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Productions

Project: 1989
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Bio-Drama
Location: Toronto/Cuba
Starts: January 9, 2017
Director: Rodrigo Barriuso, Sebastian Barriuso
Producer: Lindsay Gosling-Louis [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: Line Prod: Karen Harnisch [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Inti Herrera
Prod. Co.: Creative Artisans Media, Involving Pictures

Project: A Haunting At Silver Falls II
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Crime, Thriller
Location: Oregon
Starts: December 2016
Cast: Alix Elizabeth Gitter
Director: Teo Konuralp
Producer: Daniel Petrie Jr., Katarina Ireland, Paul Hudson, Rick Dugdale [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: Line Prod: Katarina Ireland [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Enderby Entertainment, Outsider Pictures, Tony-Seven Films

Project: Animal Kingdom
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Teen Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: November 29, 2016
Cast: Ellen Barkin
Director: Various
Producer: Andrew Stearn, David Michod, John Wells, Liz Watts
BTL: Line Prod: Llewellyn Wells [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Jean Nakahara UPM: Alan Connell
[Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: John Wells Productions
Studio: Warner Horizon Television
Network: TBS/Turner Network Television (TNT)

Project: **Bad Samaritan**

Type: Telefilm

Status: PrePro

Genre: Crime, Thriller

Location: Portland

Starts: November 30, 2016

Cast: David Tennant

Director: Dean Devlin

Producer: Dean Devlin, Marc Roskin, Rachel Olschan

BTL: Line Prod: Carsten Lorenz [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Brandon Lambdin [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Electric Entertainment

Project: **Can You Ever Forgive Me?**

Type: Feature Film

Status: Active Development

Genre: Drama

Location: New York

Starts: January 23, 2017

Cast: Melissa McCarthy

Director: Marielle Heller

Producer: Amy Nauiokas, Anne Carey, David Yarnell, Jawal Nga

BTL: Line Prod: Pamela Hirsch [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Archer Gray Productions, Entertainment One / E1 Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Studio: Fox Searchlight Pictures

Project: **D.O.A. Blood River**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Drama

Location: Louisiana

Starts: November 21, 2016

Cast: Billy Flynn, D.B. Sweeney

Director: Stephen C. Sepher

Producer: Kim Barnard, Nazo Bravo, Rory Fradella

BTL: Line Prod: Claire Skowronek Haley [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Boatyard Productions, Mighty Hye Entertainment

Project: **Dark Matter**
Type: Episodic Sea 3
Status: PrePro
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: Toronto
Starts: November 18, 2016
Director: Various
Producer: Jay Firestone, Joseph Mallozzi, Paul Mullie
BTL: AUPM: Brandon Tataryn [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Line Prod: Norman Denver [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Alice Foster [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Prodigy Pictures, Inc.
Network: SyFy

Project: **Darkest Minds**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: Atlanta, GA
Starts: March 2017
Director: Jennifer Yuh Nelson
Producer: Dan Cohen, Dan Levine, Shawn Levy
BTL: Assistant: Chis Parr [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Line Prod: John Starke [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: 21 Laps Entertainment
Studio: 20th Century Fox

Project: **Deadpool 2**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Adventure
Location: Vancouver
Starts: January 2017
Cast: Ryan Reynolds
Director: ODA
Producer: Kevin Feige, Lauren Shuler Donner, Simon Kinberg
BTL: Line Prod: John James Kelly [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Genre Films, Marvel Studios, Inc./Television, The Donner's Company
Studio: 20th Century Fox

Project: **Future Man**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy, High Concept
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: December 2016
Director: Evan Goldberg, Seth Rogan
Producer: Evan Goldberg, James Weaver, Matthew Tolmach, Seth Rogen
BTL: Line Prod: Shawn Wilt [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Matt Tolmach Productions, Point Grey Pictures
Studio: Sony Pictures Television
Network: Hulu

Project: **Hangman**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Atlanta, GA
Starts: November 19, 2016
Cast: Al Pacino, Brittany Snow
Director: Johnny Martin
Producer: Michael Mendelsohn [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
BTL: Line Prod: Richard M. Cowan [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Cheyenne Enterprises, Moonstone Entertainment, Patriot Pictures

Project: **Happy**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: Active Development
Genre: Fantasy
Location: New York
Starts: January 30, 2017
Director: Brian Taylor
Producer: Neal H. Moritz, Pavun Shetty, Toby Jaffe
BTL: Assistant: Liang Wang [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Line Prod: Thomas Sellitti Jr. [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Original Film
Studio: Universal Cable Productions (UCP)
Network: SyFy

