WSD Productions & Native Driven Network Presents

“7th Generation” A documentary film...

“7th Generation” covers generations of history, including the perspectives of Jim Warne (Oglala Lakota) an advocate and educator. His story of the 7th Generation touches many levels of history and the unknown experiences of past generations. This documentary film addresses historical and current perspectives from Lakota elders and community members with a focus on a positive future for all of our youth - the 7th Generation...

• Wounded Knee
• Black Elk
• Indian Policies
• Boarding Schools
• Mt. Rushmore
• Crazy Horse
• 7th Generation
Award Winning “7th Generation”, A Documentary Film

- San Diego State University, American Language Institute, California, Jan 19, 2016 & Feb 6, 2018
- Cinema on the Bayou Film Festival, Lafayette, Louisiana January 24, 2016 - INSPIRATION AWARD!
- Northeastern State University, Liberal Arts Department, Tahlequah, Oklahoma March 24, 2016
- Arizona State University American Indian Studies, Memorial Union, Tempe, AZ March 30, 2016
- Los Angeles Cinema Festival of Hollywood, CA April 8, 2016 BEST DOCUMENTARY FEATURE!
- University of South Dakota Sanford School of Medicine Symposium Sioux Falls, SD April 18, 2016
- The IndieFest Film Awards, LaJolla, California May 25, 2016 - AWARD OF EXCELLENCE!
- Shoshone Bannock Summer Youth Program Career Conference, Pocatello, Idaho July 11, 2016
- NatiVisions Film Festival Colorado River Indian Tribes Parker, Arizona September 23, 2016
- The IndieFest Film Awards, LaJolla, CA February 8, 2017 - HUMANITARIAN AWARD OF DISTINCTION!
- Lakota Film Festival Official Selection, Martin, South Dakota September 16, 2017
- Hollywood International Moving Pictures Film Festival Best Documentary Feature! September 2017
- Los Angeles Film & Script Festival Best Documentary Feature! Hollywood, CA November 4, 2017
- California Film Awards, GRAND JURY AWARD! Coronado, CA January 5, 2018
- Flathed Lake International Cinemafest, Best Indigenous Film! Polson, Montana January 27, 2018
- Black Hills Film Festival, Official Selection, Hill City, South Dakota April 28, 2018
- The People’s Film Festival, Best Documentary! Harlem, New York City May 31 - June 3, 2018
- Oniros Film Awards, Monthly Award Winner, Best 1st Time Producer! Aosta, Italy June 26, 2018
- Indigenous Film Festival, Official Selection, Pine Ridge, South Dakota August 3, 2018
- Amsterdam International Filmmaker Festival, Nominated for Editing, Netherlands August 17, 2018
- Mediterranean Film Festival, Finalist Documentary, Syracuse Sicily Italy August 31, 2018
- Symi International Film Festival, Official Selection, Symi Greek Islands September 19, 2018
- Culture & Diversity Film Festival, Best Socially Conscious Film & Producer! Cotati, CA Sept 29, 2018
- Native Spirit Film Festival, Official Selection, Bloomsbury London, UK October 14, 2018
- Rapid City Public Library, Screening & Discussion with Jim Warne, South Dakota Oct. 25, 2018
- Milan International Filmmaker Festival, Nominated Best Story & Educational Film, Italy Dec 7, 2018
- Utah Film Festival, Official Selection, Semi-Finalist, Provo, Utah April 5 and 6, 2019
- Nice Film Market, Official Selected Film, Nice, South of France May 8 - 10, 2019
- Carole International Film Festival, Winner Best Documentary! Carole, Italy May 9 - 11, 2019
- Nice International Film Festival Winner Best Science and Educational Film! France, May 11-18, 2019
- New Haven International Film Festival, Official Selection, New Haven, Connecticut, May 15 - 18, 2019
- Central States Indie FanFilmFest, Best Feature Documentary! Quad Cities Illinois, May 28 - 31, 2019
- Washington Community Summit, Reel Film Festival, Screening/Lecture Wenatchee June 2018 & 2019
- Hollywood Boulevard Film Festival, Winner Best Documentary! Raleigh Studios CA, June 15-16, 2019
- West Europe International Film Festival, Best Short Documentary!, Brussels, Belgium Aug 24, 2019
- East Europe Int’l Film Festival, Nominated Best Director, Doc & Ed Film, Warsaw, Poland Nov 28, 2019
- Southern States Indie FanFilmFest, Nominated Best Doc & Diverse, Biloxi, Mississippi, Jan 6-10, 2020
- Ancient Way Film Festival, Official Selection, Arts Council, El Morro, New Mexico January 26, 2020
- Clarendon Park Cinema, Screening and Discussion with Jim Warne, Leicester, UK February 5, 2020
- University of Leicester College of Social Sciences, Arts and Humanities, Leicester, UK Feb. 6, 2020
- Fusion International Film Festivals North, Nominated 3 Categories, London, UK February 15-22, 2020
- Monaco International Film Festival, Winner Best Doc & Angel Peace Award, Monte Carlo, Feb 23, 2020
- NOTE: Several rescheduled Events and Festivals due to COVID-19 Travel and Health Restrictions
- World Independent Cinema Awards 5 Nominations including Best Film, Antwerp, Belgium, Oct 9, 2020
- Fusion International Film Festivals South 3 Nominations, Valencia, Spain, October 18-25, 2020

