

SUMMARY: Database of U.S. Produced Films Based on Literary Source Material, 1998 – 2003

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PLEASE NOTE:

This summary provides Canadian book publishers and authors with insights into the market for literary adaptations while also providing Canadian film producers who specialize in literary adaptations with insights into the market for their films. The literary adaptation market is increasing dramatically and this offers the Canadian publishing and film industry a chance to capitalize on the high profile of Canadian literature and the increased interest for proven stories to adapt.

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GENERAL OVERVIEW OF LITERATURE INTO FILM

Since the early days of film producers have mined literary sources for stories to use as the basis for movie plots. Seven of the top twelve grossing pictures of all time are based on books. Fifty-two of the seventy-six Best Picture Oscars have been awarded to films based on sources other than an original screenplay, starting with 1930's *All Quiet on the Western Front*, directed by Lewis Milestone, and based on Erich Maria Remarque's novel of the same name. Of the five films nominated for Best Picture Oscar in 2004, four are based on books. Best Picture 2004 went to Peter Jackson's film of J.R.R. Tolkien's *Lord of the Rings*.

As film production costs rise, the risk of making a movie becomes greater. With the average budget hovering between \$30-\$40 million per film, producers seek ways to minimize the risk of their investment. From a business standpoint, the gamble of investing in a film is tempered by basing it on a good story with a built-in audience. Every studio loves public-domain works because there are no underlying rights to acquire.

Dickens' *Oliver Twist* has been produced for film and television twenty-one times, from J. Stuart Blackton's 1909 short to Roman Polanski's forthcoming (2005) release. William Shakespeare has over 400 movie credits; the first for an 1899 version of *King John*, directed by and starring Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree, founder of the Royal Academy of Dramatic Arts. Fifty-one movies based on Shakespeare's works have been produced in the last ten years alone.

Current best-selling authors fare well in the search for tried and true stories. Stephen King's work has been the basis for over ninety film and television pieces. Writers such as Michael Crichton, Thomas Harris, Helen Fielding and J.K. Rowling are responsible for a spate of extremely successful films. Producers look to both past and present fiction for good story ideas. Among the diverse book-based films currently in production are Troy, based on the *Iliad* by Homer, Helen Fielding's *Bridget Jones - The Edge of Reason,* Shakespeare's *Merchant of Venice*, Hans and Margaret Rey's *Curious George* and Robert Ludlum's *The Bourne Supremacy.*

According to the Hollywood Reporter's Literary Sales charts, the number of books purchased by producers has increased from 120 in 1999, to 143 in 2003, while the number of pitches purchased has dropped from a high of 160 in 2000, to a low of 88 in 2003. Spec script sales have also suffered, falling from a high of 171 in 1999, to a low of 130 in 2003. In 2003 book purchases were greater than spec script sales. The industry has become less willing to put its money into something with no proven track record. It goes without saying that bestsellers and award winners are the first to be snapped up by producers, and that books in general fare better in the difficult process known as development.

The development process occurs when a screenwriter writes a script, either original or based on other source material, addressing the notes of development executives employed by production companies with a financial interest in the film. Pitches and scripts are malleable, and everyone involved has their own ideas about what the finished product should be, so the development process can be never-ending. With a book the basic story is already in place, so there's a solid foundation to build on. The book's sales attest to the fact that the story was popular to begin with; good reviews mean it's something that critics might like.



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The trend towards literary purchases has ebbed and flowed over the years, but it is currently at a high point. The search for the elusive 'sure thing', coupled with increased production costs, has buoyed the search for novels, non-fiction books, articles, plays and comic books. Production companies and agencies are increasing their presence on the New York book scene, with new or expanded East Coast offices. DreamWorks recently opened a New York office to scout books. Paramount has a V.P of Literary Affairs in New York. Large agencies have been buying out smaller New York agencies to staff their own New York offices with experienced literary agents.

The movie business has always been cyclical and the current cycle indicates an unprecedented market for proven entities. Sales of books, comics and articles for film rights are stronger now than they have been during the last six years.





<u>TRENDS</u>

After September 11, 2001 studios and independents scrambled to figure out which films were appropriate to make and release. Finished films were put on the shelf and projects in development were looked at with a different kind of scrutiny. In 2000, 490 works (books, articles, spec scripts, pitches, comics, short stories, etc.) were purchased, according to the Hollywood Reporter's literary sales chart. In the year post September 11, only 380 were purchased. In 2003 the number rose to 420. The industry appears to be regaining some of the momentum that was lost after the psychological and economic fallout of September 11.

Looking at 2003 we see certain trends. The success of the *Harry Potter* franchise spurred increased interest in children's books. The biggest grossing film of 2003 was *Finding Nemo. Winn Dixie* is making its way to the screen, as are the Lemony Snicket books. Fantasy adventures featuring children and magic are extremely popular as everyone searches for their own *Harry Potter* franchise. Walden Media, a company that develops children's books for film and has a deal with Disney, is making *The Lion The Witch and the Wardrobe.* New Line has Phillip Pullman's *The Dark Materials Trilogy.* DreamWorks bought Phillip Kerr's *The Akhnaten Adventure.* 20th Century Fox has Christopher Paolini's Tolkien influenced *Eragon.* Once all of these works are released, it will be interesting to see how much the glut dissipates the market. Regardless, family films are gaining in popularity. Amongst recently optioned children's and young adult books are *Nim's Island, The Giver, Genie with the Light Blue Hair, Blood and Chocolate* and *Wainscott Weasel.*

'Chick Lit' has been popular since *Bridget Jones Diary* and *Sex and the City* burst onto the scene. A sequel to *Bridget* is being readied for release in November of 2004, with the same cast. More recently optioned books like *The Nanny Diaries*, *The Devil Wears Prada, Maneater* and *I Don't Know How She Does It* haven't yet made it to screen, so their success has yet to be determined. While there is always the chance that a major flop or two will slow this trend, material by, about and for women appears to have become a genre with staying power.