Project: **Hell's Acres**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Horror, Period
Location: New Mexico
Starts: January 9, 2017
Director: Damian Nieman
Producer: David Gibbs, Dawn Krantz, Michael C. Cuddy, Will Wallace
BTL: Line Prod: Michael C. Cuddy [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Krannel Pictures

Project: **Horse Soldiers**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: War, Action
Location: Albuquerque, NM
Starts: November 28, 2016
Cast: Chris Hemsworth, Michael Shannon
Director: Nicolai Fuglsig
Producer: Chad Oman, Jerry Bruckheimer, Molly M. Smith, Thad Luckinbill, Trent Luckinbill
BTL: Line Prod: Garrett Grant [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Janie Elliott [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Black Label Media, Jerry Bruckheimer Films & Television
Studio: Lionsgate Films

Project: **I Want My Baby Back**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Albuquerque
Starts: November 28, 2016
Director: Farhad Mann
Producer: David DeCrane, Gilles LaPlante, Rick Metz, Tom Berry
BTL: Line Prod: Rick Metz [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Allan Gaitirira [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Reel One Entertainment

Project: **Idol's Eye**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Crime, Drama, Period
Location: Toronto
Starts: February 2017
Director: Olivier Assayas
Producer: Alexandra Milchan, Michael Benaroya, Scott Lambert, Scott Stuber
BTL: Line Prod: Sylvie Barthez [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Derek Rappaport [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Bluegrass Films, EMJAG Productions Inc.

Project: **Impulse**
Type: Episodic Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Coming Of Age, Drama, Fantasy
Location: Toronto
Starts: November 28, 2016
Director: Doug Liman
Producer: David Bartis, Gene Klein, Michael Pendell
BTL: Line Prod: Michael Pendell [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Cheryl Francis [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Anna Beben
Prod. Co.: GEP Productions Inc, Hypnotic, Universal Cable Productions (UCP)
Network: YouTube

Project: **Jack Ryan**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama, Spy Thriller
Location: Montreal
Starts: February 2017
Cast: John Krasinski
Director: Various
Producer: Andrew Form, Brad Fuller, Carlton Cruse, Mace Neufeld, Marcy Ross, Michael Bay
BTL: Line Prod: Robert F. Phillips [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Carlton Cuse Productions, Mace Neufeld Productions, Picrow Streaming Inc., Platinum Dunes, Skydance Media
Studio: Paramount Television
Network: Amazon Studios

Project: **Jean-Claude Van Johnson**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: January 2017
Cast: Jean Claude Van Damme
Director: Various
Producer: Dave Callahan, David Zucker, Ridley Scott
BTL: Line Prod: Diane Sabatini [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Ridley Scott Films, Scott Free Productions [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Network: Amazon Studios

Project: **Kings**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Love Story, Period
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: December 27, 2016
Cast: Halle Berry, Daniel Craig
Director: Deniz Gamze Ergüven
Producer: Charles Gillibert, Olivier Gauriat, Vincent Maraval
BTL: Line Prod: Nicolas Royer [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: CG Cinema, Front Row Films, Insiders, Wild Bunch AG

Project: **Leimert Park**
Type: Webisode
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: December 5, 2016
Director: Mel Jones
Producer: Kim Roth, Stephanie Allain [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Homegrown Pictures, MACRO

Project: **Light of My Life**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Drama, Thriller
Location: Vancouver
Starts: January 9, 2017
Director: Casey Affleck
Producer: Teddy Schwarzman
BTL: Line Prod: Peter Pastorelli [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Black Bear Pictures, The Affleck/Middleton **Project**

Project: **Lost in Space**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: Vancouver
Starts: January 23, 2017
Cast: Taylor Russell
Director: Neil Marshall
Producer: Burk Sharpless, Jon Jashni, Kevin Burns, Marc Helwig, Matt Sazama, Zack Estrin
BTL: Line Prod: Brad Van Arragon [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Lauren Stope [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Colleen Mitchell [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Applebox Entertainment, Legendary Pictures/Television, Synthesis Entertainment
Network: Netflix

Project: **Manifesto**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Docudrama
Location: Pittsburgh
Starts: January 30, 2017
Director: Greg Yaitanes
Producer: Dana Brunetti, Greg Yaitanes, John Goldwyn, Kevin Spacey, Troy Searer
BTL: Line Prod: David A. Rosemont [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Daniel E. Schneider [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Giant Pirates Entertainment, Trigger Street Productions
Studio: Lionsgate TV
Network: Discovery Communications

