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Bezalet's documentary, "Voices of Cabrini," began as her master's thesis at Columbia College Chicago, and has become a touchstone in the debate over public housing, particularly the **falling high-rises and relocation of residents**. Bolstered by a \$20,000 grant, Bezalet began a "community tour" to bring the film to both rich and poor audiences. "It's a chance for them to ask questions about public housing, and kind of demystify it," says Bezalet. Ahead: more collaborations with her former documentary instructor, Judy Hoffman.

