices, odd externalities, and unforeseen variables at a breaknecking pace.

No wonder we all need some rest and relaxation!

To the AAF Pittsburgh American Advertising Awards committee – kick back and relax, the show is here. Thank you for your efforts. To Tonic by Highmark Health, thank you for your dedication, creativity, and execution. To our sponsors – thank you! This awards show couldn't be done without your support.

On with the show!

Cheers!

Dwayne Waite Jr.

President, American Advertising Federation Pittsburgh April 24, 2025



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# JUDGES

#### Carlos Flores Espinoza, Creative Director



Carlos, a New York-based editor, colorist, and Creative Director originally from Lima, Peru. His portfolio boasts award-winning projects for esteemed clients such as Nike, Apple, Conde Nast, and

HBO. Carlos' music video work, featuring artists like Selena Gomez, Madonna, and Lizzo, has amassed over a billion online views and earned numerous Grammy, VMA and Emmy nominations. Since co-founding Forager Collective in 2019, Carlos has continued to excel, contributing to acclaimed productions like Taylor Swift's 2023 Eras Tour Film and the Oscar-winning short film "Windshield Wiper" in 2022.

#### Art Hardie Partner, CCO



Art began his career in communications in college while working in radio. That was the entry into advertising. Art then transitioned into working as a Writer and Account Coordinator

at Stephen J. Kaufman Public Relations, before he progressed to Creative Director at Ypartnership and MMGY Global – both then the largest travel and tourism agencies in the world. Art then worked with Push, and recently held a position with Maven Creative for 7 years as a Vice President, Associate Creative Director.

Art's client list varies from local businesses, to hypedup tech startups out of Austin, to household names like Disney, Hilton, Orlando Magic, Miller's Ale House, Kennedy Space Center, Yosemite National Park, Mount Gay Rum, Sears, IBM and more.

#### Hutson Kovanda, Creatve Director



Hutson is an award-winning creative director who brings experience working on both the agency and the client side. He started his career at JWT in Chicago working on all the brands he grew

up eating – and learning from some of the best minds in the business.

From JWT, his career trajectory has spanned both coastsincluding R&R Partners, Energy BBDO, Wyse, Agency Sacks and the Pavone Marketing Group. On the client side, Hutson has worked as a creative leader for T-Mobile Studios and McDonald's inhouse agency, Agency 123.

Currently Hutson is the creative director of iostudios in Nashville, an award-winning marketing solutions agency serving businesses, nonprofits and government agencies who drive positive change in the world.

#### Will Payovich Creative Director



As the Creative Director at Pathfinders Advertising, Will is the driving force behind impactful work for clients such as Fifth Third Bank, PayPal, Protective Insurance, and Bread Financial. He specializes in

deadline-driven direct response, social and digital content, TV scripting, and producing commercials and photoshoots. Will is also adept at defining brand archetypes and setting creative strategy.

Based in Chicago, Will holds a BA in Advertising/ Marketing Communications from Columbia College. You can find him on Instagram at https:// www.instagram.com/will\_payovich/

#### Michele Underwood, Creative Director



Michele is a creative leader with over 20 years of experience in art direction, design, and team management. She has worked with agencies like Cramer-Krasselt, Publicis, and J. Walter Thompson,

where she helped develop creative strategies and campaigns that have made a meaningful impact for clients. Michele loves collaborating with teams to bring ideas to life, ensuring every project aligns with goals, stays on budget, and delivers high-quality results. With a keen eye for detail and a strong sense of brand voice, she brings a thoughtful approach to every project. She's also passionate about mentoring young creatives, helping them grow in their careers, and preparing them for their next steps.