Comic books have always been a good source of action/adventure material, from *Flash Gordon* through *Superman* and *Batman*, right up to 2004's *Spiderman 2.* Warner Bros. has announced that it's bringing *Batman* back, and Miramax is breathing new life into *The Green Hornet.* Graphic novels are a relatively new literary genre that appears to be gaining some momentum. DreamWorks produced *Road to Perdition* from a graphic novel. New Line has just optioned John Wagner's *The History of Violence*, from the Paradox Graphic Mystery Line, for David Cronenberg to direct. Revolution Studios is developing *Zoom's Academy for the Super Gifted*, based on Jason Lethcoe's graphic novel. Every studio has comic books and graphic novels in development.

Of the films made in the last six years that are based on other source material, dramas and action/adventures have far outweighed other genres. While comedies are among the top grossing films every year, they tend to be based on original ideas; studios are more willing to buy high-concept comedy spec scripts than straight dramatic scripts. The dramas that do get made, especially the prestige films that tend to come out in the fall with the hope of garnering Oscar nominations, are increasingly based on books. Difficult stories like *Mystic River* and *House of Sand and Fog* get made because the books that they are based on have met with critical acclaim and, in many cases, have made it to bestseller lists.



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Historical epics and period pieces were difficult to get off the ground a few years ago. Most were produced abroad. The commercial and critical success of *Gladiator* has rekindled Hollywood's interest in the large-scale epic. Oliver Stone's *Alexander* and Ridley Scott's Crusades film *Kingdom of Heaven* are currently in production. While these two films are based on historical fact, a number of recent high profile movies have been adapted from novels, such as *Cold Mountain, Master and Commander, The Missing* and *Captain Corelli's Mandolin.* Many more are in development, including *Tulip Fever* and *Memoirs of a Geisha. Ghosts of Vesuvius,* based on a soon to be published book about the volcanic explosion at Pompeii, was recently optioned by James Cameron.

As the task of finding an acceptable original idea in screenplay form becomes more and more difficult, producers seek out proven commodities.

The following is a listing of U.S. produced films based on source material other than scripts and pitches, produced between 1998 and 2003.





U.S. FILMS PRODUCED BETWEEN 1998-2003 BASED ON LITERARY SOURCE MATERIAL

1998

A CIVIL ACTION 1998 Legal Drama Directed by Steven Zaillian Non-Fiction A CIVIL ACTION by Jonathon Harr Random House 1995 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Touchstone Pictures, Wildwood Enterprises **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

A PERFECT MURDER 1998

Thriller Directed by Andrew Davis Play DIAL M FOR MURDER by Frederick Knott Random House 1952 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Kopelson Entertainment **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

A SIMPLE PLAN 1998

Drama Directed by Sam Raimi Novel *A SIMPLE PLAN* by Scott B. Smith Random House 1994 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, BBC, Mutual Film Company, Savoy Pictures **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

A SOLDIER'S DAUGHTER NEVER CRIES 1998

Drama Directed by James Ivory Novel A SOLDIER'S DAUGHTER NEVER CRIES by Kaylie Jones Bantam Books 1990 **Produced by** Merchant/Ivory, Capital Films **Distributed by** October Films

AFFLICTION 1998

Drama Directed by Paul Schrader Novel *AFFLICTION* by Russell Banks Harper Collins 1989 **Produced by** JVC Entertainment, Kingsgate, Largo Entertainment **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

ANOTHER DAY IN PARADISE 1998

Crime/Drama Directed by Larry Clark Novel ANOTHER DAY IN PARADISE by Eddie Little Viking Press 1997 **Produced by** Chinese Bookie Productions **Distributed by** Tri-Mark International

APT PUPIL 1998

Drama/Thriller Directed by Bryan Singer Novella *APT PUPIL* by Stephen King Signet 1983 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Phoenix Pictures, Tri-Star Pictures, Bad Hat Harry Productions **Distributed by** Tri-Star Pictures, Sony



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BAD MANNERS 1998 Drama Directed by Jonathon Kaufer Play *GHOST IN THE MACHINE* by David Gilman Applause Theatre and Cinema Books 1996 **Produced by** Davis Entertainment, Skyline Entertainment Partners, Wavecrest **Distributed by** Phaedra Cinema

BELOVED 1998

Drama Directed by Jonathon Demme Novel *BELOVED* by Toni Morrison Alfred A. Knopf 1987 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Clinica Estetico Ltd., Harpo Films **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

BLADE 1998 Horror/Thriller/Action Directed by Stephen Norrington Graphic Novel - Based on characters from *BLADE* by Marv Wolfman & Gene Colan Marvel Comics 1972 **Produced by** New Line Cinema, Amen Ra Films, Imaginary Forces **Distributed by**

New Line Cinema

CHICAGO CAB 1998 Comedy/Drama Directed by Mary Cybulski Play *HELL CAB* by Will Kern Dramatists Play Service 1997 **Produced by** Child's Will Productions, GFT Entertainment, New Crime Productions **Distributed by** Castle Hill Productions

COUSIN BETTE 1998

Comedy/Drama Directed by Des McAnuff Play *LE COMEDIE HUMANE* by Honore de Balzac 1846 **Produced by** Fox Searchlight Pictures **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

DANGEROUS BEAUTY 1998

Historical Drama Directed by Marshall Herskowitz Novel *THE HONEST COURTESAN* by Margaret Rosenthal University of Chicago Press 1993 **Produced by** Bedford Falls Pictures, New Regency **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

DR. DOOLITTLE 1998

Fantasy/Comedy Directed by Betty Thomas Novel *THE STORY OF DR. DOOLITTLE* by Hugh Lofting 1920 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Davis Film Company, Joseph M. Singer Entertainment **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

EVERAFTER 1998

Romance/Comedy Directed by Andy Tennant Children's Book *CENDRILLON OU LA PETITE PANTOUFLE DE VERRE* by Charles Perrault Barbin 1697 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp. **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.



FEAR AND LOATHING IN LAS

VEGAS 1998 Comedy/Drama Directed by Terry Gilliam Novel FEAR AND LOATHING IN LAS VEGAS by Hunter S. Thompson Random House 1971 Produced by Universal Pictures, Rhino Pictures, Summit Entertainment Distributed by Universal Pictures

FIRST LOVE LAST RITES 1998

Drama/Romance Directed by Jesse Peretz Short Story Collection *FIRST LOVE, LAST RITES* by Ian McEwan Random House 1975 **Produced by** Forensic Films, Toast Films **Distributed by** Strand Releasing

GODS AND MONSTERS 1998

Drama/Biography Directed by Bill Condon Novel *FATHER OF FRANKENSTEIN* by Christopher Bram E.P. Dutton 1996 **Produced by** BBC, Lions Gate Films, Regent Entertainment, Showtime Networks Inc. **Distributed by**

Lions Gate Films, Universal Studios Home Video

GREAT EXPECTATIONS 1998

Drama/Romance Directed by Alphonse Cuaron Novel *GREAT EXPECTATIONS*` by Charles Dickens Chapman & Hall 1861 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

Distributed by

20th Century Fox Film Corp.

