

THE SKIN DEEP

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TOPAZ ADIZES

Topaz Adizes is an award winning Writer, Director & Storyteller. His films have been selected to Cannes ([BOY](#)), Sundance ([Trece Años](#), [Laredo Texas](#), [{THE AND} Marcela & Rock](#)), IDFA, SXSW, Cinéma Du Réel, and other festivals around the world. His interactive documentary [{THE AND}](#) won an [Emmy for New Approaches to Documentary 2015](#) as well as the [World Press Photo award for Best Interactive Documentary 2015](#). [{THE AND}](#) was also a viral sensation reaching #1 on Reddit and BuzzFeed and experienced by over 35 million users in over 144 countries, featured on the CBS Morning show and Good Morning America and selected to numerous international digital storytelling competitions.

Topaz's work has exhibited at the Centre Pompidou in Paris, the Natural History Museum and United Nations Headquarters in New York, as well as featured in the NY Times and The New Yorker. He has also directed commercial work for clients including Netflix, Deloitte, Vogue, and WalkFree and television for National Geographic, Animal Planet, and TV Azteca. Topaz has also had the valuable experience learning under the tutelage of Ridley Scott, Steven Spielberg, and PT Anderson.

The last two years, Topaz's primary focus has been as the Founder and Creative Director of [The Skin Deep](#) - a platform agnostic publishing collective focused entirely on human connection in the digital age. [{THE AND}](#) is the first experience created by The Skin Deep. [Senior Orientation](#), their second experience was a pure digital

series and distributed by Vanity Fair. Our upcoming interactive experiences for 2016 include THE DIG and HONEST X, both done in collaboration with [Murmur](#).

Topaz graduated in 1999 with a bachelors degree in Philosophy from UC Berkeley and Oxford University in the UK. He has worked around the world ranging from Mexico, Sweden, Zambia, Japan, Vietnam, Albania, Cuba, and speaks four languages - English, Hebrew, Spanish and Swedish.

