Betsy Foldes Meiman

* sounds like "Fold this, my man!"



EXECUTIVE PRODUCER NARRATOR VOICE ACTOR DIRECTOR HOST

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Voice over

30 years Professional Voice Over artist/narrator SAG/AFTRA Agency: CESD

- <u>5 star narrator (link)</u>, on audible
- Weekly Narrator Curio-UK
- First Contract Female
 Announcer of ABC News This
 Week be
- Library of Congress with Film Forum
- Aftra Board 2003-4
- Announcer and Narrator.
 Contracts have included
 Discovery, Animal Planet,
 Lifetime, E!, PBS, Sony,
 ABC news, WNBA, Lifetime
 HBO, Independent films
- Voice Work for Nickelodeon, SNL, Conan, Searchlight, and many video games
- 20 years NY theatre/improv/writing/indie film
- American Musical and Dramatics Arts Academy NY class of 1987

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for work samples

Connectopod

2017-Present- CoFounder Connectopod Learning 501c3

 podcast director/producer, web design, project development

LAPL (link)

- LAPL approved performer
- Canoga Park Branch:
 - What's Cooking 4 part series
 - LAUSD / Canoga Park HS
 The Tell Tale Heart
 - The Domestic Violence Awareness Project 3 part w/Teens Leading Change, CSUN Strength United, Tarzana/Encino branch
 - -Sound it out! series 7 part
- Pacoima Rising 4 part

<u>Changing the Narrative</u> (CTN)-Youth create new narratives of marginalized communities

- <u>CTN 1</u> (link)-Inglewood with The Social Justice Learning Institute
- CTN 2 (link)-Pacoima with LAUSD Vaughn Next Century
- <u>CTN 3</u>-(link)Unhoused Youth with The Village Family Services drop in Center
- CTN 4 (link)- Aguantate! with The International Rescue Comm. & Program for Torture Victims
- CTN 5 in progress with New Directions for Youth, North Hollywood

Awards

Connectopod:

- 2023 Community Grant from Council Member Paul Krekorian, CD2 for CTN 5 mural
- 2022-23 California Arts Council Cultural Pathways
- 2019 California Arts Council Public Media Arts grant
- 2019,20,21,22,23 Tiger Baron development grant
- 2019 NBC 4/Telemundo Project Innovation Grant (with The Village Family Services)
- 2019 Max Factor Family Foundation equipment grant (with TVFS)
- 2020 UCLA/Janssen Cancer center covid relief operating
- 2019, 2021 Friends of the Library creative project development grant
- 2018, California Arts Council
 Public Media arts grant with SJLI
- Commendation from US
 Congressman Tony Cardenas for
 Changing the Narrative Pacoima

Other:

- MEND Volunteer of the Year 2012
- 2009 California Interfaith Power and Light Award - Solar Outreach Project
- Audiophile Earphones Award
 2018 for nonfiction narration 2018