## **ALPHAVILLE**



Genre: Science Fiction/Noir Drama Feature Film

Logline: "Suddenly the word is Alphaville...and a secret agent is in the breathless race against the masters of the future (1965)."

Produced by: Frank Byers and Vincent Palomino, Ville LLC, Los Angeles, CA, U.S.A.

Original Film Produced in 1965 - All Rights Owned by Ville LLC

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**Production Company Partner:** Participant Media **U.S.A. Distribution:** Paramount Pictures

## STUDIOCANAL

**European Distribution:** Studio Canal (England, France, Germany) Australia/New Zealand: Studio Canal

Written by: Frank Byers (C.S.I. NY, Twin Peaks) and Franc Reyes (Brother Bear, Mulan, Tarzan)

**Director:** Frank Byers

Producers: Tom Hayes (SVP, Paramount Pictures), Vincent Palomino (Mercy, Elsewhere, also a famous Key Grip)

**Line Producer: Mike Nelson** (Hot Tub Time Machine, Idiocracy, League of Extraordinary Gentlemen) **Costume Designer: Ruth Myers** (L.A. Confidential, The Golden Compass, The Addams Family, Emma) Music Producer: Jack Douglas (John Lennon & Yoko Ono, Double Fantasy, Grammy Album of the Year)

## **Desired Talent:**

**Lead Actor** 









**Lead Actresses** 



Lea Seydoux



**Emma Watson** 

John Cusack Jake Gyllenhaal Johnny Depp

(All three Lead Actors currently have copies of the script)







Additional Talent: **Tim Roth** Deborah Kara Unger John Leguizamo

Filming Location: Prague, Czech Republic Post-Production: Periscope PA, Chicago, IL

**Casting:** Claire Best & Associates





**Budget:** \$9.4 Million U.S.D.; \$8 Million hedge fund pending deposit.

**Investment buy-ins for initial funding:** \$2 Million-\$4 Million Private Equity

Tax Incentives: 30% tax credit in IL, U.S.A., Czech Republic 20% rebate on expenditure in the country; eligible

spend limit to 80% of total budget

Comps:	Budget	<b>Worldwide Gross</b>
Twelve Monkeys	\$29,000,000 USD	\$168,839,459 USD
Divergent	\$85,000,000 USD	\$288,885,818 USD
Ex Machina	\$15,000,000 USD	\$36,869,414 USD
Underworld	\$22,000,000 USD	\$95,708,457 USD

### **Time Line:**

Pre-Production - March-August 2016 Production - 40 Days: September-November 2016 Post-Production - January-February 2017

## **SENTIENT**



Genre: Science Fiction Drama, Episodic Series

**Logline:** When an alien life form overtakes the planet and most of the human population is destroyed, a sudden new species of "Sentient" beings come in to inhabit the best of human "real estate."

**Pilot Season:** 1 Hour 30 Min Pilot, 5 x 1 Hour Episodes

Pilot Location: Sydney, Australia

Additional Seasons and Locations (In Development): Chicago/Los Angeles, U.S.A.; Lagos, Nigeria; Berlin, Germany; Moscow, Russia (Other locations are open to suggestion, including

Japan, Brazil, Colombia, and India)

**Directors:** Each Season/Location will have a different set of directors.

Produced by: David Steinhoff, Presence Global Entertainment, PTY LTD Australia; Xavier O. LeBlanc, Ryan Gendel, Maisha I and Katheryn Swann, Oma Shanti Inc.

**Desired Distribution:** Amazon, Netflix, Google Play

Interior USA Studio: CineSpace, Chicago, IL Post-Production: Periscope PA, Chicago, IL





## **Budget:**

**Pilot + first 5 episodes:** \$12,00,000 to launch in AUS; \$18,000,000 to launch in USA **Total first season launch:** \$30,000,000 USD for both seasons (12 Episodes Total)

Tax Incentives: 30% tax credit in IL, USA; 20% television credit in Australia

**Ancillaries:** Toys, Action Figures, Merchandising, Video Games, Board Games, Webisodes, Syndications, and additional location seasons.

Comps: Viewers (low to high)

Walking Dead 4.7-15.1 Million

Humans 4.9-6.8 Million (UK)

Colony 1.0-1.3 Million
Terra Nova 6.5-9.2 Million

#### Timeline:

Pre-Production - May-September 2016 Production - January 2017-February 2017 Australia; March 2017-May 2017 USA Post-Production - March-May 2017 Scheduled to Release - Fall 2017

Sentient features the same story, played-out all over the world. It is a disruptive approach to development, production, sales and marketing of TV content



## **CHIRON**



Genre: Science Fiction Comedy, 3 Feature Films

**Logline**: A runaway teenage extra-terrestrial girl comes to Earth to find refuge but ends up becoming a famous superhero vigilante, rescuing victims from injustice.

