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About ACT

The Association of Commercial Television in Europe (ACT) is a trade body for the commercial broadcasting sector in Europe. Formed in 1989, the ACT has 27 member companies active in 37 European countries, operating and distributing several thousand free-to-air and pay-tv channels and new media services.

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Members' Newsroom

ITV Studios acquires stake in Gomorrah producer Cattleya



ITV Studios has acquired a majority stake in leading Italian independent producer Cattleya, the company behind international hit TV dramas Gomorrah and Romanzo Criminale. This acquisition, along with ITV Studios investment in Tetra Media Studios in France and existing scripted businesses in the Nordics and Germany, place ITV Studios in a strong position to take advantage of the many opportunities for locally produced content with global appeal.

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Pro's and Con's is MTG Studios' first Danish original series



The 10-part Danish drama series Pro's and Con's is the next original production from MTG Studios. Pro's and Con's showcases a couple leading a quiet family life in the Copenhagen suburbs while trying to hide their dramatic past as Denmark's most notorious con artists. The series will premiere exclusively on MTG's Nordic streaming service Viaplay in 2018, followed by its free-TV channel TV3.

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RTL Group: Innovative news apps



The RTL School of Journalism for TV and Multimedia has hosted its second InnoLab this year. This time the participants teamed up with

product managers, software developers and graphic artists from Mediengruppe RTL Deutschland and focussed on news.

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Christmas comes to Sky Cinema with the biggest blockbusters of the year and three dedicated festive channels



Sky Cinema will be the home of Christmas this festive season with the biggest blockbusters of 2017 plus three dedicated channels: Sky Cinema Christmas, Sky Cinema Classics and Sky Cinema Musicals. With a new premiere every single day and over 1000 movies available On Demand, viewers will enjoy the best films of the year.

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UPCOMING POLICY EVENTS IN NOVEMBER

- 13-16/11/17 EP Plenary Session, Strasbourg
- 13-17/11/17 WIPO Standing Committee on Copyright and Related Rights, Geneva
- 14-16/11/17 IDATE Digiworld Summit 2017, Montpellier
- 15/11/17 Council Audiovisual Working Party, Brussels
- 21/11/17 EP LIBE Vote on Copyright (Boni), Brussels
- 21/11/17 EP JURI Vote on SatCab (Wölken), Brussels
- 21/11/17 EP JURI/IMCO vote on digital contracts (Voss/Gebhardt), Brussels
- 21/11/17 Education, Youth and Culture Council, Brussels
- 30/11-1/12 Competitiveness Council (Internal Market), Brussels

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