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CANAL+ GROUP and iROKO launching SVOD service for French speaking Africa



The Android app will be available across all of French Speaking Africa, bringing 1,500 hours of affordable, premium content to millions of Francophone entertainment fans. By this, it will become the world's largest homegrown content catalogue for French Speaking Africa.

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Mediaset screening in the EP



The European Parliament will host the screening of "Call me Francesco" on 15 March (18.00), a biopic of Joerge Bergoglio directed by Daniele Lucchetti and produced by Taodue/Mediaset group. "Call me Francesco" retraces the Holy Father's life from his youth to the 13th of March 2013, the day of his election as Pontiff. A fascinating and engaging story about the long path that led the son of Italian immigrants in Argentina, Jorge Bergoglio, from his vocation through the dark period of the military dictatorship and his mission in Buenos Aires suburbs, to become the leader of the entire Catholic Church. A film with an International cast, an Italian Director, dedicated to the first American pope, a figure unifying very diverse parts of the world, languages, generations, cultures and social classes.

MTG shortlisted for Mandela Innovation Awards

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Among over 360 submissions from around the world, MTG has been one of the five shortlisted nominees in category Brave Philanthropy for its "Game Changers" campaign. This year The Nelson Mandela – Graça Machel Innovation Awards is celebrating the 11th year of awarding civil society activists and organisations for their excellence, innovation, and brave risk-taking. Winners will be announced by the end of this month.

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26 new Athlete Mentors joining Sky Academy



These new UK mentors include sports stars from athletics, football and swimming, who will join more than 90 Athlete Mentors already supporting the initiative. Sky Academy is using the power of TV, creativity and sport to help young people develop life-skills, build confidence and unlock their potential. The broadcaster's target is to enable support for one million young people in the UK and Ireland by 2020.

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