Produced by: Silver Spark Films

Written by: Basil Moore (Einstein: A Prelude (winner at 2014 Cannes Film Festival), Detroit 1-8-7, Jerico,

The C Gate, Fall of Tyranny)

**Director: Basil Moore** 

Producers: Ilya Salkind, Carole Joyce, David Green, Callum Green Stunt Choreography: Phil Tan (Transformers, Inception, Rush Hour)

Alien Design and Costumes: Christian Cordella (Jurassic World, Thor, Insurgent)

## **Desired Talent:**







**Chloe Grace Moretz** 



Jessica Alba



**Dove Cameron** 



**Mark Strong** 



**Cast Members with Written Interest:** 



**Malcolm McDowell** 



Jane Seymour



**Jeff Bridges** 



**Natalie Burn** 



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**Dwight Yoakam** 

Film Locations: 98% interior

**Post-Production:** WETA Digital (Lord of the Rings)



**Budget:** \$42 Million U.S.D. for 3 films (\$2 Million U.S.D. first film—equipment has been donated to the

company for filming; \$20 Million U.S.D. each Episode 2 and 3)

Tax Incentives: Based on locations.

Ancillaries: Toys, Action Figures, Merchandising, Teen Marketing; Trilogy rights.

Comps:	Budget	Worldwide Gross
Twilight	\$37,000,000 USD	\$393,616,788 USD
Kick-Ass	\$30,000,000 USD	\$96,188,903 USD
Maze Runner	\$34,000,000 USD	\$348,319,861 USD
Hunger Games	\$78,000,000 USD	\$694,394,724 USD

### Timeline:

Pre-Production - March-June 2016
Production - July-September 2016; 70 days per film

Post-Production - January-March 2017

Scheduled Release Episode 1 - Palm Springs International Film Festival, June 2017



## **BLACK ALPHA**



**Genre:** Science Fiction Fantasy/Graphic Novel; 3D Animated Episodic Television

**Logline:** A hero appears in the Fringe of the Galaxies, one of the remaining Guardsmen, who fights for justice as he begins his journey to avenge his family.

Produced by: Tom Rasch, Katheryn Swann, Ryan Gendel and Xavier LeBlanc, Maisha I and

**Oma Shanti Inc.** 

Created and Written by: Tom Rasch

**Director:** Various

**Desired Voice Over Talent** (3D Animation Series or Movie):



Black Alpha: Charlie Cox



**Armie Hammer** 



**Nathan Fillion** 



Nikki Reed



Morena Baccarin



Autto: Rami Malek

Kai-Ray Rann: Eliza Dushku



**Phil LaMarr** 



**Alan Tudyk** 

**Desired Production Partners:** To Be Decided **Post-Production/Animation:** To Be Decided

Desired Distribution: Amazon, Netflix

Budget Per Episode: \$2-3 Million USD for Animation

**Ancillaries:** Black Alpha is already in Graphic Novel form; Comic Book industry ancillaries include action figures, spacecraft toys, video games, board games, 2D and 3D spin-offs and sequels; Convention marketing include t-shirts, posters, costumes, special edition graphic novels, and additional merchandising. (There is already a fan base, Sheldon on Big Bang Theory has worn a shirt with the logo)

Comps:

Avatar: The Last Airbender Dragonball Z Kai Wolverine and the X-Men Star Wars Rebels

"Spark of Rebellion" Movie

Views (low to high)

3.5-5.5 Million 2-3.4 Million 3.5 Million 400,000-1 Million

2.7 Million

### Timeline:

Pilot Pre-Production - April-July 2016 Series Production - July-September 2016 Series Post-Production - October-December 2016 Scheduled Release - January 2017



## **BUDDY**



**Genre:** Family Animated Feature Film

Logline: "A WILD tale from the Old West, straight from the horse's mouth...."

