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Editorial

With the network TV shows staffing to begin series production, this week's report has over 40 listings across North America and beyond.

While July 4th is a national holiday, USA Production News will publish a report on July 7. However we expect the number of Projects confirmed for listing will drop due to the Holiday to then pick up again.

Productions

Project:	12 Monkeys
Type:	Episodic
Status:	PrePro
Genre:	Drama, Science Fiction
Location:	Toronto
Starts:	August 8, 2014
Cast:	Aaron Stanford, Amanda Schull
Director:	Various
Producer:	Brian Lutz, Chuck Roven, Jeffrey Reiner, Natalie Chaidez, Richard Suckle, Terry Matalas, Travis Fickett
BTL:	Line Prod: Michael Wray Email address displayed for subscribers only POC: Lisa Perone UPM: Ted Miller Email address displayed for subscribers only
Prod. Co.:	Atlas Entertainment Email address displayed for subscribers only
Studio:	Universal Cable Productions
Network:	SyFy
Project:	American Crime
Type:	Episodic
Status:	PrePro
Genre:	Drama
Location:	Austin, Texas
Starts:	July 28, 2014
Cast:	Felicity Huffman, Timothy Hutton
Director:	Various
Producer:	John Ridley, Michael McDonald
BTL:	Line Prod: Lori-Etta Taub Email address displayed for subscribers only
Prod. Co.:	Stearns Castle Email address displayed for subscribers only
Studio:	ABC Studios Email address displayed for subscribers only
Network:	ABC Television Network

Project: **Ant-Man**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Adventure, Comedy, Science Fiction
Location: Pinewood Studios in Fayetteville, GA-SF
Starts: August 2014
Cast: Paul Rudd, Michael Douglas, Patrick Wilson
Director: Payton Reed
Producer: Brad Winderbaum, Kevin Feige, Louis D'Esposito, Nira Park
BTL: Line Prod: Michael Grillo [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) PS: Jason Tamez UPM: JoAnn Perritano [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Big Talk Productions, Marvel Studios, Inc./Television
Studio: Walt Disney Studios

Project: **Bitten**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Horror, Thriller
Location: Toronto
Starts: August 5, 2014
Director: Various
Producer: Daegan Fryklind, J. B. Sugar, John Barbisan, Patrick Banister
BTL: Line Prod: Norm Denver [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Robbie David [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: E1 Entertainment/Entertainment One, Hoodwink Entertainment, Inc., No Equal Entertainment
Network: Bell Media, Space

Project: **Bosch**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Crime
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: August 11, 2014
Cast: Titus Welliver
Director: Various
Producer: Eric Overmeyer, Henrik Bastin, Jim McKay, Mikkel Bondesen, Pieter Jan Brugge, Michael Connelly
BTL: Line Prod: Pieter Jan Brugge [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Fabrik Entertainment
Studio & Network: Amazon Studios Amazon (Network)

Project: **Brilliance**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Drama
Location: Pittsburgh, PA & Chicago
Starts: August 18, 2014
Cast: Noomi Rapace
Director: Julius Onah
Producer: Alex Hedlund, Joe Roth, Jon Jashni, Palek Patel
BTL: Line Prod: Eric McLeod [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Amiee Clark [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Legendary Pictures/Television, Roth Films [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Universal Pictures

Project: **Broken Vows**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: July 7, 2014
Director: Brams Coppens
Producer: Katie Baccaro, Larry Ladove, Wendy Benge Esq. [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: Line Prod: David Hillary [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: In Like Flynn Productions

Project: **Captain Fantastic**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Washington- New Mexico
Starts: Summer 2014
Cast: Viggo Mortensen
Director: Matt Ross
Producer: Jamie Patricof, Louise Runge [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#), Lynette Howell
BTL: Line Prod: Samantha Housman [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Electric City Entertainment

Project: Christmas Pearl
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Fantasy
Location: New Jersey
Starts: July 28, 2014
Cast: Whoopi Goldberg
Director: Felix Alcalá
Producer: David Belafonte, Jeff Kranzdorf, Julius R. Nasso [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Whoopi Goldberg
BTL: UPM: Vince P. Maggio [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Belafonte Arts & Media, One Ho Productions

