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**BRIAN VOLK-WEISS**

**Executive Producer, CEO and Founder of The Nacelle Company**



The Nacelle Company founder and CEO Brian Volk-Weiss has guided Nacelle from an emerging comedy production and distribution house to a diversified American media company, leading the charge in the pop culture, documentary and distribution space. Established in 2017, Nacelle has produced and distributed scripted and unscripted content and established podcast, development, distribution, record, publishing, marketing and management divisions.

Volk-Weiss has created, directed and produced hits such as Netflix’s docu-series “Down To Earth with Zac Efron,” “The Movies That Made Us,” “The Toys That Made Us” and “Kevin Hart’s Guide To Black History,” as well as **BEHIND THE ATTRACTION** for Disney+, “A Toy Store Near You,” CW’s “Discontinued,” “All The Way Black” for BET+ and History’s “Center Seat: 55 Years of Star Trek.”

Growing up in New York City, Volk-Weiss didn’t wait to begin following his dreams. At three years old, he was inspired by “Star Wars.” He spent high school making short films before eventually attending the University of Iowa. Three days post-graduation, he relocated to Los Angeles, where countless PA gigs (including one in the wardrobe department for “Castaway”) and unpaid internships paved the way to a job as a manager’s assistant.

Through his years managing, producing, directing and writing in the entertainment industry, Volk-Weiss has negotiated deals with Netflix, Amazon, Disney+, HBO, Discovery, BET+, A&E Networks, Hulu, Viacom, History and many more. He’s grown Nacelle’s comedy house, Comedy Dynamics, into the nation’s largest independent producer and distributor of stand-up comedy. Volk-Weiss’ vision involves showcasing groundbreaking stories and pop culture history through Nacelle’s signature documentary filmmaking style and unique approach to storytelling

“Wherever we need to be tomorrow, we go there today,” he says. “We don’t wait for culture to catch up. We try to stay a few steps ahead.”

Along the way, Volk-Weiss and The Nacelle Company have been featured by Forbes, The Hollywood Reporter, Deadline, Rolling Stone, AV Club, The New York Times, Newsweek, Bloomberg, Polygon and Gizmodo, while Daily Variety named him in its Impact Report on “Tube Titans.”



Today, he oversees a staff of over 100, while the company's Burbank headquarters boasts everything from a camera house and podcast studio to a full post-production line. He resides in Los Angeles with his wife and three children.