Produced by: Ghost Town Pictures LLC Written by: Avi Das and Steve Sessions

Director of Animation: Eric Armstrong (Jurassic Park, Hunger Games, Harry Potter, Spiderman, Ju-

manji, Casper)

**Producers: Scott Ross** (Digital Domain Inc.-Titanic, LucasArts Entertainment), **Avi Das** (Spiderman, X-Men, Silence of the Lambs, The Manchurian Candidate)

President of Production: Anan Bay (Fast & Furious series)

Miniature Effects: Gene Warren Jr. (Terminator, The Abyss, True Lies)

**Production Designer: Barry Jackson** (The Nightmare Before Christmas, Shrek, The Grinch, Coraline)

Caricature Artist: Court Jones (Mad Magazine)

**Character Design: David Coleman** (Monster House, Polar Express)

#### **Desired Talent:**



Buddy: Will Smith



Tex: Leonardo DiCaprio



Redd: Justin Timberlake



Marisol: Salma Hayek

**Animation Location:** Los Angeles, CA, USA **Post-Production: Ghost Town Pictures LLC** 

Ancillaries: Toys, Video Games, Board Games, Comic Books, Action Figures, Marketing Posters, Char-

acter Brand Merchandising, and Sequels.

Budget: \$70 Million U.S.D.

**Tax Incentives:** 25% tax credits

Comps:	Budget	<b>Worldwide Gross</b>
Despicable Me	\$69,000,000	\$543,113,985
Minions	\$74,000,000	\$1,159,398,397
Rango	\$135,000,000	\$245,724, 603
The Lorax	\$70.000.000	\$348.840.316

#### Timeline:

Pre-Production - August-December 2016 Production - January-August 2017 Post-Production - September 2017-July 2018 Scheduled Release - December (Christmas) 2018



# **SQUATTER'S HANDBOOK**



Genre: Young Adult/Coming-Of-Age Drama

**Logline:** "Based on the Director's own life story of being thrown out of a private boarding school in England at the age of 15 when her parents divorced and failed to pay her tuition, she ended up on the streets of Brixton in London in the early 80's and learned to fend for herself among the squatters.

Written by: Sarah Pirozek (Free Tibet, Worlds Apart, Crafty, Sade, Sonic Cinema)

Director: Sarah Pirozek

**Producer: Diana Phillips** (Death at a Funeral, King of New York, Joe's Apartment)

Casting: Ross Hubbard (The Search for the Portuguese Jewel, Dreamtime's Over) and Claire Best &

Associates

clairebest&associates
film & television international creative talent

#### **Desired Talent:**



Louise (17) - Lily-Rose Depp



Ramsey (58) - Idris Elba

Film Locations: Brixton, London. Post-Production: Periscope PA

Budget: \$5-10 Million USD depending upon Talent

Financing is coming from the British Film Institute (matching grant).

Tax Incentives: 25% tax rebate



# Comps: Budget Worldwide Gross The Perks of Reina A Wallflower \$13,000,000 \$23,38,4127

 The Perks of Being A Wallflower
 \$13,000,000
 \$33,384,127

 Bend It Like Beckham
 \$4,900,000
 \$76,583,333

 Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist
 \$10,000,000
 \$33,506,137

#### Timeline:

Pre-Production - May-October 2016 Production - 45 days; October-November 2016 Post-Production - November 2016 - January 2017 Scheduled Release - Sundance 2017

# **POSTER GIRL**



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Genre: Reality-Based Drama

**Logline:** "Apple pie cheerleader turned tough-as-nails machine gunner in the Iraq War, Sgt. Robynn Murray comes home to face a new kind of battle she never anticipated." The story of a U.S. female veteran overcoming PTSD by creating poetry and art.

(The original documentary was nominated for the Academy Award for Best Documentary, Short Subject, 2011. Produced by HBO.)

Produced by: Sheila Nevins (Wide Awake, Death in Gaza, Cobain: Montage of Heck, Banksy Does New

York) and Mitchell Block (Another Day in Paradise, .... No Lies, Face of a Nation)

Written by: Sara Nesson (In Between Men, Off Season, Poster Girl) and Jeff Hix (Why Paper is Made

From Trees!, The Syrian Slaughter, The Real Life Bond Girl!: Krystyna Skarbek)

Director: Sara Nesson

Casting: Claire Best & Associates

Producers: Kathleen Kennedy (Shindler's List, Back to the Future, Jurassic Park, The Sixth Sense) and

**Penny Marshall** (Laverne & Shirley, The Hard Way, Big, Alice Upside Down)

**Desired Talent:** 

**Additional:** 

Robynn Murray: Shailene Woodley

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Patricia Arquette

**Jeff Bridges** 



**Morgan Freeman** 

Film Locations: New Mexico
Post-Production: Periscope PA
Budget: \$12-15 Million based on Talent

Tax Incentives: 25% tax credit in NM, USA.