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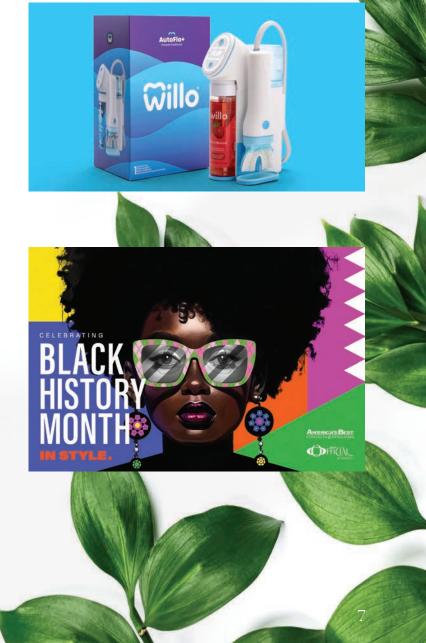
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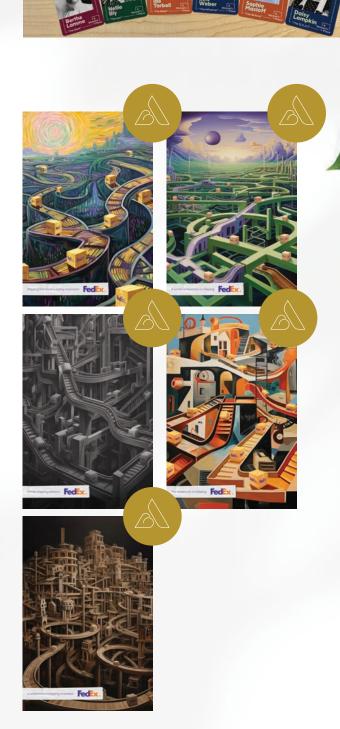
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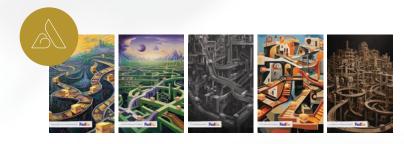












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# AlphaGraphics in the Cultural District

Knichel Logistics Conf Room Walls Knichel Logistics

Matt Miller, Senior Graphic Designer Danielle Maxwell, Project Manager









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VegFest 2024 Posters Justice for Animals Pittsburgh

**Doug Dean,** Creative Director, Designer

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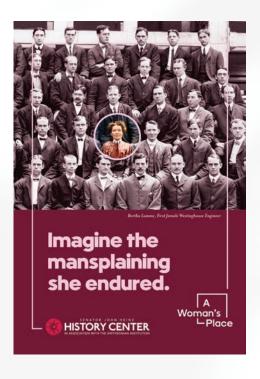
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The Mendelssohn Choir of Pittsburgh The Mendelssohn Choir of Pittsburgh

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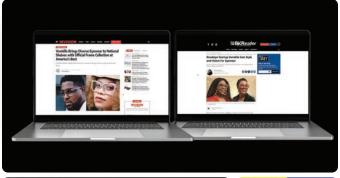
Dylan Devine, Lead Digital Designer Grace Lee, Lead UX Researcher/Designer

Anton Plauche-Capers, Senior Web Developer

#### Animal

#### Downward Dog Webisodes for Social Animal

Michael Killen, Director Kathy Dziubek, Executive Producer Beth Voltz, Editor Allan Stallard, Colorist Dan Ayer, Oyster Creative Co., Social Media Strategist







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#### Pets of Tarjay Target

Crispin, Agency
Michael Killen, Director
Kathy Dziubek, Executive Producer
Doug Helmick, Editor
John Pope, DP
Andy Witkowski, Post Producer
Allan Stallard, Colorist
Allan Stallard, Luke Ewing, Brooke
Doran, Andy Witkowski, VFX







# Canopy Studios / futurevoice

# Grilling Men futurevoice

Stef Dag, Host Madi Hart, Creative Director/Head Writer Grey Centaura, Executive Producer

Grey Centaura, Executive Producer
Bridget Taylor, Editor
Jesse Fish, Title Graphics
Jack Ohrman, DP
Amir Megherhi, Sound/Production
CJ Richter, Producer









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## For All The Pink Ribbons - Frances UPMC

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Ashley DeMoss, Manager
Craig Seder, Creative Director
Sandy Stewart, Writer
Untitled Content, Production Company
David Kelly, Photographer
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The Tale of the Cranky Canker Sore Blistex Inc.