Project: Constantine
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Drama, Fantasy
Location: Atlanta
Starts: July 15, 2014
Cast: Lucy Griffiths (True Blood), Harold Perineau (Lost)
Director: Various
Producer: Daniel Cerones, David S. Goyer
BTL: Line Prod: James Spies [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Bryan Thomas [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Bonanza Productions, DC Entertainment, Phantom Four [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio & Network: Warner Bros. Television NBC (network)

Project: Empire
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Chicago
Starts: September 2014
Cast: Gabourey Sibide, Terrence Howard, Taraji P. Henson
Director: Various
Producer: Brian Grazer, Danny Strong, Francie Calfo, Lee Daniels
BTL: Line Prod: Howard Griffith [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Richard S. Lederer [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Imagine Television, Lee Daniels Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio & Network: 20th Century Fox Television Fox (network)

Project: **Eye Candy**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Thriller
Location: New York
Starts: August 2014
Cast: Victoria Justice
Director: Various
Producer: Catherine Hardwicke, Emmy Grinwis, Gerard Bocaccio, Jason Blum, Matthew Carpenter, Yvonne Bernard
BTL: Line Prod: Tony Hernandez [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Blumhouse Productions
Network: MTV Networks

Project: **Family Fang**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Family
Location: New York
Starts: July 21, 2014
Cast: Jason Bateman, Nicole Kidman, Christopher Walken
Director: Jason Bateman
Producer: Bill Block, Daniel Crown, Daniela Taplin Lundberg, Jim Garavente, [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#), Riva Marker
BTL: Line Prod: Caroline Jaczko [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Aggregate Films, Blossom Films, Olympus Pictures, QED International, Red Crown Pictures

Project: **Family Trip**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Family
Location: Oregon
Starts: August 2014
Director: Carey Scott
Producer: D.C. Rahe, Gerald I. Wolff [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#), Greg Beber, James Pesoli, Sean Skelding, Shawn Justice
BTL: Line Prod: Paul Maslak [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Cheezy Flicks Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) (yeah, unfortunately it is as it sounds...)

Project: **Finest Hours**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Adventure
Location: Toronto / Boston
Starts: Sept. 9, 2014
Cast: Chris Pine
Director: Craig Gillespie
Producer: Dorothy Aufiero [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Douglas C. Merrifield, Jim Whitaker
BTL: UPM: Douglas C. Merrifield [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Nor'easter Productions, Inc., Whitaker Entertainment
Studio: Walt Disney Studios

Project: **Getting On**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: July 15, 2014
Cast: Laurie Metcalfe, Niecy Nash
Director: Various
Producer: Geoff Atkinson, Jane Tranter, Jo Brand, Joanna Scanlan, Julie Gardner, Lisa Bellomo, Vicki Pepperdine, Will Scheffer
BTL: Line Prod: Chrisann Verges [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Jenny Fumarolo [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Anima Sola Productions, BBC Worldwide Americas, HBO Entertainment
Network: HBO Inc

Project: **Grace and Frankie**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: Late July 2014
Cast: Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin
Director: Various
Producer: Dana Goldberg, David Ellison, Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin, Marcy Ross, Marta Kauffman, Paula Weinstein, Tate Taylor
BTL: Line Prod: Jeff Freilich [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Stephanie M. Accetta [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: More Horses Productions, Skydance Productions
Network: Netflix

Project: **How To Get Away With Murder**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: July 21, 2014
Cast: Tom Verica, Charlie Weber (90210), Viola Davis
Director: Various
Producer: Betsy Beers, Peter Nowalk, Shonda Rhimes
BTL: Line Prod: Ann Kindberg [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Scott Printz [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Shondaland
Studio & Network: ABC Studios ABC Television Network

Project: **Impastor**
Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Vancouver
Starts: August 4, 2014
Cast: Michael Rosenbaum
Director: Robert Greenberg
Producer: Christopher Vane, Eric Tannenbaum, Kim Tannenbaum, Robert Greenberg
BTL: Line Prod: Wayne Carmona [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Warren H. Carr [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: The Tannenbaum Company
Studio & Network: CBS Television Studios TV Land

Project: **Ithaca**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Virginia
Starts: July 14, 2014
Cast: Meg Ryan, Melanie Griffith, Sam Shepard, Tom Hanks
Director: Meg Ryan
Producer: Gary Goetzman, Janet Brenner, Laura Ivey [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Tom Hanks
BTL: Line Prod: Larry Rapaport [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Christina Garnett
Prod. Co.: Playtone Productions, The Exchange

Project: **Jane The Virgin**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: Late July 2014
Cast: Gina Rodriguez
Director: Various
Producer: Ben Silverman, Gary Pearl, Jennie Snyder Urman, Jorge Granier
BTL: Line Prod: Lewis Abel [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: David Malloy UPM: Tim Silver
Prod. Co.: Electus [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: CBS Television Studios
Network: CW Television Network

Project: **Johnny**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Bio-Drama
Location: Albuquerque, NM
Starts: July 24, 2014
Cast: Shiloh Fernandez
Director: Eddie Alcazar
Producer: Andrea Monier, Olga Segura [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: Line Prod: Brent Morris [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Olga Segura Prods.

