## **Filmography**

### Kevin Leeser, Director

Kevin Leeser has been involved with film and video production for over 15 years. Most recently he has left his adjunct teaching position of 3 years at Columbia College in Chicago to return to his native Michigan. He will now be dedicating all of his efforts into 3 Alarm Carnival Productions, his own film & video operation.

## **Documentary-**

Lily's Detroit: 2004 Director Producer, DP, Editor

A 30 minute conversation with the Actress/Comedian Lily Tomlin, as she remembers growing up in Detroit, and the influence it had on her Career, WINNER of the 2004 Detroit Docs Inernational Film Fest, Viewers Choice for Short length Documentary.

#### Tales of the Storm 2006 25 Minutes

Filmed over 9 months while volunteering in the Gulf Coast areas hardest hit by Hurricane Katrina. Featured several survivors and non-governmental relief efforts.

Segments aired nationally on **Current TV**, and still used by several relief agencies.

<u>PARK: A rock movie</u> 2003 Director, Producer, Videographer, Editor The story of "Park: a rock band" from Detroit as they set out on their first cross country tour. Featured in 2004 Detroit Docs Festival. & Planet Ant Film Fest

Renaissance Men: The Story of the Hanlon Lees Action Theater 1999-Today For over 20 years this stunt company has traveled the country performing their three-act joust to huge Renaissance Festival crowds. I have been following them for 6 Years with my camera, recently debuted at AFM 2006.

**Focus Up! Mosaic In Europe** 2001 Co-producer, Editor, Shooter (U.S.) A 30 minute look into Detroit's incredibly talented Mosaic Youth Theater as they perform at two festivals in Europe. Winner of several Tellys, Philo's, Hometown Video awards, Screened at East Lansing Film Festival.

<u>The Bulls Of Suburbia</u>: 2004 Producer, Editor, Director Of Photography *Taproot Productions*: Shot on MiniDV, 16mm, DVCam, & 35mm. An expose of amateur bullfighting in the US: a shoot that took us from Chicago, to San Diego, Central Mexico, and ultimately Spain. More info at www.taprootproductions.com

**Detroit: The Documentary**: 1999-Today Exec Producer & Director. A long-term engagement that so far has yielded interviews with Lily Tomlin, Former Mayor Dennis Archer, Mad TV's Keegan Michael Key, New Model Army founder Justin Sullivan and more. <a href="https://www.detroitdocumentary.com">www.detroitdocumentary.com</a>

### **Music Videos**

My Little Birdie 2004 By Detroits The Nice Device Winner- Flint International Film Festival "Best Music Video"

Island 2005 by Bradford UK's New Model Army

# Narrative/Drama/Comedy Features

Garage A Rock Saga: 2001 Co-director, D.P. Co Editor Mini-DV
Comedy feature Featuring George Wendt, and several other Second City
Alumni. This is the fictional counterpart to Park: A Rock Movie.
Casting Judgment 1998 Director of Photography, Editor. 16mm Drama

Taproot Productions Chicago

Get the Hell Out of Hamtown
1996 D.P. 16mm drama,
Featuring Larry Joe Campbell who now plays Andy on the ABC sitcom

According to Jim. Keegan Michael Key also made his film debut here, and now he's a regular on Fox's Mad TV