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WORLD Channel Honors Veterans Day this November

October 29, 2019 – Facing many challenges, veterans often feel the journey home is not easy. Throughout November, WORLD Channel aims to bring attention to films featuring veterans from different backgrounds and generations learning to cope, love and live as civilians again.

"The bravery and sacrifice of soldiers during war has been documented across all media. The long road home -- returning to lives left behind -- has become a lonely struggle for too many," said WGBH and WORLD Channel General Manager Liz Cheng. "This month, WORLD films detail the challenges and tremendous resilience as veterans rebuild their lives after enduring physical, mental and emotional traumas."

For November WORLD documentaries include the following.

• America ReFramed: Surviving Home follows four U.S military veterans from different generations over an eight-year period as they rebuild their lives after war. Co-directed by Jillian Moul and Matthew Moul, the film documents the incredible stories of each veteran as they discover unique ways to overcome post-war challenges, while transforming their lives and continuing to help others.

Airs Tuesday, November 5 at 8/7c on WORLD Channel.

- Local U.S.A: Veterans Coming Home Health highlights the challenges veterans those with physical and/or mental wounds face in transitioning from military to civilian life. Stories include a program training both veterans and shelter dogs who are working together to combat the effects of PTSD, Traumatic Brain Injury and Military Sexual Abuse, and the recovery of a veteran after being physically injured as a Taekwondo Grandmaster. *Airs Monday, November 11 at 9/8c on WORLD Channel.*
- Local U.S.A: Veterans Coming Home Careers showcases veterans finding new career paths and adapting to the civilian work world. Many discover that skills learned in the military help them as project leaders and entrepreneurs while others find work in public service and activism. The stories featured include the successes and stumbling blocks of a post-military career and how a formal Rear Admiral is using her leadership skills to save her community from rising waters.

Airs Monday, November 4 at 9/8c on WORLD Channel.

For a complete list of November schedule highlights on WORLD Channel, click here.

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WORLD Channel tells stories that humanize complex issues. WORLD shares the best of public media in news, documentaries and fact-based informational programming that helps us understand conflicts, movements and cultures that may be distinct from our own. WORLD's original content offers national broadcast, online and social media platforms to makers examining issues too often ignored by mainstream media. These emerging and master filmmakers spotlight a diversity of voices, telling stories not heard elsewhere. WORLD has won a National News & Documentary Emmy Award, a Peabody Award, an Alfred I. duPont-Columbia Award and numerous other national honors—including 1st and 2nd place Native Media Awards, an RTNDA Kaleidoscope Award, a Media for a Just Society Award, two Lesbian & Gay Journalist Awards, a Gracie, and an Asian American Journalists Award. Carried by 157 partner stations in markets representing nearly 65% of US TV households, WORLD can also be experienced via broadcast TV, WORLDChannel.org and social media platforms.

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