HI LO COUNTRY 1998

Western/Action Directed by Stephen Frears Novel *HI LO COUNTRY* by Max Evans MacMillan 1961 **Produced by** Polygram Filmed Entertainment, De-Fina/Cappa, Working Title Films **Distributed by** Gramercy Pictures

HIT ME 1998

Drama/Crime Directed by Steven Shainberg Novel A SWELL LOOKING BABE by Jim Thompson Lion Books 1954 **Produced by** Slough Pond **Distributed by** Castle Hill Productions

HOW STELLA GOT HER GROOVE

BACK 1998
Romance
Directed by Kevin Rodney Sullivan
Novel
HOW STELLA GOT HER GROOVE BACK
by Terry McMillan
Viking Press 1996
Produced by
20th Century Fox Film Corp.
Distributed by
20th Century Fox Film Corp.

HURLY BURLY 1998

Drama Directed by Anthony Drazan Play *HURLY BURLY* by David Rabe Grove Press 1985 **Produced by** Storm Entertainment





Distributed by Fine Line Features

ILLTOWN 1998

Crime/Drama Directed by Nick Gomez Non-Fiction *THE COCAINE KIDS: THE INSIDE STORY OF A TEENAGE DRUG RING* by Terry Willians Perseus Publishing 1989 **Produced by** The Shooting Gallery **Distributed by** The Shooting Gallery

KRIPPENDORF'S TRIBE 1998

Comedy Directed by Todd Holland Novel *KRIPPENDORF'S TRIBE* by Frank Parkin Harper Collins 1986 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

LES MISERABLES 1998

Drama/Romance/Crime Directed by Bille August Short Story *LES MISERABLES* by Victor Hugo 1862 **Produced by** Mandalay Entertainment, Tri-Star Pictures **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

LOVE WALKED IN 1998

Crime/Romance Directed by Juan Jose Campanella Novel *NE EL TIRO DEL FINAL* by Jose Pablo Feinmann Editorial Pomarie 1981 **Produced by** Apostle Pictures, JEMPSA, Triumph Films **Distributed by** Sony Pictures, Tri-Star Pictures

MADELINE 1998

Comedy/Family Directed by Daisy von Scherler Mayer Novel *MADELINE* by Louis Bemelmans Simon and Schuster 1939 **Produced by** Tri-Star Films, Jaffifilms, Madeline Films **Distributed by** Tri-Star Pictures

MASK OF ZORRO 1998

Adventure Directed by Martin Campbell Novel *MARK OF ZORRO* by Johnston McCulley All Story Weekly Pulp Fiction Series 1919 **Produced by** Amblin Entertainment, Tri-Star Pictures

Distributed by Tri-Star Pictures

MEET JOE BLACK 1998

Drama/Fantasy/Romance Directed by Martin Brest Play *LA MORTE IN VACANZA* by Alberto Casella 1924 **Produced by** City Light Films, Universal Pictures **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

MERCURY RISING 1998

Action Directed by Harold Becker Novel SIMPLE SIMON by Ryne Douglas Pearson Willliam William Morrow & Co. 1996





Produced by Imagine Entertainment, Universal Pictures Distributed by Universal Pictures

NOTES FROM THE UNDERGROUND

1998 Drama Directed by Gary Walkow Novel *NOTES FROM THE UNDERGROUND* by Fyodor Dostoevsky 1864 **Produced by** Renegade Films **Distributed by** Northern Arts Productions

ODD COUPLE II 1998 Comedy Directed by Howard Deutch Play *ODD COUPLE* by Neil Simon 1968 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Cort/Madden

Pictures **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

ONE TOUGH COP 1998

Crime/Action Directed by Bruno Baretto Biography ONE TOUGH COP by Bo Dietl & Ken Gross Pocket Books 1988 **Produced by** Patriot Pictures **Distributed by** Columbia/Tri-Star Pictures, Stratosphere Entertainment

ONE TRUE THING 1998 Drama Directed by Carl Franklin Novel *ONE TRUE THING* by Anna Quindlen Delta 1997 Produced by

Universal Pictures, Monarch Pictures, Ufland Films **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

OUT OF SIGHT 1998 Comedy/Drama/Romance Directed by Steve Soderbergh Novel OUT OF SIGHT by Elmore Leonard Viking Press 1996 Produced by Jersy Films Distributed by MCA/Universal

PALMETTO 1998 Mystery/Thriller Directed by Volker Schlondorff Novel JUST ANOTHER SUCKER by James Hadley Chase Hale; London 1961 Produced by Castle Rock Entertainment, Columbia Pictures, Rialto Films Distributed by

Columbia Pictures/Sony

PATCH ADAMS 1998

Comedy/Drama Directed by Tom Shadyac Biography *GESUNDHEIT: GOOD HEALTH IS A LAUGHING MATTER* by Hunter 'Patch' Adams Inner Traditions 1983 **Produced by** Blue Wolf, Bungalow 78 Productions **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

PERMANENT MIDNIGHT 1998

Drama/Comedy/Romance Directed by David Veloz Autobiography *PERMANENT MIDNIGHT* by Jerry Stahl Warner Books 1995





Produced by JD Productions **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment

PHANTOMS 1998

Horror/Thriller Directed by Joe Chappelle Novel *PHANTOMS* by Dean Koontz Putnam 1983 **Produced by** Dimension Films, Miramax Films, NEO Motion Pictures **Distributed by** Dimension Films

PRACTICAL MAGIC 1998

Fantasy/Comedy Directed by Griffin Dunne Novel *PRACTICAL MAGIC* by Alice Hoffman Putnam 1995 **Produced by** Warner Bros. Films, Di Novi Productions, Fortis Films, Village Roadshow Pictures **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

