Problem statement

Develop a machine learning model that, when provided with a random input image, can accurately identify and output the top five actors or actresses from a predefined dataset who most closely resemble the individual in the input image. The model should also provide the corresponding similarity scores for these top five matches.

Approach

- 1. Collect images of various actors and actresses and label them.
- 2. Use a pre-trained CNN for feature extraction.
- 3. Then convert the images into feature vectors (embeddings) using the trained model.
- 4. Store these embeddings in an index for later use.
- 5. Implement a similarity search mechanism using KNN to retrieve most similar embeddings from the index.
- 6. For any given input image, preprocess the image and extract its embedding using the trained model.
- 7. Perform the similarity search against the indexed embeddings.
- 8. Output the top five matches along with the similarity scores.

