

Bruna Marquezine joins actors' strike and asks fans for support to promote movie

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About to **debut in North American cinema with the film "Blue Beetle"**, **Bruna Marquezine** decided to join the **Hollywood actors' strike**. The actress published, this Friday (14), a message of support to the initiative.

"As of midnight tonight, Pacific time, the SAG-AFTRA actors' union strike will take effect. I will always be on the side of initiatives that fight for the progress of the artistic community, whether in my country or abroad ", announced the Brazilian.

Despite the support, Bruna showed concern about the situation of her movie and asked for the help of her followers. "As the actors can no longer participate in any disclosure of their projects until the end of the strike, the support of the fans will be essential to bring visibility and the recognition that 'Blue Beetle' deserves. I will always be grateful to my 'Blue Beetle' family, cast and crew. I'm with you," she said.

The Hollywood actors' union (SAG-AFTRA) went on strike this Friday (14), joining the screenwriters, who have been paralyzed for two months. The organization says that negotiations with the studios have not made progress in meeting demands such as wage increases and the threat posed by the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in audiovisual productions.

"Blue Beetle" is scheduled to open in theaters on August 17. Alongside actor Xolo Maridueña, Bruna Marquezine is the first Brazilian to star in a film based on DC Comics.

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How the 1980 actors' strike affected movies and television

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Almost, almost on the same day as today, July 21 instead of July 13, **an actors' strike began in 1980 that kept Hollywood in suspense for three long months and three days.** It was called by the Screen Actors Guild (SAG) and the American Federation of Television and Radio Artists (or AFTRA), entities merged since 2012 into SAG-AFTRA, which is now preparing to join the screenwriters' strike that began more than two months ago.

In 1980, the demands were not so different from those of 2023: **the unions were seeking an improvement in the salary conditions of their members (specifically, 35%), in addition to demanding a share of the profits derived from videocassette releases and the then emerging pay TV.**

During the time of the uprising, film and television production came to an almost complete halt. Among the films affected were **'How to Eliminate Your Boss'**, that portrait of office life with Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin and Dolly Parton, or **'The Lying Eye'**, a thriller with William Hurt and Sigourney Weaver as, respectively, a humble janitor and the beautiful reporter he tricks with an exclusive to get closer to her. **Tom Selleck** was eager to break through with **'Magnum'** (after having to give up Indiana Jones himself), but the start of filming on the series was halted by the strike and the actor had to work as a handyman to pay the rent on the cottage he had already rented in Hawaii.

Emmy boycott

On the other hand, an emblematic event lost all its luster. The Emmy Awards ceremony on September 7 was boycotted by the unions, resulting in a glaring absence of TV stars from the show. Of the 52 nominated performers, only one showed up for the event: **Powers Boothe**, perhaps because he knew he was going to win for his starring role in a CBS miniseries about Reverend Jim Jones and the mass suicide of 900 people in Guyana. Boothe's can be called social suicide. "[Coming here] is either the bravest or the stupidest thing I must have done in my entire career," he said in his thank-you speech.

One of the winners in all this was, curiously, astronomer **Carl Sagan**: it is possible that his educational program **'Cosmos'**, **premiered in the United States during the strike**, would not have had the same audience success at a time of greater competition and with new fiction titles instead of so many reruns.

Viewers were kept in suspense, for example, as to who the hell had shot J.R. Ewing(**Larry Hagman**) in **'Dallas'**. The planned dates for the fall premiere season, the most important of the year at the time, were totally disrupted, and it was not until the end of November that we learned that the shooter was Kristin Shepard(**Mary Crosby**), J.R.'s lover and sister-in-law.

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All the TV Shows and Movies Affected by the Actors Strike (Updating)

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The SAG-AFTRA strike has shut down scores of film and TV productions as actors hit the picket line. While many sets had already shut down as a result of the WGA writers strike, the actors strike will effectively slow Hollywood down to a crawl as negotiations with the Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers continue.

Read Variety's list of newly halted productions below, which will be updated throughout the strike.

Beetlejuice 2

The Tim Burton production, with Michael Keaton reprising his role as the crude ghost, is almost done with shooting in London but was still expected to film one last sequence in Vermont when the strike took place.

The Day of the Jackal

Eddie Redmayne and Lashana Lynch star in this Sky and Peacock series that was shooting around Central and Eastern Europe.