PRIMARY COLORS 1998

Comedy/Drama Directed by Mike Nichols Novel *PRIMARY COLORS* by Anonymous Random House 1996 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Mutual Film Company, BBC **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

PSYCHO 1998 Horror/Thriller Directed by Gus Van Sant Novel *PSYCHO* by Robert Block 1959

Produced by

Imagine Entertainment, Universal Pictures **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

QUEST FOR CAMELOT 1998

Animation/Adventure Directed by Frederick Du Chau Novel *THE KING'S DAMOSEL* by Vera Chapman R. Collings 1976 **Produced by** Warner Bros. Feature Animation **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

SHADRACH 1998

Drama Directed by Susan Styron Short Story *A TIDE WATER MORNING - Three Stories* by William Styron Random House 1993 **Produced by** Millenium Films, Tidewater Pictures, New Image **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures

SIMON BIRCH 1998

Comedy/Drama Directed by Mark Stephen Johnson Novel *OWEN MEANY - Suggested by* by John Irving Harper Collins 1989 **Produced by** Caravan Pictures, Hollywood Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

SMOKE SIGNALS 1998

Comedy/Drama Directed by Chris Eyre Short Story Collection



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THE LONE RANGER AND TONTO FISTFIGHT IN HEAVEN by Sherman Alexie Atlantic Monthly Press 1993 **Produced by** ShadowCatcher Entertainment **Distributed by** Miramax

SPHERE 1998

Science Fiction Directed by Barry Levinson Novel SPHERE by Michael Crichton Ballantine Books 1988

Produced by

Baltimore Pictures, Constant C Pictures, Punch Productions

Distributed by Roadshow Distribution/Warner Bros

SUICIDE KINGS 1998 Comedy/Drama/Mystery Directed by Peter O'Fallon Short Story *THE HOSTAGE* by Don Stanford 1953 **Produced by** Dinamo Entertainment, Live Entertainment **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment

SWEPT FROM THE SEA 1998

Drama/Romance Directed by Beebon Kidran Short Story *TYPHOON AND OTHER STORIES; AMY FOSTER* by Joseph Conrad Heinemann; London 1902 **Produced by** Phoenix Films, The Greenlight Fund, Tapson Steel Film Productions, Tri Star **Distributed by** Sony Pictures Entertainment, Tri-Star Pictures

THE ALARMIST 1998 Comedy Directed by Evan Dunsky Play *LIFE DURING WARTIME* by Keith Reddin Dramatists Play Service 1998 **Produced by** Bandeira Entertainment, Dan Stone, Flin Simchowitz, Key Entertainment **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

THE HORSE WHISPERER 1998

Drama/Romance Directed by Robert Redford Novel *THE HORSE WHISPERER* by Nicholas Evans Delacorte Press 1995 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Wildwood Enterprises **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK 1998

Adventure Directed by Randall Wallace Novel *THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK* by Alexander Dumas 1849 **Produced by** United Artists **Distributed by** UA/MGM

THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK 1998

Adventure Directed by William Richert Novel *THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK* by Alexander Dumas 1849 **Produced by** Invisible Studio, Media Majik Entertainment, Fastest, Cheapest, Best Film Corporation **Distributed by**

Media Majik Entertainment





THE MIGHTY 1998

Drama/Comedy/Action Directed by Peter Chelsom Novel - Young Adult *FREAK THE MIGHTY* by Rodman Philbrick Scholastic Publications 1993 **Produced by** Chaos Productions, Miramax Films, Scholastic Productions **Distributed by** Miramax Films

THE NEON BIBLE 1998

Drama Directed by Terrence Davies Novel *THE NEON BIBLE* by John Kennedy Toole Grove Press 1989 **Produced by** Channel Four Films, Scala Productions, Screen Partners **Distributed by** Strand Releasing

THE NEWTON BOYS 1998

Western/Action Directed by Richard Linklater Biography *THE NEWTON BOYS; PORTRAIT OF AN OUTLAW GANG* by Claude Stanush State House Press 1994 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp. **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Films

THE NIGHT FLIER 1998

Horror Directed by Mark Pavia Short Story *THE NIGHT FLIER* by Stephen King Smithmark 1996 **Produced by** Medusa Produzione, New Amsterdam Entertainment, Stardust International **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

THE OBJECT OF MY AFFECTION 1998

Romance/Comedy Directed by Nicholas Hytner Novel *THE OBJECT OF MY AFFECTION* by Stephen McCauley Simon and Schuster 1987 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp. **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

THE ONLY THRILL 1998

Drama/Romance Directed by Peter Masterson Play *THE TRADING POST* by Larry Ketron Dramatists Play Service 1998 **Produced by** Laureate Productions, Moonstone Entertainment, Prestige Productions **Distributed by** Legacy Releasing Corporation

THIN RED LINE 1998

Drama/War/Action Directed by Terrence Malick Novel *THIN RED LINE* by James Jones Scribner 1962 **Produced by** Fox 2000, Phoenix Pictures, Geisler-Roberdeau **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

VAMPIRES 1998

Horror Directed by John Carpenter Novel *VAMPIRES* by John Steakley Penguin/Roc 1990 **Produced by** Largo Entertainment, JVC Entertainment, Spooky Tooth Entertainment, Storm King Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony



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WHAT DREAMS MAY COME 1998

Drama/Romance/Fantasy Directed by Vincent Ward Novel *WHAT DREAMS MAY COME* by Richard Matheson Putnam 1978 **Produced by** Interscope Communications, Polygram Filmed Entertainment, Interfilmic **Distributed by** Polygram Filmed Entertainment

YOU'VE GOT MAIL 1998

Romance/Comedy Directed by Nora Ephron Play *PARFUMERIE* by Miklos Lazlo 1936 **Produced by** Warner Bros. **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

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1999

10 THINGS I HATE ABOUT YOU

1999 Comedy/Romance Directed by Gil Junger Play *TAMING OF THE SHREW* by William Shakespeare 1623 **Produced by** Mad Chance Productions, Jaret Entertainment, Touchstone Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

A DOG OF FLANDERS 1999

Adventure Directed by Kevin Brodie Children's Book *A DOG OF FLANDERS* by Marie Louise 'Ouida' de la Ramee 1872 **Produced by** Woodbridge Films **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

