**iNDIEFLIX Presents *NEVERTHELESS*, digging into all aspects of**

**Workplace Sexual Harassment**

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Appropriate and essential viewing for high school, college and further education students, and particularly employers and employees, [*Nevertheless*](https://vimeo.com/434451080/a98b715250) examines many of the issues at play with the challenging but pervasive issue of sexual harassment. This issue has been frequently in the headlines with high profile cases over the past 3 years, and #MeToo and Time’s Up have been important rallying forces. But what’s going on beneath these headlines? Is anything really changing? And what do we all need to do, now, to ensure a safer, more equitable future for our children and grandchildren?

Taking a look behind these headlines, [*Nevertheless*](https://vimeo.com/434451080/a98b715250) follows the intimate stories of seven individuals who have experienced and overcome sexual harassment in the workplace or at school. From a writer's assistant on a top TV show, to a tech CEO, to a 911 dispatcher, the film’s subjects spotlight the stories of survivors who are shifting our culture. Workplace sexual harassment is not a ‘women’s issue’ - it is something that is born out of our collective culture and it affects everyone. We all need to be involved in its solution, and this film is a powerful way to start the conversation.

In 50 minutes,[*Nevertheless*](https://vimeo.com/434451080/a98b715250) engages its audience through personal stories, educates via an impressive and diverse team of experts, provides the space for individual reflection, and empowers people to see a better path, as well as how important their individual contribution is.

***Why is this important for high-school students?*** The sooner we can give people the tools to recognize and talk about issues of gender stereotyping, sexism and unconscious bias, the more freedom we give them to stand up for themselves and understand and support each other, so we can shift the cycle of harassment and its damaging repercussions.

***Why is this important for college and further education students?*** Sexual violence against women on campus is 3 x higher than the average (26%), and far more common against men (6%) than at any other time in their lives, ([source: Rainn](https://www.rainn.org/statistics/campus-sexual-violence)). This can only be reduced through education and accountability, and *Nevertheless* is a powerful tool to use at the beginning of college careers to help students really understand the implications of their actions. For those about to graduate, *Nevertheless* is an important reminder of how necessary change is, and their part in driving it.

***Why is this important to companies?*** [54% of women  say they have been harassed in the workplace](https://www.inc.com/magazine/201804/minda-zetlin/sexual-harassment-workplace-policy-metoo.html). [80% of women harassed leave the company within two years](https://gendersociety.wordpress.com/2017/06/07/the-cost-of-sexual-harassment/). The economic impact of harassment extends into the billions every year. It can be a challenging topic to address at work, and workplace harassment training is not always taken seriously. *Nevertheless* weaves people into personal, painful, very everyday stories, causing a level of engagement, empathy and reflection that few programs can generate. It does this in a supportive way, so people don’t feel ‘called out’.

“It’s important to be uncomfortable at times in order to do this work well,” said Director Sarah Moshman. “Collectively, these are the stories that are so unbelievably important to tell in order for change to happen and I am so grateful for all of these people being willing to share their pain and triumphs with us, and inspired by their bravery and courage. There is a hunger for this content and this discussion world-wide and I believe that there can be no shortage of dialogue surrounding this, and I sincerely hope Nevertheless adds to that landscape.”

“*Nevertheless* is a powerful, informative and extremely hopeful documentary. Sarah inspires us all to push outside of our comfort zone to make change,” said iNDIEFLIX CEO Scilla Andreen, who is also an Executive Producer of the film. “I love working with Sarah and look forward to making a global impact with this film. *Nevertheless* we persist!”

Major themes in the film include sexual harassment, gender-based violence, privilege, intersectionality, toxic masculinity, socialization of children, the legal system, the transgender experience, and much more. The film includes seven intimate portraits of women who have faced and overcome sexual harassment.

As with all of our films, Nevertheless is part of an education-based program that combines a virtual community screening, facilitated post-screening discussion with questions and a host of follow-on resources. We believe passionately that the film works best when seen and discussed in a group, and we deliver this in a streamlined, easy-to-execute way to best meet the needs of each community.

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