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JOEY TRAVOLTA’S INCLUSION FILMS, FUTURES EXPLORED, INC. AND E&CO LAUNCH SUBSCRIPTION-BASED ENTERTAINMENT CHANNEL
First of its Kind Online Channel Will Feature Content from Talented Filmmakers with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

Livermore, Calif. (June 11, 2018) – Joey Travolta’s Inclusion Films and two non-profit organizations that support adults with developmental disabilities, Futures Explored, Inc., and E&CO, today announced the launch of a subscription-based channel featuring digital content produced by adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The first-of-its-kind channel will present short films, documentaries, news stories, original series, special features and behind-the-scenes footage. (See official promo video here: https://youtu.be/Ec4tchcmwMU.)

“We are incredibly proud to introduce this groundbreaking platform that provides a global stage for individuals with disabilities to show off their filmmaking talents while delivering interesting and entertaining content to viewers,” said Joey Travolta, actor, director and founder of Inclusion Films. “We hope people will subscribe to Inclusion Networks and see for themselves how impressive and unique the content is. By building a broad subscriber base, we’ll be promoting the arts and simultaneously monetizing employment opportunities for people with disabilities.”

In California, a staggering 85% to 92% of adults with autism and intellectual disabilities of working age are unemployed, and nationally there are twice as many unemployed adults with disabilities than that of adults with no disabilities. Travolta has made it his life’s work to open new doors for these individuals. He launched his popular Short Film Camps over a decade ago, and has spent the past several years opening vocational film and media workshops for adult students to learn all aspects of filmmaking. Building on the success of the camps and workshops, Travolta and Futures Explored, Inc. created their own full-service production company that employs adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

“It has been our mission for over 50 years to help cultivate employment and community opportunities for adults with developmental disabilities,” said Will Sanford, Executive Director, Futures Explored, Inc. “What we’ve seen time and time again is that when you provide them basic opportunity, their potential is limitless. Collaborating with Travolta’s film camps, workshops and now Inclusion Networks, has been really inspiring. We’re creating a new realm of possibilities for these truly talented individuals who all too often remain on the outside looking in.”

Inclusion Networks subscribers will enjoy updated content every two weeks with a monthly subscription cost of just $5.99. Inclusion Networks uses Vimeo as its online video-sharing platform. For more information and to subscribe, visit: https://inclusionnetworks.vhx.tv/.

In addition to launching Inclusion Networks, Travolta is ramping up for his summer program, which teaches teens and young adults with high-functioning autism and Asperger’s Syndrome the foundational principles of filmmaking. Travolta collaborates with non-profit partners throughout the country to organize each two-week session where campers work together in small groups to develop a script, act, and shoot their film with professional support and equipment. The camps encourage
communication, confidence, and collaboration through acting and digital filmmaking. Following are upcoming Joey Travolta Short Film Camp dates and locations:

- **JUNE 11-22, 2018**  
  **STOCKTON, CA**  
  In partnership with the Lodi Unified School District and Department of Rehabilitation

- **JUNE 25-JULY 6, 2018**  
  **MORAGA, CA**  
  In partnership with Futures Explored, Inc.

- **JULY 9-JULY 20, 2018**  
  **TENAFLY, NJ**  
  In partnership with MarbleJam Kids

- **JULY 23-AUGUST 3, 2018**  
  **PITTSBURGH, PA**  
  In partnership with Arts for Autism Foundation of Pittsburgh

ABOUT INCLUSION FILMS
Founded in 2007 by veteran filmmaker, Joey Travolta, Inclusion Films teaches filmmaking to individuals with developmental disabilities in dedicated production studios throughout California. In addition to vocational workshops, Travolta and his team travel the country running short film camps for children and teens with autism. For more, visit: www.inclusionfilms.com.

ABOUT FUTURES EXPLORED, INC. and FUTURES FILMS
Founded more than 50 years ago in Lafayette, CA, Futures Explored, Inc. is a non-profit (501)(c)(3) organization that provides community and employment training services to adults with developmental disabilities. Futures Explored and Inclusion Films are partners in running the Bay Area-based film camps and vocational workshops. For more information, visit http://www.futuresexplored.org/

Built on the success of the film camps and workshops, Futures Films is a full-service film and video production company that specializes in producing professional video and film content, including PSAs, promotional videos, documentaries, and many other services. Headquartered in Livermore, CA, Futures Films is equipped with the latest editing suites and a Black Magic camera package. The site also features a state-of-the-art 1,200 square foot sound stage. For more information, visit www.futuresfilms.org.

ABOUT E&CO
E&CO is a non-profit organization that has over 32 years of experience providing high-quality service to adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Through its successful programs and services in Northern and Southern California, the organization creates opportunities for these individuals to lead full and independent lives free of stigmas or limitations. E&CO and Inclusion Films are partners in running Film & Media Workshops in San Bernardino and San Diego. For more information, visit http://optionsforall.org/.

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