A MAP OF THE WORLD 1999

Drama Directed by Scott Elliott Novel *A MAP OF THE WORLD* by Jane Hamilton Doubleday 1994

Produced by

Kennedy/Marshall Company, Cinerenta Medienbeteiligungs KG , First Look Pictures Releasing, Overseas Film Group **Distributed by** USA Films

A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM

1999 Comedy Directed by Michael Hoffman Play *A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM* by William Shakespeare 1595

Produced by

Panoramica, Fox Searchlight, Regency Enterprises **Distributed by** Fox Searchlight Pictures

A STRANGER IN THE KINGDOM

1999 Drama Directed by Jay Craven Novel *A STRANGER IN THE KINGDOM* by Howard Frank Mosher Doubleday 1989 **Produced by** Kingdom Come Partners, North Flow Partners, WhiskeyJack Pictures **Distributed by** Ardustry Home Entertainment

AGNES BROWN 1999

Drama/Comedy Directed by Anjelica Huston Novel *THE MAMMY* by Brendan O'Carroll O'Brien Press 1994 **Produced by** Hell's Kitchen Films, October Films **Distributed by** USA Films

ANGELA'S ASHES 1999

Drama Directed by Alan Parker Novel ANGELA'S ASHES by Frank McCourt Scribners 1996 **Produced by** David Brown Productions, Scott Rudin Productions, Dirty Hands Productions **Distributed by** Universal Pictures, Paramount Pictures

ANYWHERE BUT HERE 1999

Drama/Comedy Directed by Wayne Wang Novel ANYWHERE BUT HERE by Mona Simpson



Random House 1987 **Produced by** Fox 2000, 20th Century Fox Film Corp. **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

AT FIRST SIGHT 1999

Drama Directed by Irwin Winkler Short Story TO SEE AND NOT TO SEE: IN THE COLLECTION 'AN ANTHROPOLOGIST ON MARS by Oliver Sacks, M.D. Alfred A. Knopf 1995

Produced by MGM Distributed by MGM

BICENTENNIAL MAN 1999

Science Fiction Directed by Chris Columbus Short Story *THE POSITRONIC MAN* by Isaac Asimov & Robert Silverberg Doubleday 1992 **Produced by** 1492 Films, Columbia Pictures, Laurence Mark Productions, Touchstone Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures, Sony Pictures Entertainment

BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS 1999

Science Fiction Directed by Alan Rudolph Novel BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS by Kurt Vonnegauht Delacorte Press 1973 **Produced by** Summit Entertainment **Distributed by** Walt Disney Company

BRINGING OUT THE DEAD 1999

Drama Directed by Martin Scorcese



Novel BRINGING OUT THE DEAD by Joe Connelly Alfred A. Knopf 1998 **Produced by** De-Fina/Cappa, Touchstone Pictures, Paramount Pictures **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

CIDER HOUSE RULES 1999

Drama/Comedy Directed by Lasse Halstrom Novel *CIDER HOUSE RULES* by John Irving William Morrow & Co. 1985 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Film Colony **Distributed by** Miramax

CRAZY IN ALABAMA 1999

Drama/Comedy Directed by Antonio Banderas Novel *CRAZY IN ALABAMA* by Mark Childress Putnam 1993 **Produced by** Tri-Star Pictures, Green Moon Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

CRUEL INTENTIONS 1999

Drama/Thriller/Romance Directed by Roger Kumble Novel *LE LIASONS DANGEREUSES* by Choderlos de Laclos 1782 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Newmarket Capital Group, Original Films **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

DEEP END OF THE OCEAN 1999

Drama Directed by Ulu Grosbard Novel





DEEP END OF THE OCEAN by Jacquelyn Mitchard Viking Press Press 1996 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Mandalay Entertainment, Via Rosa Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

DRIVE ME CRAZY 1999

Teen Romance Directed by John Schultz Novel - Young Adult *HOW I CREATED THE PERFECT PROM DATE* by Todd Strasser Simon Pulse 1998

Produced by

Amy Robinson Productions, Grand March Productions **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

EYE'S WIDE SHUT 1999

Drama/Thriller/Mystery Directed by Stanley Kubrick Novella DREAM STORY by Arthur Schnitzler 1926 **Produced by** Warner Bros. **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

FIGHT CLUB 1999

Drama Directed by David Fincher Novel *FIGHT CLUB* by Chuck Palahniuk W. W. Norton & Company 1996 **Produced by** Fox 2000, Art Linson Productions, Regency Enterprises, Taurus Film **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

FOR LOVE OF THE GAME 1999 Baseball Film

Directed by Sam Raimi Novel FOR LOVE OF THE GAME by Michael Shaara Carroll & Graf 1991 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Mirage Enterprises, Tig Productions, Beacon Communications **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

GIRL, INTERRUPTED 1999

Drama Directed by James Mangold Novel *GIRL, INTERRUPTED* by Susanna Kaysen Random House/Turtle Bay Books 1993 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, 3 Arts Entertainment, Red Wagon Productions, Global Entertainment Productions **Distributed by**

Columbia Pictures/Sony

GOD SAID 'HA' 1999

Comedy/Drama Directed by Julia Sweeney Play *GOD SAID 'HA'* by Julia Sweeney Bantam Books 1997 **Produced by** Oh, Brother Productions **Distributed by** Miramax Films

GREEN MILE 1999

Drama/Horror Directed by Frank Darabont Novel *GREEN MILE* by Stephen King Signet 1996 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Castle Rock, Darkwoods **Distributed by** Warner Bros.