Project: **Jungle Book**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Animal Adventure, Family
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: October 2014
Cast: Idris Elba, Scarlett Johansson, Lupita Nyong'o
Director: Jon Favreau
Producer: Brigham Taylor, Karen Gilchrist
BTL: Line Prod: Peter Tobyansen [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Molly Jo Allen
Prod. Co.: Fairview Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Walt Disney Studios

Project: **K.C. Confidential**

Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: August 2014
Cast: Zendaya
Director: Various
Producer: Corinne Marshall, Rob Lotterstein
BTL: Line Prod: Victor Kaplan [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: It's A Laugh Productions
Network: Disney Channel

Project: **Killjoys**

Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Adventure
Location: Toronto
Starts: August 5, 2014
Director: Chris Grismer
Producer: David Fortier, Ivan Schneeberg, Michelle Lovretta
BTL: Line Prod: Reggie Robb [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Vair MacPhee UPM: Gina Fowler [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Temple Street
Network: Space, SyFy

Project: **Loomis Fargo**

Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Comedy
Location: Asheville, NC
Starts: July 7, 2014
Cast: Owen Wilson, Zach Galifianakis, Jason Sudeikis
Director: Jared Hess
Producer: Danny McBride, Jody Hill, John Goldwyn, Kevin Messick, Lorne Michaels, Ryan Kavanaugh, Tucker Tooley
BTL: Line Prod: D. Scott Lumpkin [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Damien Lubiak [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Armored Car Productions, LLC, Messick Films, Michaels Goldwyn Productions, Relativity Media, Rough House Pictures

Project: Nashville
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Nashville, TN
Starts: July 17, 2014
Cast: Connie Britton, Hayden Panettiere, Eric Close, Powers Booth
Director: Various
Producer: Callie Khouri, Jim Parriot, RJ Cutler, Steve Buchanan
BTL: UPM: Michael Attanasio [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Gaylord Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Lionsgate TV
Network: ABC Television Network

Project: Photographs
Type: Telefilm
Status: PrePro
Genre: Suspense, Thriller
Location: Vancouver
Starts: July 7, 2014
Director: Jason Furukawa
Producer: Gilles LaPlante , Richard Gabai, [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Stefan Wodoslawsky
BTL: UPM: Costa Vassos [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Check Entertainment

Project: Red Squad
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Action, Drama
Location: Mobile, AL
Starts: August 16, 2014
Director: John McTiernan
Producer: Hayley Arabia, Michael Mendelsohn, Patricia Eberle, Richard Rionda Del Castro
BTL: Line Prod: Michael V. Tadross [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Richard M. Cowan [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Hannibal Pictures

Project: **Ride Along 2**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Atlanta & Miami
Starts: July 23, 2014
Cast: Ice Cube, Kevin Hart
Director: Tim Story
Producer: Larry Brezner, Matt Alvarez, William Packer
BTL: Line Prod: Nicholas Stern UPM: Barbara A. Kelly [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Cube Vision, MBST Entertainment, Inc, Rainforest Films [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Universal Pictures

Project: **Room**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Toronto
Starts: September 2014
Cast: Brie Larson
Director: Lenny Abrahamson
Producer: Andrew Love, David Gross, Ed Guiney, Jesse Shapira, Rose Garnett, Sue Bruce Smith, Tessa Ross
BTL: Line Prod: Hartley Gorenstein [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Element Films, Film4, FilmNation Entertainment LLC, No Trace Camping [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Project: **Secrets & Lies**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Wilmington, North Carolina
Starts: July 21, 2014
Cast: Ryan Phillippe, Juliette Lewis
Director: Charles McDougall
Producer: Aaron Kaplan, Barbie Kligman, Nathan Mayfield, Tracey Robertson
BTL: Line Prod: Barbara D'Alessandro [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: J. David Brightbill [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Kapital Entertainment
Studio: ABC Studios
Network: ABC Television Network

