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Productions

Project : 12/24
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Family, Fantasy
Location: Toronto
Start Date: Jan 17, 2018
Director: Clay Kaytis
Producer: Chris Columbus, David Guggenheim, Mark Radcliffe, Michael Bamathan
BTL: AUPM: Jessica Cheung [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Line Prod: Lyn Lucibello-Brancatella [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Justin Beck [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: 1492 Pictures, Madhouse Entertainment, Zagtig Films
Studio: Netflix

Project : **Animal Kingdom**
Type: Episodic
Status: Active Development
Genre: Teen Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: January, 2018
Cast: Ellen Barkin
Director: Various
Producer: Andrew Stearn, Jinny Howe, John Wells
BTL: Line Prod: Alan Connell [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: John Wells Productions [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Studio: Warner Horizon Television
Network: TBS/Turner Network Television (TNT)

Project : **Butterfly in the Typewriter**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Bio-Drama, Period
Location: New Orleans
Start Date: Feb 1, 2018
Cast: Susan Sarandon, Cary Elwes, Thomas Mann
Director: David DuBos
Producer: David DuBos, Oley Sassone, Peter Elson
BTL: Line Prod: Oley Sassone [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Louisiana Producers Film Source, The Solution Entertainment Group

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Project : **Carbonaro Effect**
Type: Comedy
Status: Active Development
Genre: Reality
Location: Chicago
Start Date: February, 2018
Cast: Michael Carbonaro
Director: TBD
Producer: Nathan Fields, Russell Arch, Simon Fields
BTL: UPM: Vanessa Barzola [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Fields Entertainment, Simon Says Kevin Does LLC
Network: TruTV

Project : **Cochran (aka Signal Hill)**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Crime
Location: Atlanta
Start Date: January, 2018
Cast: Jamie Foxx, Anthony Mackie, Elizabeth Banks
Director: Taylor Hackford
Producer: Jason Spire, Jeff Kwatinetz, Kevin McKeon, Robbie Brenner
BTL: Line Prod: Gabriela Revilla Lugo [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Inspire Entertainment, Prospect Park, Revek Entertainment, The Firm

Project : **Destroyer**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Crime
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: Dec 4, 2017
Cast: Nicole Kidman
Director: Karyn Kusama
Producer: Fred Berger, Matt Manfredi, Phil Hay
BTL: Line Prod: Nathan Kelly [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: 30West, Automatik Entertainment, Rocket Science

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Project : **Eat, Brains, Love**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Horror, Science Fiction, Thriller
Location: Baton Rouge, LA
Start Date: Nov 14, 2017
Director: Rodman Flender
Producer: James Frey, Todd Cohen, Tony Coriale, Tony DiSanto, Van Toffler
BTL: Line Prod: Jarred Coates [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Kathy Landsberg [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: DIGA Studios, Full Fathom Five, Gunpowder & Sky, Red Entertainment Group

Project : **Highwaymen**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama, Western
Location: New Orleans
Start Date: Feb 12, 2018
Cast: Woody Harrelson, Kevin Costner
Director: John Lee Hancock
Producer: Casey Silver, Jim Glander
BTL: Line Prod: Michael J. Malone [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Casey Silver Productions, Media Rights Capital (MRC)
Studio: Netflix

Project : **Inherit the Viper**
Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Crime
Location: Birmingham, AL
Start Date: Nov 27, 2017
Cast: Bruce Dern
Director: Anthony Jerjen
Producer: Benito Mueller [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Michel Merkt, Wolfgang Mueller
Prod. Co.: Barry Films

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Project : **It: Chapter Two**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Thriller
Location: Toronto
Start Date: Jan 1, 2018
Cast: Bill Skarsgard
Director: Andy Muschietti
Producer: Barbara Muschietti, Dan Lin, David Katzenberg, Roy Lee, Seth Grahame-Smith
BTL: Line Prod/UPM: Robin Reelis [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: KatzSmith Productions, Lin Pictures, TOMA
Studio: New Line Cinema

