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Productions

Title: **1000 A.E.**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Drama

Location: Philadelphia & Costa Rica

Start Date: Mar 1, 2012

Cast: Will Smith, Jadan P. Smith

Director: M. Night Shyamalan

Producer: James Lassiter, Will Smith, Ken Stovitz

BTL: LP: E. Bennett Walsh [Email address available to subscribers only](#) ; [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

Production Company: Nova Prime, Inc., Blinding Edge / Night Chronicles, Overbrook Entertainment

Studio: Sony Pictures Entertainment

Title: **A Christmas Story Too**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Period

Location: Vancouver, BC

Start Date: Mar 5, 2012

Director: Brian Levant

Producer: Christopher Foss, Phillip Goldfine

BTL: POC: Donald Munro [Email address available to subscribers only](#) ; LP: Christopher Foss [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

Production Company: Warner Premiere

Studio: Warner Bros. Pictures

Title: **A.C.O.D.**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Comedy

Location: Atlanta

Start Date: March 2012

Cast: Richard Jenkins, Adam Scott

Director: Stuart Zicherman

Producer: Teddy Schwartzman, Ben Karlin, Tim Perell [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

Production Company: Black Bear Pictures [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

Title: **All Talk**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: TBD
Start Date: Spring 2012
Cast: Ben Stiller
Director: Ben Stiller
Producer: Jonathan Safran Foer, Eli Bush, Ben Stiller, Scott Rudin [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: HBO Films, Scott Rudin Productions
Network: HBO Inc

Title: **Anger Management**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: Mar 19, 2012
Cast: Charlie Sheen
Director: Bruce Helford
Producer: Vince Totino, Mark Burg, Charlie Sheen, Robert Maron
BTL: LP: Kent Zbornak [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Mohawk Productions, Roth Films/Joe Roth Television, Evolution Entertainment [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Studio: Lionsgate TV
Network: FX Networks

Title: **Arranged Marriage of Moonbeam**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: TBD
Start Date: May 2012
Director: Mollie Engelhart, Tim Ryan
Producer: Mollie Engelhart, Mark Webber
BTL: LP: Teresa Zales [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Metamorphic Films/Here Now Productions [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

Title: **Beauty and the Beast (ABC)**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Ireland
Start Date: Spring 2012
Director: TBD
Producer: Jon Steinberg, Gary Fleder, Mary Beth Basile [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Mojo Films
Studio: ABC Studios
Network: ABC Television Network

Title: **Beneath The Deep**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Drama
Location: Puerto Rico
Start Date: Summer 2012
Director: Andrzej Bartkowiak
Producer: Richard Rionda Del Castro, Armand Specca, Patricia Eberle [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Douglas W. Miller, Jeff Andrick, Anthony Gudas
Production Company: Hannibal Pictures [Email address available to subscribers only](#)

Title: **Blue Lagoon**
Type: Telefilm
Status: Active Development
Genre: Romance
Location: Puerto Rico
Start Date: Spring 2012
Director: Robin Lippin
Producer: Judith Verno, Neil Meron, Craig [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Storyline Entertainment [Email address available to subscribers only](#) , Peace Out Productions
Studio: Sony Pictures Television
Network: Lifetime Networks

Title: **Chicago Fire**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Chicago
Start Date: Spring 2012
Director: TBD
Producer: Dick Wolf, Danielle Gelber, Peter Jankowski, Derek Haas, Michael Brant
BTL: LP: John Roman [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Wolf Films, Inc.
Studio: Universal Television
Network: NBC (network)

Title: **Da Vinci's Demons**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Adventure, Fantasy, Historical
Location: London, UK
Start Date: Summer 2012
Director: TBD
Producer: David S. Goyer, Julie Gardner, Jane Tranter, Nellie S. Reed [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
BTL: LP: Lee Morris [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: BBC Worldwide Americas, Phantom Four
Network: Starz Media

Title: **Defiance**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Toronto
Start Date: Apr 2, 2012
Cast: Grant Bowler
Director: Scott Charles Stewart
Producer: Rockne S. O'Bannon, Greg Copeland [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Kevin Murphy
BTL: UPM: Tony Thatcher [Email address available to subscribers only](#); POC: Shelley Boyle
Production Company: SyFy
Studio: Universal Cable Productions
Network: SyFy

Title: **Friday Night Dinner**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: TBD
Start Date: Spring 2012
Director: TBD
Producer: Greg Daniels, Howard Klein [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Big Talk Productions [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Studio: Universal Television
Network: NBC (network)

Title: **Hemlock Drive**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama, Family
Location: New Orleans, Louisiana
Start Date: Spring 2012
Cast: Susan Sarandon, David Arquette, Adam Brody
Director: Donald Petrie Jr.
Producer: Sascha Hecks, Tracey Adam, Kristin Holt, Jace Hall [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
BTL: LP: Kristin Holt [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Bla Bla Bla Productions, HDFilms Inc.