Deadpool 3

The superhero sequel was filming in the U.K., with Hugh Jackman reprising his role as Wolverine alongside Ryan Reynolds.

Gladiator 2

The action sequel, starring Paul Mescal, Denzel Washington and Pedro Pascal, was filming in Morocco. It was about two-thirds of the way done with shooting and had finished work in its Malta location.

Juror #2

The Clint Eastwood drama about a murder trial was shooting in Savannah, Ga., but will suspend production. The cast includes Nicholas Hoult, Toni Collette, Zoey Deutch, Kiefer Sutherland and Leslie Bibb.

Lilo & Stitch

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The live-action adaptation of the 2002 animated Disney movie was filming on Oahu in Hawaii. Directed by Dean Fleischer Camp from a script by Chris Kekaniokalani Bright, production was reportedly set to wrap in early August.

Minecraft

The video game adaptation starring Jason Momoa was expected to begin shooting next month in New Zealand.

Mission: Impossible - Dead Reckoning Part Two

The Tom Cruise sequel has completed work on most of its major action sequences but still has more filming to do. The production was on a scheduled hiatus while Cruise, writer-director Christopher McQuarrie and the rest of the cast promoted "Dead Reckoning Part One," which opened in theaters this week.

Mortal Kombat 2

The video game sequel was filming in Australia.

Venom 3

The third chapter of the Tom Hardy antihero saga has paused filming, as the crew working on the film was given notice on Monday in anticipation of the strike.

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Tens of thousands of Hollywood actors are set to go on strike. It comes after last-ditch talks between their union Sag-Aftra and streaming giants broke down.

The union represents 160,000 actors including some of the biggest names in Hollywood. The strike comes after the union was unable to agree a deal for a fairer split of streaming profits for stars, and a guarantee that AI will not be used to replace duties performed by actors.

It is the first "double strike" of actors and writers since 1960, and means almost all US film and TV productions could grind to a halt. That includes Gladiator 2, Wonder Woman 3 and the next installments of the Avatar franchise.

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[Margot Robbie 'fined' Barbie crew for not following strict rule](#)

The cast of Oppenheimer has already walked out of the UK premiere to show support. Peaky Blinders star Cillian Murphy was joined by Emily Blunt, Florence Pugh, Matt Damon and Rami Malek as they walked the red carpet an hour earlier than scheduled in order to join the walkout.

And other shows have also been hampered. Work on dramas and comedies has already ground to a halt in Los Angeles, according to FilmLA, which issues film permits.

Some of the shows reported to have been shut down include The Handmaid's Tale and Stranger Things. While there will still be a steady flow of films in theaters, as movies take two to three years to produce, some movies which are shooting now are also reportedly affected.

Future releases, such as Marvel's "Blade" and "Thunderbolts," have been delayed and more are expected to be put on hold, Reuters says.

Hollywood actors strike and the TV shows and movies delayed

Writers have already been striking for several months outside the studios of major streamers including Disney, Netflix and Paramount. Actors like Lily Tomlin and Jane Fonda have supported writers on the picket line.

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Thousands of Hollywood film and television actors may go on strike from Thursday, joining writers who walked off the job 11 weeks ago. How would a walkout by the Screen Actors Guild and the American Federation of Television and Radio Artists (SAG-AFTRA) affect viewers' favorite shows and movies?

Which films and television shows would be hit?

A walkout by actors would stop all production of film and scripted television shows in the United States, except for independent productions that are not covered by labor contracts with unions.

Work on dramas and comedies has already ground to a halt in Los Angeles, according to FilmLA, which issues film permits. Production on *Stranger Things*, *The Handmaid's Tale* and other shows have shut down.

What will the fall TV season look like?

Broadcast networks including Fox FOXA.O and Walt Disney Co's DIS.N ABC have announced fall lineups heavy with reality shows, which are not affected by the strikes. ABC will air re-runs of hit comedy *Abbott Elementary* and Fox will feature an animated comedy that was already completed.

Striking Writers Guild of America (WGA) members walk the picket line in front of Netflix offices in Los Angeles, California, US, July 12, 2023. (credit: REUTERS/MIKE BLAKE)

Fresh seasons of comedies and dramas that typically start in September will likely be delayed.

What about streaming services?

Netflix NFLX.O, Amazon.com Inc's AMZN.O Prime Video and other streaming services can continue to supply local-language shows made in places such as Korea and India. But their Hollywood productions would be paused.

