

# SELFHOOD, FAMILY, AND THE GIFT OF MADNESS:



## A Mad in America Town Hall

A private screening of the documentary "Drunk on Too Much Life" followed by a panel discussion with the producers and stars of the film

**FEBRUARY 23, 2023, 8 AM PST, 11 AM EST, 4 PM GMT, 5 PM CET**



This 75-minute film is an intimate and powerful documentary following the filmmakers' 21-year-old daughter's mind-opening journey from locked-down psych wards and diagnostic labels towards expansive worlds of creativity, connection, and greater meaning.

### ABOUT THE FILMMAKERS:



**Michelle Melles** is a filmmaker, producer, story editor, and writer based in Toronto who has been creating social issues documentaries for over 20 years.



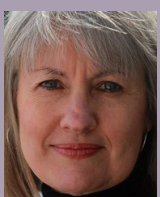
**Pedro Orrego** is a seasoned and award-winning Canadian TV writer, producer, and musician.

Under their banner, Parallel Vision Pictures, Michelle and Pedro seek to tell independent and engaging stories that offer unique ways of perceiving the world.



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### MODERATOR



**Miranda Spencer**  
Mad in America  
Family Resources Editor

**Tickets: \$10 USD. Funds will support Mad in America to continue its work as a non-profit organization and contribute to the film's impact campaign. Financial assistance is available.**

### OTHER PANELISTS



**Corrina Orrego** is a poet, artist, musician, and peer support/ personal support worker with a background in psychology.



**Sascha Altman DuBrul** is a psychotherapist, coach, and workshop leader in private practice and the co-founder of The Icarus Project.