HEAVEN 1999 Drama Directed by Scott Reynolds Novel *HEAVEN* by Chad Taylor David Ling Publishing 1994

Produced by Miramax Films, Midnight Film Productions, Dimension Films Distributed by

Miramax

ILLUMINATA 1999

Drama Directed by John Turturro Play *ILLUMINATA* by Brandon Cole Not published 1983 **Produced by** Greene Street Films, CDI, JVC Entertainment **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment

I'M LOSING YOU 1999

Drama Directed by Bruce Wagner Novel *I'M LOSING YOU* by Bruce Wagner Villard 1996 **Produced by** Killer Films, Lions Gate Films **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

IN DREAMS 1999

Thriller/Horror Directed by Neil Jordan Novel DOLL'S EYES by Bari Wood William Morrow & Co. 1993 **Produced by** Amblin Entertainment, DreamWorks SKG **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

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INSTINCT 1999 Drama/Thriller Directed by Jon Turtletaub Novel, 'Suggested by the' *ISHMAEL* by Daniel Quinn Turtleback Books 1995 **Produced by** Spyglass Entertainment, Touchstone Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista International

MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE 1999

Drama/Romance Directed by Louis Mandoki Novel *MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE* by Nicholas Sparks Warner Books 1998 **Produced by** Bel Air Entertainment, Di Novi Productions, Tig Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

MYSTERY MEN 1999

Adventure/Sci-Fi Directed by Kinka Usher Comic Book *MYSTERY MEN* by Bob Burden Dark Horse 1999 **Produced by** Dark Horse Entertainment, Lawrence Gordon Productions **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

NEW ROSE HOTEL 1999

Science Fiction Directed by Abel Ferrara Short Story *BURNING CHROME - COLLECTION OF SHORT STORIES* by William Gibson Arbor House Publishing 1986 **Produced by** Edward R. Pressman Film Company, Quadra Entertainment **Distributed by** Avalanche Home Video, New Films International



OCTOBER SKY 1999

Drama Directed by Joe Johnston Novel *OCTOBER SKY* by Homer H. Hickam Jr. Delacorte Press 1998 **Produced by** Universal Pictures **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

OUTSIDE PROVIDENCE 1999

Comedy/Drama/Romance Directed by Michael Corrente Novel *OUTSIDE PROVIDENCE* by Peter Farrelly Atlantic Monthly Press 1988 **Produced by** Eagle Beach **Distributed by** Miramax Films

PAYBACK 1999

Crime/Noir Directed by Brian Helgeland Novel *THE HUNTER* by Richard Stark (psuedonym for Donald Westlake) Pocket Books 1962 **Produced by** Icon Entertainment **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

PUSHING TIN 1999

Comedy Directed by Mike Newell Article SOMETHING'S GOT TO GIVE by Darcy Frey New York Times Magazine 1996 **Produced by** Fox 2000, Art Linson Productions, Dogstar Films Productions, Regency Enterprises **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

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RANDOM HEARTS 1999

Drama/Romance Directed by Sydney Pollack Novel *RANDOM HEARTS* by Warren Adler MacMillan Publishing Company 1984 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Mirage Enterprises, Rastar Pictures **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

RIDE WITH THE DEVIL 1999

Drama/Romance/Western Directed by Ang Lee Novel - Young Adult *WOE TO LIVE ON* by Daniel Woodrell Henry Holt 1987 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Maplewood Productions, Good Machine **Distributed by** USA Films

SHILOH 2: SHILOH SEASON 1999

Family/Fantasy Directed by Sandy Tung Children's Book *SHILOH SEASON* by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor Atheneum 1996 **Produced by** Beagle II Productions **Distributed by** Independent Artists, Warner Bros.

SIMPATICO 1999

Drama/Comedy Directed by Mathew Warchus Play *SIMPATICO* by Sam Shepard Vintage Books 1996 **Produced by** Emotion Pictures, Kingsgate Films, Le Studio Canal+, Zeal Pictures **Distributed by** Phaedra Cinema

SIX WAYS TO SUNDAY 1999

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Comedy Directed by Adam Bernstein Novel PORTRAIT OF A YOUNG MAN DROWNING by Charles Perry Simon and Schuster 1962 **Produced by** Prosperity Electric, Scout Productions **Distributed by**

Stratosphere Entertainment

SLEEPY HOLLOW 1999

Horror/Mystery Directed by Tim Burton Short Story *THE SKETCH BOOK: INCLUDES 'LEGEND OF SLEEPY HOLLOW'* by Washington Irving 1819 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Mandalay Entertainment, American Zoetrope **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

SNOW FALLING ON CEDARS 1999

Drama Directed by Scott Hicks Novel SNOW FALLING ON CEDARS by David Guterson Vintage Books 1995 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Kennedy/Marshall **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

STIR OF ECHOES 1999

Horror Directed by David Koepp Novel *STIR OF ECHOES* by Richard Matheson J. B. Lippincott 1958 **Produced by** Artisan Entertainment **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment, 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

STUART LITTLE 1999

Comedy Directed by Rob Minkoff Children's Book STUART LITTLE by E. B. White Harper & Row 1945 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Franklin/Waterman Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

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TALENTED MR. RIPLEY 1999

Drama/Thriller Directed by Anthony Minghella Novel *THE TALENTED MR. RIPLEY* by Patricia Highsmith Coward-McCann 1955 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Miramax Films, Mirage Enterprises, Timnick Films **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

TARZAN 1999

Animated Adventure Directed by Chris Buck/Kevin Lima Novel *TARZAN OF THE APES* by Edgar Rice Burroughs 1914 **Produced by** Edgar Rice Burroughs Inc., Walt Disney Pictures **Distributed by** Walt Disney Pictures

THE 13TH FLOOR 1999

Horror/Sci-Fi Directed by Josef Rusnak Novel SIMULACRON 3 by Daniel Francis Galouye Bantam Books 1964 **Produced by** Centropolis Film Production **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures



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THE 13TH WARRIOR 1999

Adventure/Action/Fantasy Directed by John McTiernan Novel EATERS OF THE DEAD by Michael Crichton Alfred A. Knopf 1976 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Walt Disney

Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

THE 3RD MIRACLE 1999

Drama Directed by Agnieska Holland Novel *THE 3RD MIRACLE* by Richard Vetere Carroll & Graf 1997 **Produced by** American Zoetrope, Franchise Pictures, Haft Entertainment **Distributed by** Sony Pictures Classics

THE BACHELOR 1999

Romance/Comedy Directed by Gary Sinyor Play SEVEN CHANCES by Roi Cooper Megrue 1916 **Produced by** New Line Cinema, George Street Productions, Lloyd Segan Company **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

THE BONE COLLECTOR 1999

Mystery/Thriller Directed by Phillip Noyce Novel *THE BONE COLLECTOR* by Jeffrey Deaver Viking Press 1997 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Universal Pictures **Distributed by** Sony Pictures

THE GENERAL'S DAUGHTER 1999

Drama/Thriller/Mystery Directed by Simon West Novel *THE GENERAL'S DAUGTHER* by Nelson De Mille Warner Books 1992 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Neufeld/Reheme Productions, MFP Munich Film Partners GMBH & Company Productions **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