Jackie Murray, Creative Director, Copywriter

Kristen Scialo, Creative Director, Art Director

Bryan Jameson, Producer
MAKE, Production Company
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Director

Emily DeShantz, Associate Director, Video Production Producer

#### **Bully Max**

Bully Max: Legends
Bully Max

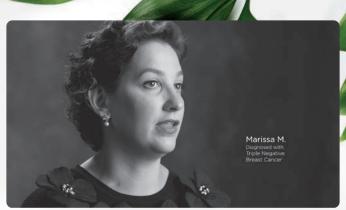
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#### **Bully Max**

Bully Max: Unwrap the Power Bully Max

Brian Marczewski, Director, Cinematographer, Editor







#### **Canopy Studios**

#### A (Real)ationship Built Community Shell Polymers

Cesar Garcia, Director
Frankie Delaney, Senior Content Producer
Josh Richardson, Writer
Justine Johnson, Account Director
Jed Darlington, DP
CJ Richter, Producer
Saro Melero Bonnin, First AD







(Real)ationships



#### **Tonic by Highmark Health**

#### Dear AHN AHN

Tim Cohrs, Creative Director
George Friedman, Director Content Development
Tyler Bergholz, Associate Creative Director,
Design

Emily DeAndrea, Art Director
Libby Waterbury, Lead Copywriter
Anastasia Farmerie, Producer
Tyler Rupert, Lead Video Production Specialist
Jason Mileto, Lead Video Editor
Jackie Bartlett, Lead Creative Integration Manager
Daniele Caruso, Senior Creative Integration
Manager

#### **Brunner**

#### Brush Healthy Brush Happy Willo

JW Affourtit, Creative Director
Jackie Murray, Creative Director
Caitlin Brunner, Senior Copywriter
Sinping Ku, Senior Art Director
Maria Mainelli-Ajmo, Junior Copywriter
Ryan Rust, Director, Editor
Dreamboat, Production Company
Matt Pollock, Director - Dreamboat
Untitled, Editorial & Post
Matt Haritan, Producer
Kellyn Wilhide, Account Manager
Dan Magdich, VP, Executive Creative Director

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Maris Laatre, Screenwriter

#### **Carlow University**

#### Walking Into The Chaos Of Others Carlow University

**John Cardone,** Vice President of Marketing and Communications at Carlow University

John Swisher, Executive Creative Director and Art Director (Storyhaus Agency)



#### **Untitled Content**

#### Futuro Vivo Futuro Vivo

J dax Parise, Executive Producer
Nathan Osche, Director/Cinematographer
Emily Swenglish, Editor/Colorist
Alex Abreu, Assistant Editor & Translator
Alejandro Ramirez, Content Producer &
Translator

Katie Mielo, Producer Jorge Polanco, Motion Graphics Designer Mariana Lopez, Motion Graphics Designer







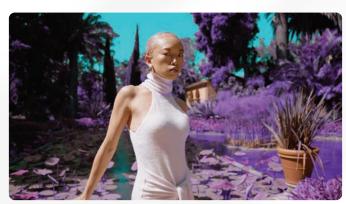
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# AHN Stop Searching Campaign AHN

Tim Cohrs, Creative Director George Friedman, Director Content Development

Tyler Bergholz, ACD, Design
Megan Flanagan, ACD, Copy
Emily DeAndrea, Art Director
Libby Waterbury, Lead Copywriter
Anastasia Farmerie, Producer
Ken Krapfl, Art Director
Jackie Bartlett, Creative Account Manager
Daniele Caruso, Senior Creative Integration Manager

Tom Cwenar, Photographer, Partner

#### **Red House Communications**

#### Erie 2024 Total Solar Eclipse VisitErie

Matt Blint, President/Director of Strategy

Jorge Puron, Creative Director Justin Clawson, Director of Creative Production

Braxton Schreyer, Art Director Sharon Walsh, Copywriter Kaylee Lewis, Creative Project Manager Dan Filipek, Account Director



#### GNC

## GNC Multivitamin Campaign GNC

Jamie Gray, Associate Creative Director Digital, Copy

TJ Ladner, Associate Creative Director, Print

Thomas Foglia, Designer

**Steve Benton, Video Animator and Editor** 

Erin Flagg, VP, Creative

Stacey Roa, Retoucher

Todd Shirley, Retoucher

Matt Tegtmeier, Sr Production Artist

Walker Orner, Production Artist

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Jaime Vesci, Project Manager





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Molly Mykich, Designer Kayla Plunkett, Copywriter Mark DiPietro, VP, Creative Director