Project: **St. James Place**

Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Docudrama, Period
Location: New York, Berlin
Starts: September 10, 2014
Cast: Tom Hanks, Mark Rylance
Director: Steven Spielberg
Producer: Marc Platt [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: Line Prod: Daniel Lupi [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Marc Platt Productions
Studio: Dreamworks SKG

Project: **State of Affairs**

Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama, Spy Thriller
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: August 12, 2014
Cast: Katherine Heigl
Director: Various
Producer: Alex Hawley, Joe Carnahan, Julia Franz, Nancy Heigl, Robert Simonds, Rodney Faraon, Sophie Watts
BTL: Line Prod: Charles Carroll [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Abishag Productions/ Chambara Pictures, Incentive Filmed Entertainment LLC
Studio & Network: NBC Universal Television NBC (network)

Project: **Ted 2**

Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Boston
Starts: July 21. 2014
Cast: Mark Wahlberg, Amanda Seyfried, Mila Kunis
Director: Seth MacFarlane
Producer: John Jacobs, Modi Wiczky, Scott Stuber [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Victoria "Tory" Metzger
BTL: Line Prod: Jason Clark [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Mark Kamine [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Producer: John Jacobs, Modi Wiczky, Scott Stuber, Victoria "Tory" Metzger
Studio: Universal Pictures

Project: **The Hollars**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Jackson. MS
Starts: July 15, 2014
Cast: John Krasinski, Anna Kendrick, Richard Jenkins
Director: John Krasinski
Producer: Allyson Seeger, Ben Nearn, Janice Williams [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Michael London, Tom Rice
BTL: UPM: Kirk M. Fellows [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Annapurna Productions, Groundswell Productions, Panorama Media, Sunday Night Productions, Sycamore Pictures

Project: **The McCarthys**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: Summer 2014
Cast: Jack McGee, Joey McIntyre, Tyler Ritter
Director: Various
Producer: Andy Ackerman, Brian Gallivan, Mike Sikowitz, Richard Schwartz, Will Gluck
BTL: Line Prod: Suzy Mamann Greenberg [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Olive Bridge Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio & Network: Sony Pictures Television CBS Entertainment (Network)

Project: **The Messengers**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Science Fiction
Location: Albuquerque, New Mexico
Starts: July 17, 2014
Cast: Diego Morgado
Director: Various
Producer: Ava Jamshidi, Basil Iwanyk, Kent Kubena, Ted Humphrey
BTL: Line Prod: Joseph Incaperra [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Industry Entertainment, Thunder Road Pictures [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: CBS Television Studios
Network: CW Television Network

Project: **The Red Road**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Atlanta
Starts: September 15, 2014
Cast: Martin Henderson, Jason Momoa
Director: Various
Producer: Aaron Guzikowski, Bridget Carpenter, Jim Bigwood, Sarah Condon
BTL: Line Prod: Jim Bigwood [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Natalie Tyler UPM: Letitia Fortune
Prod. Co.: Stu Segall Productions [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Network: Sundance TV

Project: **Total Frat Movie**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy, Teen Comedy
Location: Toronto
Starts: July 2014
Director: TBA
Producer: Bob Sanitsky, Brad Luff, Brian Ross, Madison Wickham, Ryan Young, Stephen Fromkin
BTL: Line Prod: Robert Wertheimer [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Digerati Films, LLC [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Project: **Twice the Dream**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Utah
Starts: August 15, 2014
Cast: Adrian R'Mantle, Savannah Ostler
Director: Steven D' Alo
Producer: Adrian R' Mante, Savannah Ostler, Scott Robertson Price
BTL: Line Prod: Scott Robertson Price [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: S & S Productions

Project: Xmas
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: New York
Starts: Mid August 2014
Cast: Seth Rogen, Joseph Gordon Levitt, Anthony MacKie
Director: Jonathan Levine
Producer: Ariel Shaffir, Evan Goldberg, James Weaver, Joe Drake, Kyle Hunter, Nathan Kahane
BTL: Line Prod: Barbara Hall [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Good Universe, Point Grey Pictures [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Sony Pictures Entertainment

Project: Younger
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: New York
Starts: September 22, 2014
Cast: Sutton Foster, Hillary Duff
Director: Various
Producer: Darren Star [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: UPM: Tony Hernandez [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Darren Star Productions
Network: TV Land

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