THE HAUNTING 1999

Horror Directed by Jan De Bont Novel *THE HAUNTING OF HILL HOUSE* by Shirley Jackson Amereon Ltd. 1959 **Produced by** DreamWorks SKG, Roth-Arnold Productions **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

THE HUNGRY BACHELORS CLUB 1999

Comedy/Drama Directed by Gregory Ruzzin Novel *THE HUNGRY BACHELORS CLUB* by Lynn Scott Myers Self Published 1994 **Produced by** Mama's Boys LLC, Managed Passion Films, Taggart Transcontinental **Distributed by** Mama's Boys LLC, Regent Entertainment

THE HURRICANE 1999

Drama Directed by Alan Jewison Novel *THE 16TH ROUND* by Rubin 'Hurricane' Carter Penguin 1991



Produced by

Azoff Entertainment, Beacon Communication, Universal Pictures **Distributed by** MCA/Universal Pictures

THE INSIDER 1999

Drama Directed by Michael Mann Article *THE MAN WHO KNEW TOO MUCH* by Marie Brennar Vanity Fair 1996 **Produced by**

Touchstone Pictures, Mann/Roth Productions, Bluelight Productions, Forward Pass Inc. **Distributed by**

Buena Vista Pictures

THE IRON GIANT 1999

Animated Sci-Fi Directed by Brad Bird Children's Book *THE IRON GIANT* by Ted Hughes Harper & Row 1968 **Produced by** Warner Bros. Animation **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

THE LOVE LETTER 1999

Comedy/Drama Directed by Peter Chan Novel *THE LOVE LETTER* by Cathleen Schine Houghton Mifflin 1995 **Produced by** DreamWorks SKG, Sanford Pillsbury Productions **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

THE MINUS MAN 1999

Drama/Mystery Directed by Hampton Fancher Novel THE MINUS MAN by Lew McCreary Viking Press 1991

Produced by

The Shooting Gallery **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment, Pony Camp Inc.

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THE RAGE 1999 Horror Directed by Katt Shea Novel - Young Adult *CARRIE - Based on Characters from* by Stephen King Harper Collins Children's Book Group 1972 **Produced by** Red Bank Films, United Artists **Distributed by**

THE VELOCITY OF GARY 1999

United Artists

Comedy/Romance Directed by Dan Ireland Play *THE VELOCITY OF GARY* by James Still 1998 **Produced by** Cineville Inc., Columbia Tri-Star Home Video, Ventanarosa Productions, Dan Lupovitz/Joe Simon Production **Distributed by** Columbia Tri-Star Home Video, Next Millenium Films

THE WINSLOW BOY 1999

Drama Directed by David Mamet Play *THE WINSLOW BOY* by Terrence Rattigan Hamish Hamilton - London 1946 **Produced by** Winslow Partners Ltd. **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

TINSELTOWN 1999

Black Comedy Directed by Tony Spiridakis Play SELF-STORAGE by Tony Spiradakis & Shem Bitterman 1997



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Produced by Tonik Productions **Distributed by** Samuel Goldwyn Productions

TITUS 1999 Tragedy Directed by Julie Taymor Novel *TITUS ANDRONICUS* by William Shakespeare 1593 **Produced by** ClearBlue Skys Productions, Overseas Film Group, Urania Pictures, NDF International **Distributed by** Fox Searchlight Pictures

TRUE CRIME 1999

Drama/Crime Directed by Clint Eastwood Novel *TRUE CRIME* by Andrew Claven Random House Value Publishing 1998 **Produced by** Malpaso Productions, The Zanuck Co. **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

VIRUS 1999 Action/Horror/Thriller/Sci-Fi Directed by John Bruno Comic VIRUS by Chuck Pfarrar Dark Horse 1995 Produced by Dark Horse Entertainment, Valhalla Motion Pictures, BBC, Mutual Flm Company Distributed by

MCA/Universal



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102 DALMATIONS 2000

Comedy Directed by Kevin Lima Children's Book *101 DALMATIONS* by Dodie Smith 1956 **Produced by** Cruella Pictures, Walt Disney Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

13 DAYS 2000 Historical/Political/Drama Directed by Roger Donaldson Novel *THIRTEEN DAYS THAT SHOOK THE WORLD* by Ernest May Bellnap 1997 **Produced by** Beacon Communications, Tig Productions, New Line Cinema **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

ALL THE PRETTY HORSES 2000

Drama Directed by Billy Bob Thornton Novel *ALL THE PRETTY HORSES* by Cormac McCarthy Alfred A. Alfred A. Knopf 1993 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Miramax Films **Distributed by** Miramax Films, Sony Pictures Entertainment

AMERICAN PSYCHO 2000

Drama Directed by Mary Harron Novel *AMERICAN PSYCHO* by Brett Easton Ellis Vintage Books 1989 **Produced by** Edward R. Pressman Film Company, Muse Productions, P.P.S. Films, Quadra Productions **Distributed by** Amuse Productions, Lions Gate Films

ANIMAL FACTORY 2000

Drama Directed by Steve Buscemi Novel ANIMAL FACTORY by Edward Bunker Viking 1977 **Produced by** Franchise Pictures, Industry Entertainment, Phoenician Entertainment

Distributed by

New City Releasing, Silver Nitrate Films

BATTLEFIELD EARTH 2000

Science Fiction Directed by Roger Christian Novel BATTLEFIELD EARTH by L. Ron Hubbard Bridge Publications 1982 **Produced by** Battlefield Productions, Morgan Creek, JTP Films, Franchise Pictures **Distributed by** Warner Bros., New Films International

BEDAZZLED 2000 Tragedy Directed by Harold Ramis Play - modern comic version *FAUST* by Goethe 1831 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Kirch Media, Regency Enterprises **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

BEFORE NIGHT FALLS 2000

Autobiography Directed by Julian Schnabel Autobiography





ANTES QUE ANOCHEZCA by Reinoldo Arenas Viking 1993 Produced by Elmar Productions, Grandview Productions Distributed by

Fine Line Features

BETTER LIVING 2000

Comedy Directed by Max Mayer Play *BETTER LIVING* by George F. Walker Playwrights Canada 1988 **Produced by** Goldheart Pictures **Distributed by** Goldheart Pictures

