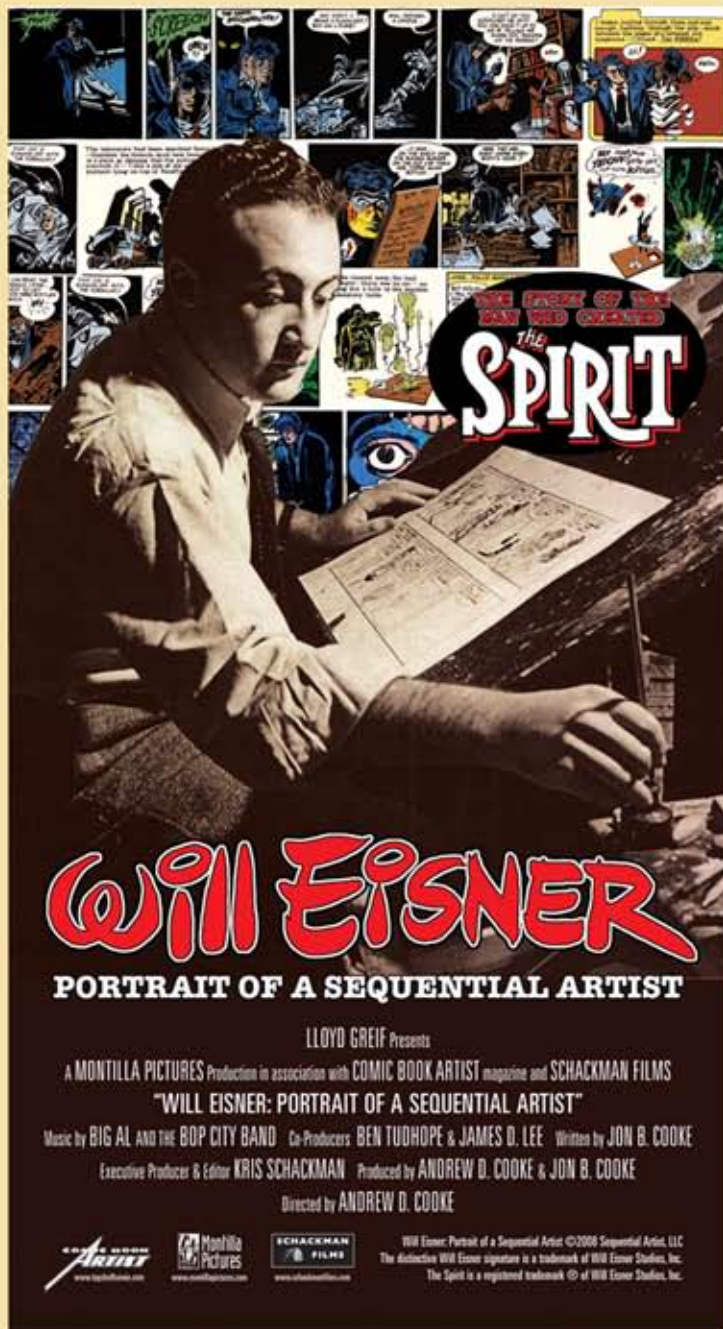


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Michael Chabon  
Denis Kitchen  
Jules Feiffer  
Kurt Vonnegut

Gil Kane  
Scott McCloud  
Art Spiegelman  
Peter Kuper  
Trina Robbins

Stan Lee  
Jerry Robinson  
Kyle Baker  
Brian Azzarello  
Edward Riso

Ann Eisner  
Peter Bagge  
Frank Miller  
Gerard Jones  
Joe Kubert

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Harvey Kurtzman  
Jack Kirby  
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## About the Documentary Filmmakers

**Director/Co-Producer Andrew D. Cooke**

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**Writer/Co-Producer Jon B. Cooke**

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**Editor/Executive Producer Kris Schackman**

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**Cinematographer/Co-Producer Ben Tudhope**

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**Co-Producer James D. Lee**

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Caption: *Will Eisner: Portrait of a Sequential Artist.* Will Eisner, 1941.  
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1800 x 1200 PIXELS  
Caption: *Will Eisner: Portrait of a Sequential Artist* director/producer Andrew D. Cooke.  
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2709 x 1707 PIXELS  
Caption: *Will Eisner: Portrait of a Sequential Artist.* From left, executive producer/editor Kris Schackman, director/producer Andrew D. Cooke, Art Spiegelman, and writer/producer Jon B. Cooke. ©2008 Montilla Pictures



1800 x 1026 PIXELS  
Caption: *Will Eisner: Portrait of a Sequential Artist.* Will Eisner, 1997.  
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**Trailer from a few years ago on YouTube**

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### A Sampling of Press Reaction to Will Eisner: Portrait of a Sequential Artist

*"'Crumb' and 'American Splendor' pried open movie theaters' eyes to peer at two figureheads of underground comics. R. Crumb and Harvey Pekar, respectively. Now, director Andrew D. Cooke's 'Will Eisner: Portrait of a Sequential Artist' blows open nearly a century of history to frame the life of the man who created the Spirit, coined the term 'graphic novel' and effectively invented the splash page, cementing his place as one of comics' creative godfathers."*

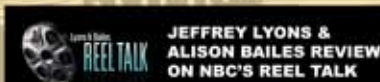
— Brian Warmoth, Wizard

*"A great companion to the book 'Kavalier and Clay.' I was very surprised to like it so much."*

— Alison Bailes, NBC's Reel Talk

*"The sign of any good documentary is if it makes a person who wasn't a die-hard fan of the subject or genre it's exploring want to learn more. And 'Portrait' does just that."*

— Joel Keller, The Huffington Post



JEFFREY LYONS & ALISON BAILES REVIEW ON NBC'S REEL TALK



JOEL KELLER REVIEW



BRIAN WARMOTH REVIEW

*"An essential doc for comics fans. 'Portrait' will also enlighten the curious."*

— John DeFore, Austin American-Statesman

*"Must See"*  
— Time Out New York

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