

A Cry for Madiom

ongoing Genocide in the Sudan
a feature documentary (63')
by Erez T Yanuv Barzilay



Director's Biography

Director/Producer/Writer Erez T Yanuv Barzilay is a Canadian, United States and Israeli trained former television journalist. Erez' 20 years work has combined management of marketing and promotional campaigns, television production and programming, not-for-profit humanitarian projects and international journalism.

During his unique journalism career Erez became the voice of the oppressed and misfortunate in many regions and societies worldwide. Passionate with revealing injustice Erez prompted affirmative actions from concerned individuals, relief organizations and government agencies, aimed at capacity building, long-term developmental aid projects.

His determination and natural story-teller talent enabled Erez to initiate his own journeys to many remote and isolated areas, bringing out the stories of individual anguish and incredible human strength and resolve.

Always seeking life saving and life improving solutions, Erez has constantly challenged governments and decision makers with the reality of their actions.

As a result of his extensive international travel and on-location work, Erez is accustomed to leading team work in detail-based and deadline-oriented environments, as well as managing and enhancing projects using limited budgets.

Career highlights:

- Helped to create the *News Company* for the first-ever Israeli commercial television station, *Channel 2*.
- Served *Channel 2 News* for seven years in key project management, editorial, production and programming roles in what has quickly become Israel's most watched television channel.
- Founded *Aid Without Borders (AWB)*, a first-of-its-kind Jerusalem-based voluntary humanitarian organisation and for six years directed its management and field operations.
- Created a wide range of television feature reports, documentary films, training and promotional digital videos, all the while improving his new media, management and marketing skills.

Erez resides in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. He is a member of DOC - Documentary Organization of Canada (since 2003) and the National Geographic Society (since 1987).

For more in-depth look at both Erez' non-profit and commercial work, you are most invited to visit the following websites:

www.ShaiLahProductions.com

www.eyeTravel.org

www.IsraAid.org.il