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Seven secures broad range of content from NBCUniversal through multi-year volume deal

Australia's most-watched television network has entered into an exciting, new multi-year content partnership with one of the world's leading entertainment and media companies.

The agreement between Seven Network and NBCUniversal Global Distribution will bring NBCUniversal's (NBCU) extraordinary content portfolio to all Australians, live and free.

As part of this significant agreement, Seven will acquire all of NBCU's scripted network and cable dramas and comedies for years to come. This will include exciting new series such as Universal Television's **Quantum Leap**, the sequel of the legendary series starring Raymond Lee, Ernie Hudson, Caitlin Bassett, Mason Alexander Park and Nanrissa Lee; and **Lopez vs. Lopez**, a working-class family comedy about dysfunction, reconnection and all the pain and joy in between, starring George Lopez and Mayan Lopez. Both **Quantum Leap** and **Lopez vs. Lopez** will debut on Channel 7 next year.

Meanwhile on [7plus](#), viewers will soon be able to watch **The Endgame**. Also from Universal Television, **The Endgame** is a propulsive, high-stakes thriller from Justin Lin, director of *Fast & Furious*. When a recently captured criminal mastermind, Elena Federova (Morena Baccarin), orchestrates several highly coordinated bank heists throughout New York City for a mysterious purpose, it falls to principled FBI agent Val Turner (Ryan Michelle Bathé), to thwart Elena's ambitious plan and reveal the truth before it's too late. The gripping heist drama reveals how far some people will go for love, justice and the most valuable commodity in the world: the truth.

In addition, viewers will be able to watch an extraordinary line-up of library and classic scripted dramas from NBCU's stellar catalogue on 7plus.

This deal also ensures that Channel 7 will be the new free-to-air home in Australia to NBCU's remarkable library of blockbuster movies including **F9**, **The Boss Baby: Family Business**, and **Spirit Untamed**.

Seven West Media Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, James Warburton, said: "We are honoured and excited to partner with NBCUniversal to bring its world-class content to our viewers.

"NBCUniversal is a global content powerhouse and the creator of some of the best-known and most-loved entertainment brands in the world, across television and film. We can't wait to bring them and much more to Seven and 7plus."



Seven Chief Content Officer, Entertainment Programming, Angus Ross, said: “NBCUniversal has a remarkable pipeline of content, and we are delighted to announce this new agreement.

“For Seven, it means access to an amazing library of new and classic content. For 7plus, in particular, it brings a whole new world of must-watch series and movies. Australians already love NBCUniversal’s great content, and we know they are going to love watching it across the screens of Seven.”

Chris Taylor, MD, NBCUniversal International Networks & Direct-to-Consumer and Distribution, Australia & New Zealand, said: “We are delighted to have established such a broad and innovative partnership with Seven West Media. This expansive content agreement will fuel both Seven’s network of channels and 7plus with iconic scripted content from our library, while positioning Australian viewers to enjoy the best of our new network and cable product from the US, as well as our beloved feature films.”

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About Seven West Media

Seven West Media (ASX: SWM) is one of Australia’s most prominent media companies, with a market-leading presence in content production across broadcast television, publishing and digital.

The company is home to some of Australia’s most renowned media businesses, including the Seven Network and its affiliate channels 7two, 7mate, 7flix; broadcast video on demand platform [7plus](#); [7NEWS.com.au](#); *The West Australian*; and *The Sunday Times*. With iconic brands such as Australia’s leading news and breakfast programs **7NEWS** and **Sunrise, My Kitchen Rules, AGT, Big Brother, SAS Australia, Farmer Wants A Wife, The Voice, Home and Away, The Chase Australia** and **Better Homes and Gardens**, Seven West Media is also the broadcast partner of the AFL, Cricket Australia, Supercars, the Commonwealth Games and the Olympics.

About NBCUniversal Global Distribution

NBCUniversal Global Distribution is responsible for the licensing and distribution of NBCUniversal product to all forms of television and new media platforms in the U.S., Canada and in over 200



territories internationally. NBCUniversal's content portfolio includes a vast and diverse library of more than 6,500 feature films and 170,000 television episodes, including current and classic titles, non-scripted programming, kids, sports, news, long-form and short-form programming from Universal Pictures, Focus Features, Universal Television, UCP, Universal International Studios, Sky Studios, NBC Late Night properties, DreamWorks Animation, Telemundo, and more, as well as locally produced content from around the world. Global Distribution is a division of Comcast NBCUniversal.