Title: **Hornet's Nest**
Type: Telefilm
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: N. Carolina
Start Date: Spring 2012
Cast: Sherry Stringfield , Virginia Madsen
Director: Millicent Shelton
Producer: Jim Head [Email address available to subscribers only](#), Patricia Cornwell
Production Company: Head First Productions
Network: TBS/Turner Network Television (TNT)

Title: **Hours**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Disaster Story, Medical
Location: New Orleans
Start Date: March 2012
Cast: Paul Walker
Director: Eric Heisserer
Producer: Peter Safran [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Safran Company

Title: **House of Cards**
Type: Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Thriller
Location: Baltimore, Maryland
Start Date: Mar 26, 2012
Cast: Kevin Spacey, Robin Wright
Director: David Fincher
Producer: Joshua Donen, Rick Cleveland, Sarah Treem, Michael Dobbs, Eric Roth, Dana Brunetti [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
BTL: LP: John Melfi
Production Company: Trigger Street Productions, Media Rights Capital (MRC)
Network: Netflix

Title: **Identity Theft**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: April 2012
Cast: Jason Bateman, Melissa McCarthy
Director: Seth Gordon
Producer: Scott Stuber [Email address available to subscribers only](#) , Jason Bateman
Production Company: Stuber Pictures
Studio: Universal Pictures

Title: **In Living Color**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: March 2012
Cast: Keenen Ivory Wayans
Director: Keenen Ivory Wayans, Julie Ashton
Producer: Keenen Ivory Wayans
BTL: LP: Susan Crank [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Fox 21, Wayans Brothers Entertainment
Studio: 20th Century Fox Television
Network: Fox (network)

Title: **It's Not You, It's Me**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: Mar 4, 2012
Director: Nathan Ives
Producer: Marie Rose, Nathan Ives
Production Company: Mule Films [iEmail address available to subscribers only](#)

Title: **L.A. Noir**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: May 1, 2012
Director: Frank Darabont
Producer: Michael De Luca, Elliot Webb, Alissa Phillips [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Turner Original Productions, Michael De Luca Productions
Network: TBS/Turner Network Television (TNT)

Title: **Lamb of God**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: New Orleans/Las Vegas
Start Date: March 2012
Cast: Russell Brand, Julianne Hough, Holly Hunter, Octavia Spencer
Director: Diablo Cody
Producer: Mason Novick, Nathan Kahane, Steven Spielberg
BTL: LP: David Koplan [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Mandate Pictures
Studio: Lionsgate Films

Title: **Last Resort**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Drama, Science Fiction
Location: Hawaii
Start Date: February 2012
Director: Martin Campbell
Producer: Marney Hochman Nash, Karl Gajdusek, Shawn Ryan
BTL: LP: Jean Higgins [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Midd Kid Productions
Studio: Sony Pictures Television
Network: ABC

Title: **Little Brother**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: March 2012
Cast: T.J. Miller, Rosa Salazar
Director: Shawn Levy
Producer: Fintan Ryan, Jimmy Mulville, Mike Royce, Marty Adelstein, Becky Clements, Shawn Levy
BTL: LP: Victor Hsu [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Hat Trick Productions, 21 Laps Entertainment
Studio & Network: 20th Century Fox Television Fox (network)

Title: **Living Loaded**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: Feb 27, 2012
Director: Matt Shakman
Producer: Dan Dunn, Michael Rotenberg, Rob Rosell, Rob McElhenney, Nick Frenkel [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
BTL: LP: Tom Lofaro [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: 3 Arts Entertainment, Inc.
Studio & Network: FX Networks Fox (network)

Title: **Maersk Alabama**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Bio-Drama
Location: Morocco, Boston
Start Date: Mar 5, 2012
Cast: Tom Hanks
Director: Paul Greengrass
Producer: Michael DeLuca, Dana Brunetti
BTL: LP: Greg Goodman [Email address available to subscribers only](#) ; UPM: Todd Lewis [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Trigger Street Productions, Scott Rudin Productions
Studio: Columbia Pictures/SPE

Title: **Oblivion**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Science Fiction
Location: Baton Rouge LA
Start Date: Mar 5, 2012
Cast: Tom Cruise
Director: Joseph Kosinski
Producer: Joseph Kosinski, Peter Chernin, Barry Levine, Dylan Clark
BTL: DP: Alvin H. Kuchler; Production Designer: Darren Gilford; Costume Designer: Christine Biesel Clark
LP/UPM: R. J. Mino [Email address available to subscribers only](#); PM: Justis Greene [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Chernin Entertainment, Radical Pictures
Studio: Universal Pictures

Title: **Percy Jackson and the Sea of Monsters**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Adventure, Fantasy
Location: Vancouver & Hawaii
Start Date: Apr 26, 2012
Cast: Logan Lerman
Director: Thor Freudenthal
Producer: Bill Bannerman, Michael Barnathan, Mark Radcliffe, Chris Columbus, Karen Rosenfelt
BTL: UPM: Michael Williams [Email address available to subscribers only](#) ; POC: Bliss McDonald [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: 1492 Pictures, Sunswept Entertainment
Studio: Fox 2000

