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Television Program Provides National Platform for Community- and University-based Producers

Traveltelevision.org (TTV), a community television series, launched its third season of television programming with an initiative to become more interactive and to reach a national audience. The TTV project, dedicated to telling the stories of volunteers, will partner with local and college based community TV stations and non-government organizations (NGOs) to bring accounts of volunteers to audiences across the United States. This new reach and focus will provide opportunities for local volunteers to gain national recognition, and for community-, university-, and faith-based groups to recruit for additional volunteers from a national pool.

According to executive producer, Steve Friedman, "We are reaching out to television producers at every level and hope they will share the stories of their volunteers. The TTV platform will help the organizations and their volunteers get the acknowledgement they deserve. TTV's basic objective remains the same: to recruit and sustain a pool of volunteers, and to provide a platform for these volunteers to document and share their experiences."

Video segments from one to four minutes can be linked from the www.DoBoth.net site and selected to be included in future episodes.

Traveltelevision.org is a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization that offers a variety of social media links to encourage volunteers to share their stories, videos, photographs, and more at www.DoBoth.net. Founded in 2006, its primary focus has been telling the stories of volunteers from across the globe who have traveled to the Gulf Coast region of the United States to offer their time and service in the aftermath of Hurricanes Rita and Katrina.