

Greg I. Hamilton

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30 years deep as a filmmaker, author, and speaker, Greg delights in challenging himself and others. A cultural anthropologist, he captures and shares stories broadly to better the world and its people.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Yampa Valley Community Foundation**, Steamboat Springs, CO - Director of Grantmaking 2022-present
- Manages seven competitive grant cycles with over 20 applicants, 150 active awardees, and 75 reviewers
 - Provides capacity building support, trainings, and one-on-one consulting to over 100 nonprofits
- G.I. Hamilton, Inc. and All Get Out Productions, LLC** - Filmmaker, Author, Speaker 2005-present
- Produced *Power of the River: Expedition to the Heart of Water in Bhutan*, PowerOfTheRivermovie.com
 - Conceived and directed 'ticket outreach' for *Chasing Ice*: 1,110 screenings in 78 theaters (41,000 people)
 - Wrote and directed *The Movement*, Sundance Grand Jury Award nominee, selected for 20 film festivals, won 5 awards
 - Co-authored a published book, wrote 3 short films (all produced), and published 33 magazine articles
- Synergy Group** - National Film Tour Director 2005-2011
- Directed strategy and operations for 212-city U.S. tour of NASCAR documentary *DALE*
 - Directed U.S. tour strategy and operations for Don Hertzfeldt and Mike Judge's *The Animation Show 3*
- Warren Miller Entertainment** - Manager of Global Distribution, Tour Operations 1995-2005
- Managed operations of a 2-month, 70-city annual tour: 180 events, 300,000 attendance, 4 concurrent crews
 - Oversaw multimillion dollar sponsor roster: Nissan, PBS, Sony, Jeep, AT&T, Visa, Janus, and hundreds more
- Colorado College Writing Center** - Writing Tutor 1990-1994
- Tutored peers for four years and was a presenter and moderator at the 1993 National Conference on Tutoring

AWARDS AND HONORS (HIGHLIGHTS)

- Sundance Film Festival - Grand Jury Award Nominee** for *Power of the River* 2012
- Colorado Creative Industries and National Endowment for the Arts - Career Advancement Award** 2018
- DocuWest International Film Festival - Best Feature (Colorado Filmmakers)** for *Power of the River* 2016
- Maverick Movie Awards - Best Soundtrack**; 10 other nominations incl. **Best Picture and Director** 2012-2016
- Pare Lorentz Documentary Film Fund - Peer Reviewer** 2015
- Breckenridge Festival of Film - Best Documentary and Best Editing** for *The Movement* 2012
- The Telly Awards - Silver Award** for screenplay "Warren Miller's *Dynasty: 60 Years in the Making*" 2010

VOLUNTEERISM AND MEMBERSHIPS

- Colorado College Mentoring Program** - Mentor 2026-present
- Connects with students to advise, influence, and support their academic and career journey
- Mountaintown Film Collective: Storytelling, Elevated** - Co-founder 2018-present
- Launched and administers a collaborative community of visual storytellers in the Yampa Valley and beyond
- Past: **Friends of the Yampa** board member and Marketing and Communication Committee Chair; **Steamboat Chamber** Marketing Committee/Special Event Funding Subcommittee member, **International Documentary Association** member, **The D-Word** (worldwide community of documentary professionals) member

EDUCATION

- University of Colorado-Denver Business School** - Earned Master's of Science in Marketing 2024
Specialization: Marketing Intelligence and Strategy in the Twenty-First Century, Beta Gamma Sigma International Business Honor Society, G.P.A. 4.00/4.00
- The Colorado College**, Colorado Springs, CO - Graduated *magna cum laude* with Distinction in Anthropology 1994
Bachelor of Arts, anthropology major, East Asian studies minor. Member of Phi Beta Kappa, Pi Gamma Mu (International Honor Society in Social Science), and Dean's List. G.P.A. 3.83/4.00
- South Eugene High School**, Eugene, OR - Graduated with Honors Diploma 1990
Oregon Scholar, graduation speaker, National Merit Scholarship Commended, National Honor Society, Advanced Placement (1 year of college credit), junior and senior class senator, ski team president, crew co-captain, G.P.A. 3.93/4.00

SKILLS & INTERESTS: Computer proficient (Mac and PC, Adobe Suite, Office, Google apps, WordPress, much more), worldwide travel (16 countries on 4 continents; visited 36 states and managed projects in all 50), watching great films, enthusiastic consumption of live music, cooking, brewing beer and honey mead, skiing and snowboarding, mountain biking, ambitious home improvement projects, creative writing, public speaking, and spirited conversation.

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