Project : **Jungle Cruise**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Adventure
Location: Atlanta - South America
Start Date: April, 2018
Cast: Dwayne Johnson
Director: Jaume Collet-Serra
Producer: Beau Flynn, Dany Garcia, John A. Davis, John Fox
BTL: APOC: Fran Smith Line Prod: Douglas C. Merrifield PS: Robert Mazaraki [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Davis Entertainment Company, Flynn Picture Company, Seven Buck Productions
Studio: Walt Disney Studios

Project : **Kecksburg**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: Kingwood, WV
Start Date: Apr 9, 2018
Director: Cody R. Knotts
Producer: Andrea Ogden, Eric Hack, Louis Oliverio, Rob Vardaro
BTL: Line Prod: Tom Flickinger [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Principalities Of Darkness

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Project : **Locke & Key**
Type: Episodic
Status: Picked Up
Genre: Drama, Fantasy
Location: Toronto
Start Date: Jan 1, 2018
Cast: Frances O'Connor
Director: Various
Producer: Barbara Muschietti, Carlton Cuse, David Ozer, Lindsey Springer, Ted Adams
BTL: Line Prod: Jose Luis Escolar [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Alexandra McKenzie [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Dennis V. Chapman [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Carlton Cuse Productions, Circle of Confusion, IDW Publishing
Network: Hulu

Project : **Love Is**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Atlanta
Start Date: Jan 18, 2018
Director: TBD
Producer: Salim Akil
BTL: Line Prod: Melissa Wylie [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Akil Productions
Studio: Warner Horizon Television
Network: OWN

Project : **Miracle Workers**
Type: Comedy
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Atlanta
Start Date: December, 2017
Cast: Daniel Radcliffe, Owen Wilson
Director: Various
Producer: Andrew Singer, Katy Jenson, Lorne Michaels
BTL: Line Prod: Paul Ganes [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Broadway Video Inc, Studio T
Network: TBS/Turner Network Television (TNT)

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Project : Orville
Type: Comedy
Status: Picked Up
Genre: Science Fiction
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Start Date: March, 2018
Cast: Seth MacFarlane, Adrienne Palicki, Scott Grimes
Director: Various
Producer: Jason Clark, Liz Heldens, Seth MacFarlane
BTL: Line Prod: Howard Griffith [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: James Williams [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) v
Prod. Co.: Fuzzy Door Productions
Studio: 20th Century Fox Television, Fox 21 Television Studios
Network: Fox (network)

Project : Rabid
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Horror
Location: Toronto
Start Date: February, 2018
Director: Jen Soska, Sylvia Soska
Producer: John Vidette, Michael Walker [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Paul Lalonde
Prod. Co.: A71 Productions, Cloud Ten Pictures, Twisted Twins Productions

Project : Semper Fi
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Crime, Thriller
Location: New Orleans - LA
Start Date: Jan 26, 2018
Cast: Sam Claflin
Director: Henry Alex Rubin
Producer: David Lancaster, Karina Miller, Matt Morow, Talal Al Abbar
BTL: Line Prod: Vicki Sotheran [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Cornerstone Films, Five By Eight Productions, Rumble Films, Sparkhouse Media

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Project : **Teachers**

Type: Comedy Pilot
Status: PrePro
Genre: Comedy
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: Nov 27, 2017
Cast: Katie O'Brien, Trevor Luce
Director: Various
Producer: Alison Brie, Ian Roberts, Jay Martel, Matt Miller, Richie Keen, William Hamm
BTL: Line Prod: Keith Raskin [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Lifeboat Productions
Network: TV Land

Project : **The Death Of Me**

Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Thriller
Location: Oahu, HI
Start Date: Feb 5, 2018
Director: Darren Lynn Bousman
Producer: Christopher D'Elia, David Buelow, David Tish [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) Lee Nelson
Prod. Co.: Dobre Films, Envision Media Arts

Project : **The Lion King**

Type: Feature Film
Status: PrePro
Genre: Adventure, Drama
Location: Los Angeles
Start Date: February, 2018
Director: Jon Favreau
Producer: John Bartnicki, Jon Favreau
BTL: Line Prod: Jeffrey Silver [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) PS: Russell Allen [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Biscayne Pictures, Fairview Entertainment
Studio: Walt Disney Studios

