New bio

Michael is a senior videographer and editor at “Oregon Field Guide.” Since graduating in science journalism and an outdoor guiding program, he’s worked in science communication for 15 years, working previously at NOAA/Oregon Sea Grant. He’s been awarded 9 regional Emmy awards, America association for the advancement of science awards as well as others and worked on several national shows including NOVA PBS. He’s also worked as an outdoor guide and been trained in Scientific Diving, Rescue Diving, Ice Diving, Wilderness First Responder, Swift Water rescue, Avalanche Safety, Mountaineering and others. He’s passionate about filming underwater and has logged hundreds of dives for Oregon Field Guide. He’s equally passionate about hanging off rock walls or generally any place where the conditions are uncomfortable.

Nova

NOAA—Sea Grant

Worked as an outdoor guide

SPJ awards

Ice diving

Spirit lake

American association for the advancement of science

Swift water

Crater lake

Training for scientific divers

High angle

Jule Gilfillan is an Emmy-winning producer for OPB's documentary shows, Oregon Art Beat and Oregon Field Guide.

Prior to joining OPB in 2010, Jule spent several years working in Los Angeles as an independent director, producer and writer, making television programs for NBC, MSNBC, HBO, Sundance, MTV, Planet Green, Discovery and others. She also wrote and directed several China-based films that showed at film festivals in New York, Telluride and Venice.

After earning her degree in Asian Studies from California State University and living in China for six years, Jule received her masters of fine arts in cinema and television production from University of Southern California School of Cinematic Arts.

An Oregon native and an enthusiastic music lover, hiker and camper, Jule loves to explore the state's arts, culture and outdoors.