What programming is safe from the strikes?

News programs will continue as normal because their writers are covered by a different union. The same is true for unscripted reality shows such as *Big Brother* and *The Bachelor*.

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What about movies?

The flow of films to theaters is protected from an immediate hit because movies take two to three years to produce. But future releases, such as Marvel's Blade and Thunderbolts, have been delayed and more are expected to be put on hold until the labor conflicts are resolved.

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Ted Lasso star Jason Sudeikis and other top movie and TV actors joined picket lines alongside screenwriters Friday on the first full day of a walkout that has become Hollywood's biggest labour fight in decades.

Sudeikis was among the picketers outside NBC in New York. Lord of the Rings star Sean Astin joined chanting protesters outside Netflix's offices in Hollywood. Also present at Netflix were Titanic and Unforgiven actor Frances Fisher and The Nanny star Fran Drescher, who is president of the Screen Actors Guild-American Federation of Television and Radio Artists.

The actors' arrival energized the picket lines outside Netflix, where music blared and the sidewalks were packed with demonstrators.

Elsewhere, Once Upon a Time actor Gennifer Goodwin was among the protesters outside Paramount Pictures.

The walkout is the first double-barrelled strike by actors and screenwriters in more than six decades. The dispute immediately shut down production across the entertainment industry after talks for a new contract with studios and streaming services broke down.

The famous faces of Oscar and Emmy winners will likely be seen with some regularity on picket lines in New York and Los Angeles, adding star power to the demonstrations outside studios and corporate offices.

In recent weeks, many actors made a show of solidarity with writers, who walked out in May. Now 65,000 members of the actors' union have formally joined them on strike.

The two guilds have similar issues with studios and streaming services.

They are concerned about contracts keeping up with inflation and about residual payments, which compensate creators and actors for use of their material beyond the original airing, such as in reruns or on streaming services. The unions also want to put up guardrails against the use of artificial intelligence mimicking their work on film and television.

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Drescher delivered a fiery rebuke of studios and streaming services when announcing union leaders' unanimous vote to strike Thursday.

"We are being victimized by a very greedy entity," Drescher said Thursday. "I am shocked by the way the people that we have been in business with are treating us. I cannot believe it, quite frankly, how far apart we are on so many things. How they plead poverty, that they're losing money left and right when giving hundreds of millions of dollars to their CEOs."

No talks are planned, and no end is in sight for the work stoppage. It is the first time both guilds have walked off sets since 1960, when then-actor Ronald Reagan was SAG's leader.

The Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers, which represents employers including Disney, Netflix, Amazon and others, has lamented the walkout, saying it will hurt thousands of workers in industries that support film and television production.

The actors' strike will affect more than filming. Stars will no longer be allowed to promote their work through red carpet premieres or personal appearances. They cannot campaign for Emmy Awards or take part in auditions or rehearsals.

While international shoots technically can continue, the stoppage among U.S.-based writers and performers is likely to have a drag on those, too.

The writers' strike immediately shut down late-night talk shows and Saturday Night Live, as well as several scripted shows that have either had their writers' rooms or production paused, including Stranger Things on Netflix, Hacks on Max and Family Guy on Fox. Many more are sure to follow them now that performers also have been pulled.

According to the strike order, all SAG-AFTRA members were instructed to "cease rendering all services and performing all work covered by the TV/Theatrical Contracts."

The order said that, aside from some exceptions, "covered services" and other work under those contracts must be withheld, including principal on-camera work, principal off-camera work, background work and stand-in work.

Principal on-camera work is defined as a broad range of performance work, including acting, singing and dancing, as well as stunt work, motion-capture performance and puppeteering.

Principal off-camera work includes voice acting, singing and narration, as well as working on TV and film trailers. And background work includes costume fittings, camera tests and wardrobe tests.

Perhaps most potentially damaging to upcoming events involving SAG-AFTRA talent, the strike order also forbids promotion and publicity work covered under the contracts, including conventions, festivals, award shows, podcast appearances, junkets and fan expos. The actors must also not promote covered Hollywood projects on social media. The Associated Press, with additional reporting by The Washington Post

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Chris Pizzello, The Associated Press; An advertisement for streaming service Paramount+ appears above striking writers and actors at rally outside Paramount studios in Los Angeles on Friday. This was the first day actors formally joined the line, more than two months after writers began striking.;

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