Project: **Marlon**
Type: Comedy
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: December 1, 2016
Cast: Marlon Wayans
Director: Andy Ackerman
Producer: Chris Moynihan, Michael Rotenberg, Rick Alvarez
BTL: Line Prod: Marc Solakian [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: 3 Arts Entertainment, Inc., Wayans Brothers Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: NBC Universal Television
Network: NBC (network)

Project: **Maze Runner: the Death Cure**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: Vancouver
Starts: March 14, 2017
Cast: Dylan O' Brien
Director: Wes Ball
Producer: Ellen Goldsmith-Vein, Lee Stollman, Marty Bowen, Wyck Godfrey
BTL: Line Prod: Joe R. Hartwick Jr. POC: Morgan Brady [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Jim Powers [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: TCF Vancouver Productions, Ltd., Temple Hill Entertainment, The Gotham Group, Inc.
Studio: 20th Century Fox

Project: **MI:6 Mission Impossible**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action
Location: London
Starts: Spring 2017
Cast: Tom Cruise, Rebecca Ferguson, Simon Pegg
Director: Christopher McQuarrie
Producer: Dana Goldberg, David Ellison, Don Granger, J.J. Abrams, Matthew Grimm
BTL: Line Prod: Denis Stewart [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Bad Robot, Skydance Productions
Studio: Paramount Pictures

Project: **Mope**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama, Sex Thriller
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: November 30, 2016
Cast: Nathan Stewart-Jarrett
Director: Lucas Heyne
Producer: Kelly Hayes, Kern Saxton [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Assembly Line Entertainment, Entertainment One / E1 Entertainment, Momentum Pictures, Saxton Cinema

Project: **Mr. Mercedes**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: South Carolina
Starts: January 17, 2017
Cast: Brendan Gleeson
Director: Jack Bender
Producer: Bart Peters, Brye Adler, Christopher Long, Gene Stein, Jack Bender, Jenna Glazier Santoianni, Marty Bowen, Tom Patricia, Wyck Godfrey
BTL: Line Prod: Tony Mark [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Christian Clarke [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: David E. Kelley Productions, Media Rights Capital (MRC), Sonar Entertainment, Temple Hill Entertainment

Project: **Naked Pursuit**
Type: Telefilm
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: North Bay, ON
Starts: November 21, 2016
Director: Monika Mitchell
Producer: Christopher Perry, Roma Roth
BTL: Line Prod: Neil Lum-Lock [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Lieann Koivukoski [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Reel World Management

Project: Office Uprising
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Dramedy, Horror
Location: Alabama
Starts: November 28, 2016
Cast: Brenton Thwaites, Jane Levy
Director: Lin Oeding
Producer: Giuila Prenna, Navid McIlhargey, Will Clevinger
BTL: Line Prod: Will Clevinger [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Jeff Shiffman [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Mind The Gap Productions, The Exchange

Project: Playing House
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: January 2017
Cast: Zach Woods, Lennon Parham, Jessica St. Clair
Director: Various
Producer: Jessica St. Clair, Lennon Parham, Ravi Nandan, Scot Armstrong
BTL: Line Prod: Keith Raskin [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Christina Sahakian Production Supervisor: Linda Morel [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: American Work Inc.
Studio: Universal Cable Productions (UCP)
Network: USA Network

Project: Preacher
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Adventure, Science Fiction
Location: Albuquerque, NM
Starts: January 30, 2017
Cast: Dominic Cooper, Ruth Negga
Director: Various
Producer: Evan Goldberg, Neal H. Moritz, Ori Marmur, Sam Caitlin, Seth Rogen, Vivian Cannon
BTL: Line Prod: Mark McNair [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Alexandra Hall [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Anne Johns [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Original Film, Point Grey Pictures, Woodridge Productions
Studio & Network: Sony Pictures Television AMC TV Network

Project: **Public Schooled**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Toronto
Starts: November 22, 2016
Director: Kyle Rideout
Producer: Adam Folk, Josh Epstein, Justine Whyte
BTL: Line Prod/UPM: Matthew Santoro [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Canadian Film Centre (CFC), Motion 58 Entertainment

Project: **Queen of the South**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Dallas, TX
Starts: January 16, 2017
Cast: Alice Bragga
Director: Various
Producer: David Friendly, Joshua John Miller, M.A. Fortin, Natalie Chaidez, Pancho Mansfield [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Friendly Films
Studio: Fox 21 Television Studios, Universal Cable Productions (UCP)
Network: USA Network