Title: **Prodigy/Bully**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: TBD
Start Date: Spring 2012
Producer: Andrew Stearn [Email address available to subscribers only](#) Hank Perlman, Paris Barclay, John Wells, Mike O'Malley
Production Company: John Wells Productions
Studio: Warner Bros. Television
Network: Fox (network)

Title: **Recall**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Thriller
Location: Washington DC & Bulgaria
Start Date: Mar 15, 2012
Cast: Clive Owen
Director: Harold Becker
Producer: Robert Katz, Etchie Stroh [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Moonstone Entertainment

Title: **Serena**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Period
Location: London, UK
Start Date: Mar 26, 2012
Cast: Bradley Cooper, Jennifer Lawrence
Director: Susanne Bier
Producer: Nigel Sinclair, Todd Wagner, Paula Mae Schwartz, Steve Schwartz, Nick Wechsler [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
BTL: LP: Peter McAleese [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: 2929 Productions, Exclusive Media Group, Nick Wechsler Productions, Chockstone Pictures

Title: **Supremacy**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Sacramento or Los Angeles
Start Date: Feb 1, 2012
Cast: Danny Glover
Director: Deon Taylor
Producer: Charlana Brown [Email address available to subscribers only](#) , Deon Taylor, Roxanne Avent
BTL: LP: Steak House [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Deon Taylor Enterprises / No Brainer Films, Hidden Empire Film Group

Title: **The New Normal**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: Mar 19, 2012
Director: Ryan Murphy
Producer: Allison Adler, Dante Di Loreto
BTL: LP: Chip Vucelich [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Ryan Murphy Productions, 20th Century Fox Television
Network: NBC (network)

Title: **The Occult**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Horror
Location: N. Carolina
Start Date: Mar 16, 2012
Director: Christian E. Christiansen
Producer: Pete Shilaimon, Mickey Liddell [Email address available to subscribers only](#) ; Jennifer Hilton, Scott Holroyd, Michael Zelman
BTL: UPM: Patricia Cullen [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Liddell Entertainment

Title: **The Secret Life of Walter Mitty**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: NY
Start Date: April 2012
Cast: Ben Stiller, Kirsten Wiig
Director: Ben Stiller
Producer: John Goldwyn, Samuel Goldwyn Jr.
BTL: LP (new): G. Mac Brown [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Samuel Goldwyn Films, Red Hour Films, 20th Century Fox
Studio: 20th Century Fox

Title: **Thor 2**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Adventure, Fantasy
Location: London
Start Date: May 1, 2012
Cast: Chris Hemsworth, Natalie Portman , Anthony Hopkins
Director: Alan Taylor
Producer: Kenneth Branagh, Michael Chong, Kevin Feige, Louis D'Esposito, Craig Kyle
BTL: LP: Nigel Gostelow [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Marvel Studios, Inc.
Studio: Walt Disney Studios

Title: **Vigilandia**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Futuristic, Thriller

Location: Los Angeles

Start Date: Mar 15, 2012

Cast: Ethan Hawke

Director: James DeMonaco

Producer: Jeanette Brill, Andrew Form, Brad Fuller, Michael Bay, Jason Blum

BTL: LP: Jeanette Brill [\[Email address available to subscribers only\]](#)

Production Company: Why Not Productions, Platinum Dunes, Blumhouse Productions

Studio: Universal Pictures

Title: **Wild Oats**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Action, Comedy, Drama

Location: Pittsburgh & Las Vegas

Start Date: Spring 2012

Cast: Shirley MacLaine , Alan Arkin , Jacki Weaver

Director: Howard Deutch

Producer: Dean Fronk, Miek Dolan, Agathe David-Weill, Alexander Tabrizi [\[Email address available to subscribers only\]](#) , Donald Pemrick, Blythe Frank

BTL: LP: Matt Janes [\[Email address available to subscribers only\]](#)

Production Company: Essential Entertainment, Trivision Pictures, Wild Pictures

Title: **William Tell: 3D**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Action

Location: Romania & Switzerland

Start Date: April 2012

Cast: Brendan Fraser

Director: Eric Brevig

Producer: Todd Moyer [\[Email address available to subscribers only\]](#) , Alison Semenza, Gary Hamilton

BTL: LP: Whitney Brown [\[Email address available to subscribers only\]](#)

Production Company: Castel Film Studios, Arclight Films

Title: **Wolves**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Horror
Location: Toronto
Start Date: Late Spring 2012
Director: David Hayter
Producer: Jason Hewitt, Noreen Halpern, Steve Hoban [Email address available to subscribers only](#) , Benedict Carver
BTL: PM: Hartley Gorenstein [Email address available to subscribers only](#)
Production Company: Copperheart Entertainment, E1 Entertainment/Entertainment One

Title: **Writers**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Wilmington, N.C.
Start Date: March 2012
Cast: Greg Kinnear, Jennifer Connelly
Director: Josh Boone
Producer: Judy Cairo [Email address available to subscribers only](#); Michael A. Simpson [Email address available to subscribers only](#) , Eric Brenner
Production Company: Informant Media

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