Contact Jim Warne and WSD Productions for Screening and Lecture Series

https://www.warrior-society.com/contact
"Cinema on the Bayou Film Festival proudly presented the Louisiana Premiere... Jim and his film were so well received the film was awarded our prized Inspiration Award. Jim and 7th Generation are indeed inspiring!” ~ Rebecca Hudsmith & Pat Mire, COTB FF Directors

"The 7th Generation is a powerful documentary... there are strong lessons to be learned from viewing 7th Generation. As noted by Mr. Warne, I hope there will be a Native American President in our future”. ~ Fred R. McFarlane, Ph.D. San Diego State University, Interwork Institute

See more about “7th Generation” and Jim Warne at: www.warrior-society.com

- Native American Alumnus of the Year Arizona State University, October, 21, 2017
- Tempe All-City Hall of Fame Tempe, Arizona. Induction March 25, 2019
- C-Span Featured Speaker, Heard Museum, Phoenix, Arizona January 30, 2015
- Congressional Senate Oversight Hearing Testified before Senate, Washington DC May 5, 2011
- Chairman’s Leadership Award National Indian Gaming Association (NIGA), April 2009
- Hall of Fame Member, American Indian Athletic Hall of Fame, Lawrence, Kansas Inducted 2004
- Chancellor’s Community Advisory Board Exec Comm. University of CA San Diego 2015-2020
- Sanford School of Medicine University of South Dakota, Center for Disabilities 2017-2020
- Venice Film Week, Jury Member, Casa del Cinema, Venezia, Italy August 27-31, 2018
- The Green Room Interview Fusion International Film Festivals, August 18, 2019

"An excellent overview of a barbaric episode in US history - massacre at Wounded Knee... subsequent treatment of Indian youth in boarding schools. And how the current generation is working to recover their language and their pride. ‘To have everything, you must give it all away.’ Very worth watching!” ~ 5.0 out of 5 stars Amazon Prime Video

"Jim Warne is a true role model; not only for our Native American youth, but for all those who have the privilege of knowing him. Jim’s motivational speeches and historic films on Native identity are life changing.” ~ Dr. Anthony Fairbanks Superintendent, Oglala Lakota County School District 65-1

"Jim is a fellow tribal member who is committed to giving back to his people. He is a former NFL player and educator and continues to influence our youth. His film “7th Generation,” shares our tribal history and prophecy from a Lakota perspective. Our youth has a strong future ahead. I am proud to see the insights of our elders shared in 7th Generation. It is a powerful message for everyone.” ~ Scott Weston, President, Oglala Lakota Sioux Tribe 2018

"Jim Warne’s film sends a message to our youth who are the 7th Generation and honors our Tribal elders who held onto the wisdom for future generations and are sharing it with the 7th generation. The film generates PRIDE within Indian country as well as opens minds of the non-native community. A must see documentary for everyone.” ~ Cline Griggs, White Mountain Apache Tribal Council 2010-2014