

# Chuck Whitlock's Credentials



***Author***

***Professional Speaker***

***Investigative TV Correspondent & Producer***

***Nationally-Recognized White-Collar Crime & Scam Expert***

- Chuck Whitlock began exposing con artists in the early 1990s after catching the eye of Oprah Winfrey as the author of ***Easy Money***, a fraud prevention resource book.
- After several appearances on *Oprah*, Whitlock produced and anchored a regular news segment for the NBC affiliate in Portland, Oregon. Many of his reports aired across the U.S. He went on to produce and report investigative segments for *Inside Edition*, *Hard Copy*, and *Extra*. Other radio and TV projects include a travel scams special for the Travel Channel, the Oregon Trail-produced show ***Crimeline***, and a nationally syndicated weekly radio show. His reports have also aired on the British special *Hoaxbusters* and on the Discovery Channel.
- Whitlock has made numerous television and radio appearances on shows including:
  - ✦ *Today* on NBC
  - ✦ Court TV
  - ✦ *The View*
  - ✦ CNBC's *Steals & Deals*
  - ✦ CNN's *Your Money*
  - ✦ *The 20th Century with Mike Wallace*
  - ✦ *The Charles Grodin Show* on CNBC
  - ✦ *Geraldo*
  - ✦ *Regis and Kathie Lee*
- Whitlock's investigative work has been honored with the following awards:
  - ✦ Society of Professional Journalists' Sigma Delta Chi Award, 1st Place/TV Investigative Reporting
  - ✦ National Headliner Award, 1st Place/Outstanding Investigative Reporting
  - ✦ National Assoc. of Consumer Agency Administrators, 1st Place/TV Investigative Reporting
  - ✦ Washington State Crime Prevention Assoc., Crime Prevention Program of the Year
- Whitlock has authored numerous books, including:
  - ✦ ***Easy Money***—Whitlock's first book on cons and con artists
  - ✦ ***Chuck Whitlock's Scam School***—chronicles scams Whitlock exposed on camera
  - ✦ ***MediScams***—highlights scams, financial fraud and quackery in the health care field
  - ✦ ***Age without Rage***—a project by Whitlock and co-author Bill Reed on aging confidently and smartly
  - ✦ ***Police Heroes***—honors the men, women and K-9 officers of law enforcement who bravely faced extraordinary circumstances
  - ✦ Business-related books including ***Secrets of Successful Selling***, ***How to Get Rich***, and ***Business Management Basics***
- As a professional speaker, presenter, and trainer, Whitlock has educated and entertained audiences across the U.S. He has shared his expertise with groups ranging from law enforcement to consumers, from retail businesses to financial services organizations, from lawyers to health care providers, and many others. Whitlock has been sought out in recent years to provide training to federal, state, and local law enforcement, including the F.B.I., the Secret Service, the U.S. Postal Inspection Service, the A.T.F., the D.E.A., the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, the American Society of Law Enforcement Trainers, and many others.
- Whitlock has empowered tens of thousands of consumers to spot scams and protect themselves from scam artists through his appearances at Scam Jams throughout the nation.