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Project : **The Manuscript**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Crime, Thriller

Location: New Orleans-New York

Start Date: Jan 8, 2018

Cast: Morgan Freeman

Director: John Moore

Producer: LeAnn Goff, Mark C. Williams, Mike Witherill, Sophie Kargman

BTL: LP: Christopher H. Warner [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Harrison Huffman [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Highland Film Group, MJW Films, The Fyzz Facility [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Project : **The Turning**

Type: Feature Film

Status: Active Development

Genre: Horror

Location: Ireland

Start Date: January, 2018

Cast: Mackenzie Davis

Director: Floria Sigismondi

Producer: Alan Bloomquist, John Powers Middleton, Roy Lee, Scott Bernstein, Steven Spielberg

BTL: Line Prod: Seth William Meier [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Dreamworks Studios, Vertigo Entertainment

Studio: Amblin Partners

Project : **The Umbrella Academy**

Type: Episodic

Status: PrePro

Genre: Adventure, Period, Science Fiction

Location: Toronto

Start Date: Jan 15, 2018

Director: Peter Hoar

Producer: Chris Tongue, Gerard Way, Keith Goldberg, Mike Richardson, Scott Stuber

BTL: Line Prod: Kevin Lafferty [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) POC: Janet Gayford [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: David Till [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Bluegrass Films, Dark Horse Entertainment [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Studio: Universal Cable Productions (UCP)

Network: Netflix

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Project : **The Village Idiots**

Type: Feature Film

Status: Active Development

Genre: Drama

Location: Los Angeles

Start Date: February, 2018

Cast: Justin Hartley, Robin Lord Taylor

Director: Ben Hayflick

Producer: Hal Schwartz [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Jim Wareck [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Bull Market Entertainment, Tin Or W Productions

Project : **The Wolf Hour**

Type: Feature Film

Status: PrePro

Genre: Drama, Suspense

Location: New York

Start Date: Nov 27, 2017

Cast: Naomi Watts

Director: Alistair Banks Griffin

Producer: Bailey Conway, Brian Kavanaugh-Jones, Linda Moran

BTL: Line Prod: Felipe Dieppa [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Automatik Entertainment, Belladonna Productions, Bradley Pilz, Hanway Films

Project : **Troupe Zero**

Type: Feature Film

Status: Active Development

Genre: Adventure

Location: Savannah, GA

Start Date: Jan 16, 2018

Director: Bert & Bertie

Producer: Alex Siskin, Declan Baldwin, Joyce San Pedro, Katie Mustard, Todd Black

BTL: Line Prod: Katie Mustard [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) UPM: Jonathan McCoy [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

Prod. Co.: Bertie Films, Big Indie Pictures, Escape Artists, Mustard And Co., ZHIV Productions

Studio: Amazon Studios

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Project : **Tsunami: LA**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Disaster Story
Location: Alabama
Start Date: March, 2018
Director: Simon West
Producer: Cam Cannon [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#) , Moshe Diamant, Patricia Eberle, Richard Rionda Del Castro
BTL: Line Prod: Michael Tadross, Jr.
Prod. Co.: Foresight Unlimited, Hannibal Classics, Signature Pictures

Project : **Untitled KFC Project**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Drama
Location: Toronto
Start Date: January, 2018
Cast: Annaleigh Ashford
Director: Antonio Macla
Producer: Daniel Bekerman, Ethan Lazar, Jack Lenz, Peter Abrahams
BTL: Line Prod: Daniel Bekerman [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Hoylake Inc., Lenz Entertainment, Scythia Films, Spot Up Shooter Productions

Project : **Vox Lux**
Type: Feature Film
Status: Active Development
Genre: Bio-Drama, Musical, Period
Location: New York-LA-Stockholm
Start Date: December, 2017
Cast: Rooney Mara, Jude Law
Director: Brady Corbet
Producer: Brian Young, Christine Vachon, David Hinojosa, Gary Michael Walters, Michel Litvak
BTL: Line Prod: Jacob Jaffke [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)
Prod. Co.: Bold Films, Killer Films, Sierra Affinity, Three Six Zero Group [Email address displayed for subscribers only](#)

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