

# Impact Report

(As of May 2020)

Bias is available on AmazonPrime, iTunes, AppleTV, GooglePlay, Microsoft, Vudu.

#### **AWARDS**

Impact Film Award, Naples International Film Festival, October 2018

Audience Award, Spokane International Film Festival, March 2020

Best Documentary Feature, Spokane International Film Festival, March 2020

Award of Excellence Special Mention: Documentary Feature, IndieFEST, May 2018

Award of Excellence Special Mention: Documentary Feature, Accolade Global Film Competition 2018

Award of Excellence Special Mention: Documentary Feature, Impact DOCS Awards, July 2018

Changing the Narrative Award, Presented to Robin Hauser by How Women Lead, June 2018

Outstanding Achievement, IndieFEST Humanitarian Awards 2018

### FILM FESTIVALS

Bentonville Film Festival 2018 DOCUTAH Film Festival 2018 Downtown LA Film Fest 2019 Mill Valley Film Festival 2018 GlobeDocs Film Festival 2018

Santa Barbara Call to Action Festival 2018

United Nations Film Festival 2018 Naples International Film Festival 2018 Napa Valley Film Festival 2018

Silicon Valley International Film Festival 2018

**Boulder International Film Festival** 2019 **San Luis Obispo Film Festival**, 2019

Sedona Film Festival 2019 Spokane Film Festival 2020 Denton Black Film Festival 2019 Addis International Film Festival 2019

Prescott Film Festival 2019

Pakistan International Film Fest 2019 Transitions Film Festival, Melbourne 2020

### **NOTABLE SCREENINGS**

**Harvard Law School** Accenture Amazon **IBM Indiana University** AT&T Foundry Microsoft **Capital One Bank** Netflix Cognizant Concentrix ServiceNow Silicon Valley Bank **Dell Technologies Toyota Research Institute** Deloitte **Gilead Sciences** The Battery, San Francisco

Google United Airlines
Greater Madison Chamber of US Embassy, Abuja
Commerce US Embassy, London

US Embassy, Islamabad US Embassy, Kigali US Embassy, Moscow US Embassy, San Salvador US Embassy, Stockholm Wipro, India

Women's Leadership Board,

Harvard YouTube

## ROBIN HAUSER SPEAKING (On the subject of Unconscious Bias)

Al Sustainability Center, Stockholm 2019 AT&T Business Summit, Dallas 2018 Capital One Bank, Richmond, VA 2020 Culture First Conference, San Francisco 2019 Dell Technologies World, Las Vegas 2018 Grace Hopper Celebration, Houston 2018

**IBM THINK**, San Francisco 2020 **Klarna Headquarters**, Stockholm 2018 NASA, Kennedy Space Center 2019 Spotify Headquarters, Stockholm 2018

SXSW, Austin 2019

TED, San Francisco, December 2017

TEDx Marin 2019

Women Leaders Conference, Milwaukee 2019



## Selected Press and Reviews

Without finger-pointing, even in an era of political and social turmoil, this engrossing documentary explores implicit bias and its effects on all walks of life, including the workplace and law enforcement arenas. The film makes a strong case that although we are all wired in some way to have bias, we have the ability to do something to change it.

David Lewis, San Francisco Chronicle

Hands-down, [bias is] the most powerful and clear communication of the origins and impact of unconscious bias, and a thought-provoking look at opportunities to combat the bias that we all have. It's not going away, but we can embrace that reality and engineer around it if we all get creative. I left energized, inspired and eager to get in to action.

- James Phillips, Corporate Vice President, Microsoft

**Bias** documentary made real a concept we all know exists, and it did so in a thoughtful, brain-science way that was appropriately provocative at the same time. The conversations it elicited and measure of both self-awareness and self-disclosure were profound in many respects. This documentary is right for the time from the Boardroom to the classroom.

- Chris Edmonds-Waters, Chief HR Officer, Silicon Valley Bank

**Bias** film opened our eyes to the complexity and nuance of bias through relatable, real world examples; we came away with a heightened appreciation for risks and harm that can manifest from unmitigated bias. Bravo to Robin Hauser for tackling another critical topic!

- Julie Elberfeld, SVP, Shared Tech, Capital One Bank

**Bias** is a crucial, powerful exposé of ourselves. The film righteously demands our close attention to its topic. For those who comply with this opportunity to learn, it will catalyze shifts of thoughts, minds, and, especially, behaviors.

- **Don Schwartz**, Cinesource Magazine

The best part about the *bias* screening was watching its impact on the team members. So many parts of the film seemed surprising, yet rung true and helped people internalize some of their own biases. The screening provided me, as a leader, with a unique way to help people truly understand how bias impacts our interactions and work everyday. Having Robin do the fireside chat afterward made the experience that much more special. It allowed us to open up and ask questions, share experiences, and made it clear to the team that this was a serious topic for management.

- Kelly Kay, Executive VP & CFO, Toyota Research Institute

I actually am wildly intrigued by the hypothesis and approach to this subject. This trailer wonderfully sets up the notion of what we're here to watch, including creating a baseline that we all can understand. It's incredibly important material, so navigating the tightrope of offering a balanced look at this subject without getting pedantic is widely appealing.

Christopher Stipp, /FILM