Comps: Budget Worldwide Gross

American Sniper\$58,000,000\$547,426,372Zero Dark Thirty\$40,000,000\$132,820,716Brothers\$26,000,000\$43,318,349GI Jane\$50,000,000\$97,000,000

## Timeline:

Pre-Production - June-October 2016 Production - 60 days; December-March 2017 Post-Production - March-May 2017 Scheduled Release - May 2017

# **AMBASSADOR'S WIFE**



Genre: International Drama

**Logline:** "An American ambassador's wife who accidentally becomes a prime suspect in a suicide bombing at the embassy is forced to go undercover to prove her innocence and leave Libya."

Written by: Travis Lively (Lady Valor: The Kristin Beck Story) Christopher Luke (The Painting)

**Director: J.T. Mollner** (Outlaws and Angels, Sundance Film Festival 2015)

**Producers: Travis Lively** 

Casting: Claire Best & Associates



### **Desired Talent:**



Lead Actress: Rosamund Pike



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Lead Actors: Jake Gyllenhaal Joe Manganiello Stellan Skarsgard

Film Locations: New Mexico
Post-Production: Periscope PA

**Budget:** \$25-40 Million based on Talent

**Tax Incentives:** 25% tax credit



Comps:	Budget	<b>Worldwide Gross</b>
Argo	\$44,000,000	\$232,325,503
Constant Gardner	\$25,000,000	\$82,466,670
The Interpreter	\$80.000.000	\$162.944.923

#### Timeline:

Pre-Production - August-November 2016 Production - Up to 90 days; March-June 2017 Post-Production - July-September 2017 Scheduled Release - December (Christmas) 2017

# HERE COMES THE GROOM



**Genre:** Documentary-Reality Television

**Logline:** Following the lives of three gay couples from their engagement to their ceremony, each episode defines the joys and difficulties of creating an American gay wedding.

Produced by: Michael Dudko (Zombie Pizza, Kids Rights) and Evgeny Afineevsky (Academy Award

Nominee for Best Documentary Film 2016: Winter On Fire)

**Director: Evgeny Afineevsky** 

Producers: Michael Dudko, Chloe Joelle Host and Wedding Planner: Chloe Joelle

#### **Desired Talent:**







**David Burtka** 

**Caitlyn Jenner** 

**Ellen Degeneres** (for Production)

Film Locations: Pilot Season - Los Angeles and San Francisco, California, USA

Post-Production: Periscope PA

**Desired Distribution:** Amazon, Netflix, A&E **Budget:** \$250,000 for the Pilot Episode

Tax Incentives: 25% tax credit in California, USA



Comps:

Married At First Sight Queer Eye for the Straight Guy

True Life

Views (Low-High) 2.1-2.7 Million 1.8-3.3 Million

### Timeline:

Pre-Production - March-May 2016 Production - May-August 2016

Post-Production - September-October 2016

Scheduled Release - January 2017



# L.A. AIR / LOST AND FOUND



**PRIMAL**FOCUS

**Genre:** Action/Adventure Dramatic Episodic Series (Family-Friendly)

**Logline: L.A. Air:** "Ex special forces pilot struggles to keep his private air charter pilot company, L.A. Air, afloat as he is haunted by his military past; taking a mysterious deal to clear his name and right a past wrong, he runs covert ops in exchange for a company bailout to access the information that could redeem his life."

**Lost and Found:** "An ex-military helicopter pilot and treasure hunter seeks an illusive lost treasure that challenges his abilities and he must confront his inner demons to find what is lost in his own life."

Produced by: **Primal Focus Productions** 

Created by: Brad McCabe (Transformers, Georgia Rule, Retroactive, Midnight Ride) &

Greg King (Paddington, Love Me Do, We Still Kill the Old Way, Shadow Industry) Executive Producers

2nd Unit Director: Brad McCabe

**Producers: Greg King** 

Written by: James Frye (Grove Lake) and Stuart Voytilla (Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, The Death of Poe,

The Sorcerer of Stonehenge School, TV Face)

## **Desired Talent:**



**Rob Bailey, Showrunner** (CSI-NY, Gotham, Grimm)

Film Locations: Los Angeles, CA; Spin-off Series - Dominican Republic

Post-Production: Periscope PA

**Desired Distribution:** CBS, Fox, Amazon, Netflix

Budget: \$9 Million Pilot; 22-23 Episodes for Fall 2017-Spring 2018

Tax Incentives: 25% tax rebate in California; 40% tax rebate in Dominican Republic



Comps: Views (Low-High)

NCIS: Los Angeles 7.6-18.7 Million Hawaii 5-0 7.2-14.2 Million CSI: Miami 7.9-23.1 Million

#### Timeline:

Pre-Production - October-November 2017 Production - January-May 2017(Starting TV Series Pilot Week) Post-Production - May-June 2017

Scheduled Release - Fall 2017