Philips Ultrasound Philips

Ted Walzl, Creative Director
Tom Cwenar, Photographer | Director
Bob Martin, Producer
Mike Herbay, Assistant





Futuro Vivo: Future Life Futuro Vivo

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Alejandro Ramírez, Content Producer
and Translator

Jorge Polanco, Motion Graphics Designer Mariana Lopez, Motion Graphics Designer



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#### Dropbox Dropbox

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Alwyne Holder, Animator
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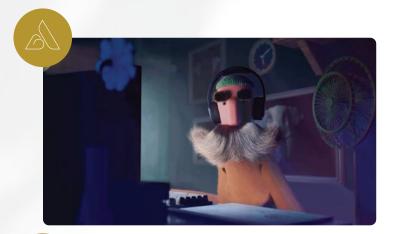




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#### Happy Moo Year! Animal

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#### **Untitled Content**

Aerie Back to School Campaign Aerie

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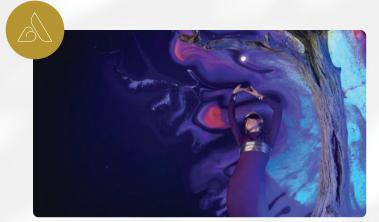
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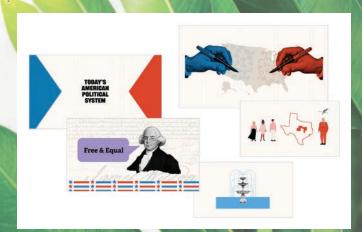
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## Wilson's Fountain Wilson's Fountain

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Darin DiNapoli, Director, Editor, Producer, Graphic FX
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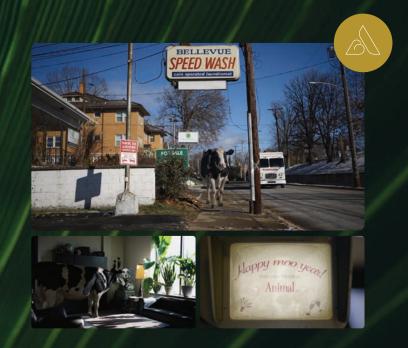


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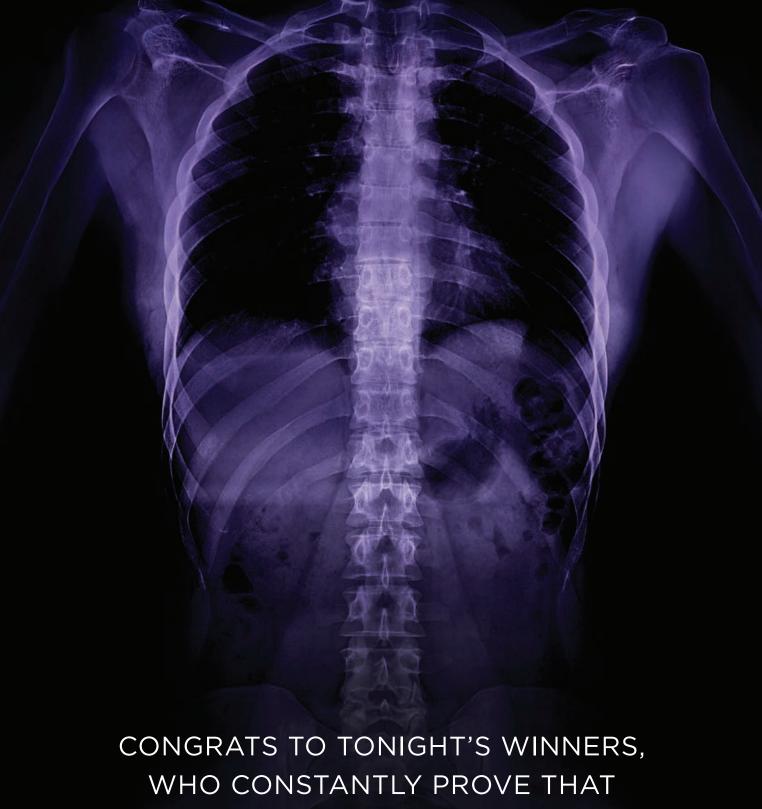
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