

***The Maury Island Incident*** will be introduced by Steve Edmiston. A Question and Answer session will follow the film.



Director Scott Schaefer (3 time national Emmy Award writer for Bill Nye the Science Guy....also was a writer for KING TV Almost Live) and screenwriter Steve Edmiston (Crimes of the Past, The Periphery Project, Vol. 1, A relative Thing, The Day My Parents Became cool) will screen their multiple award-winning film, *The Maury Island Incident*, and provide a live special

presentation, "*J. Edgar Hoover's Flying Discs: Why the Maury Island Incident is the seminal event in modern popular culture relating to UFO's, conspiracies, and cover-ups.*"



The filmmakers will take questions and discuss their upcoming projects, including the follow-up to *Maury Island*.

*The Maury Island Incident* tells the forgotten, tragic story - taken directly from declassified FBI documents - of Harold Dahl's June 21, 1947 sighting near Maury Island (off shore Tacoma), and explores the origins of the iconic

Men in Black within a conspiratorial mythology set during the "summer of saucers" in 1947, all leading directly to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover.

The film's honors/awards include: 2015 UFO Congress Best Short Film; Big Island Film Festival Best opening Night Gala, Washington Film Works Innovative Lab Competitive Grant; Gig Harbor Film Festival Best Short; Seattle Int'l Film Festival World Premiere. The film was adapted into a web series distributed on Hulu and IndieFlix.





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