Project: **Red Sparrow**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Action, Adventure, Drama
Location: UK
Starts: January 2017
Cast: Jennifer Lawrence, Joel Edgerton
Director: Francis Lawrence
Producer: Garrett Basch, Jenno Topping, Peter Chernin, Steve Zaillian
BTL: Line Prod: Jan Foster [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Mike Saito [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Chernin Entertainment, Film Rites
Studio: 20th Century Fox

Project: **Richard Pryor: Is It Something I Said?**

Type: Feature Film

Status: Active Development

Genre: Bio-Drama

Location: Atlanta

Starts: March 2017

Cast: Kate Hudson, Nick Cannon, Mike Epps, Oprah Winfrey

Director: Lee Daniels

Producer: Bruce Cohen, Danny Strong, Forest Whitaker, Jay Z, Jennifer Pryor, Nina Yang Bongiovi

BTL: Line Prod: Ed Cathell III [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Production Supervisor: Alexandra Dimopoulos
[Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Bruce Cohen Productions, Forest Whitaker's Significant Productions, Lee Daniels Entertainment

Studio: The Weinstein Company

Project: **Second Time Around**

Type: Telefilm

Status: PrePro

Genre: Dramey

Location: Vancouver

Starts: November 28, 2016

Director: David Winning

Producer: Howard Braunstein

BTL: Line Prod: Christian Bruyere [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Howard Braunstein Films, Ltd., Second Time Films, Inc

Network: Hallmark Channel

Project: **Stan & Ollie**

Type: Feature Film

Status: Active Development

Genre: Bio-Drama, Period

Location: London

Starts: December 2016

Cast: John C. Reilly, Steve Coogan

Director: Jon Baird

Producer: Christine Langan, Eugenio Perez, Faye Ward, Gabrielle Tana, Nichola Martin

BTL: Line Prod: Jim Spencer [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Baby Cow Productions, Fable Pictures, Sonesta Films

Studio: BBC Films

Project: **Stray**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Starts: November 29, 2016
Director: Joe Sill
Producer: Eric B. Fleischman, Sean Tabibian
BTL: Line Prod: Moana Sherrill [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Diablo Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Project: **The Blacklist: Redemption**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: New York- Washington, DC
Starts: December 12, 2016
Cast: Famke Janssen
Director: Various
Producer: John A. Davis, John Eisendrath, John Fox, Jon Bokenkamp, Jonathan Filley, Laura Ann Benson, Michael Watkins
BTL: Line Prod: Kerry Orent [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Davis Entertainment Company, Woodridge Productions [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Sony Pictures Television
Network: NBC (network)

Project: **The Drone**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Crime, Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: November 28, 2016
Director: Jordan Rubin
Producer: Adam Sidman, Ana Liza Muravina, Timur Bekmambetov, Todd Breau
BTL: Line Prod: Todd Breau [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Bazelevs Productions

Project: **The First**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Bio-Drama, Period
Location: Los Angeles
Starts: November 28, 2016
Cast: Sophie Clark, Adam Fergus
Director: Jennifer DeLia
Producer: Dominick Fairbanks, Julie Pacino, Mike S. Ryan, Said Zahraoui
BTL: Line Prod: Bruce Wayne Gillies [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Poverty Row Entertainment, Unofficially Unlimited

Project: **The Mountain Between Us**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Drama
Location: Vancouver- New Zealand
Starts: December 5, 2016
Cast: Idris Elba, Kate Winslet
Director: Hany Abu-Assad
Producer: David Ready, Dylan Clark, Jenno Topping, Peter Chernin
BTL: Line Prod: Becki Cross Trujillo [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Michele Picard [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Penny Gibbs [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Chernin Entertainment
Studio: Fox 2000

Project: **The Strain**
Type: Episodic
Status: PrePro
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: New York - Toronto
Starts: November 30, 2016
Cast: Corey Stoll, Kevin Durand, John Hurt
Director: Various
Producer: Carlton Cuse, Chuck Hogan, Gary Unger, Guillermo Del Toro, J. Miles Dale
BTL: Line Prod: J. Miles Dale [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Marie-Claude Harnois UPM: Dennis V. Chapman [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Del Toro Productions, Exile Entertainment, Mirada
Network: FX Networks / FXX

Project: **There's Johnny**

Type: Episodic

Status: Active Development

Genre: Bio-Drama, Period

Location: Los Angeles

Starts: January 6, 2017

Director: David Gordon Green

Producer: Brian Volk-Weiss [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Cisco Henson [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#), Evan Shapiro, Matt Ochacher, Michael Pelmont

Prod. Co.: New Wave Entertainment, Nuance Productions, Rough House Pictures

Network: Seeso

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