BLESS THE CHILD 2000

Horror Directed by Chuck Russell Novel *BLESS THIS CHILD* by Cathy Cash Spellman Warner Books 1993 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, MFP Munich Film Partners

Distributed by

Paramount Pictures, New Films International, Icon Entertainment, BTC Productions

BOSEMAN AND LENA 2000

Drama Directed by John Berry Play *BOESMAN AND LENA* by Athol Fugard 1969 **Produced by** Pathe Image Production, Primedia Production **Distributed by** Pathe

BROWN'S REQUIEM 2000

Crime/Drama Directed by Jason Freeland Novel BROWN'S REQUIEM by James Ellroy Alison & Busby 1984 **Produced by** J & T Productions **Distributed by** Avalanche Releasing

CHOCOLAT 2000

Comedy/Drama/Romance Directed by Lasse Halstrom Novel *CHOCOLAT* by Joanne Harris Transworld Publisher, London 1999 **Produced by** David Brown Productions, Miramax Films, Fat Free Productions **Distributed by** Miramax Films

CROUCHING TIGER, HIDDEN

DRAGON 2000 Adventure Directed by Ang Lee Novel *CRANE - IRON PENTALOGY* by Wang Du Lu 1938 Produced by Sony Pictures Classics, Good Machine, Edko Film Limited, Columbia Pictures Film Production Asia Distributed by Sony Pictures Classics

GET CARTER 2000

Action/Crime/Thriller Directed by Stephen Kay Novel JACK'S RETURN HOME by Ted Lewis Michael Joseph, London 1970 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Morgan Creek, Franchise Pictures, The Canton Company **Distributed by** Warner Bros.



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GETTING TO KNOW YOU 2000

Drama/Comedy Directed by Lisanne Skyler Short Stories *HEAT AND OTHER STORIES* by Joyce Carol Oates Dutton 1991 **Produced by** ShadowCatcher Entertainment, Search Party Films **Distributed by** The Sundance Channel

HAMLET 2000
Tragedy
Directed by Michael Almereyda
Play
HAMLET by William Shakespeare
1600
Produced by
Double A Films
Distributed by
Miramax Films, New Films
International

HANGING UP 2000

Comedy Directed by Diane Keaton Novel *HANGING UP* by Delia Ephron Putnam 1996 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Nora Ephron Productions, Laurence Mark Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures

HIGH FIDELITY 2000 Romance/Comedy Directed by Stephen Frears Novel HIGH FIDELITY by Nick Hornby Riverhead Books 1996 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Working Title Films, Dogstar Films, New Crime Productions **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

I DREAMED OF AFRICA 2000

Drama/Adventure Directed by Hugh Hudson Novel *I DREAMED OF AFRICA* by Kuki Gallman Viking, London 1991 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Jaffifilms **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures/Sony

ISN'T SHE GREAT 2000

Biography Directed by Andrew Bergman Article - Biographical *WASN'T SHE GREAT* by Michael Korda The New Yorker 1995 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Mutual Film Company, BBC, Lobell/Bergman Productions **Distributed by** MCA/Universal Pictures

JESUS' SON 2000

Drama Directed by Alison Maclean Novel JESUS SON by Denis Johnson Farrar, Strauss & Giroux 1992 **Produced by** Alliance Atlantis, Jesus Son Productions, Evenstar Productions, Blue Sky Pictures **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

JOE GOULD'S SECRET 2000

Drama Directed by Stanley Tucci Articles *PROFESSOR SEAGULL & J.G.' S SECRET* by Joe Mitchell The New Yorker 1942 **Produced by** October Films, Weinstock Films, First Cold Press Productions, Bohemian Productions



Distributed by USA Films

LEGEND OF BAGGER VANCE 2000

Drama/Romance/Comedy Directed by Robert Redford Novel *LEGEND OF BAGGER VANCE* by Steven Pressfield William Morrow & Co. 1995 **Produced by** Allied Filmakers, Wildwood Enterprises **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

LUMINOUS MOTION 2000

Drama Directed by Bette Gordon Novel *THE HISTORY OF LUMINOUS MOTION* by Scott Bradfield Alfred A. Knopf 1989 **Produced by** Fiona Films, Good Machine **Distributed by** Artistic License

MY DOG SKIP 2000

Family/Drama Directed by Jay Russell Novel - Young Adult *MY DOG SKIP* by Willie Morris Random House 1995 **Produced by** Alcon Entertainment, MDS Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

ONCE IN THE LIFE 2000

Drama Directed by Laurence Fishburne Play *RIFF RAFF* by Laurence Fishburne Dramatists Play Service 1997 **Produced by** Cinema Gypsy Productions, The Shooting Gallery **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

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PAY IT FORWARD 2000

Drama Directed by Mimi Leder Novel *PAY IT FORWARD* by Catherine Ryan Hyde Simon & Schuster 1999 **Produced by** Bel Air Entertainment, Tapestry Films, Warner Bros. **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

PERFECT STORM 2000

Adventure/Historical Directed by Wolfgang Peterson Non-Fiction *THE PERFECT STORM* by Sebastian Junger W. W. Norton & Company 1997 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Baltimore/Spring Creek Productions, Radiant Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

POLLOCK 2000

Drama Directed by Ed Harris Novel *POLLOCK: AN AMERICAN SAGA* by Steven Naifeh & Gregory White Smith Woodward/White 1978 **Produced by** Fred Berner Productions, Pollock Films, Brant Allen Productions, Zeke Productions **Distributed by**

Columbia/Tri-Star Pictures

PRINCE OF CENTRAL PARK 2000

Comedy Directed by John Leekley Novel *THE PRINCE OF CENTRAL PARK* by Evan Rhodes Putnam 1974 **Produced by** Segal Nasso Productions



Distributed by Keystone Entertainment

PROOF OF LIFE 2000

Drama/Romance Directed by Taylor Hackford Novel & Article LONG MARCH TO FREEDOM, ADVENTURES IN THE RANSOM TRADE by Thomas Hargrove, William Prochnau Ballantine/Vanity Fair 1995 & 1998 **Produced by** Castle Rock Entertainment, Bel Air Pictures, Anvil Pictures **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

PSYCHO BEACH PARTY 2000

Comedy/Horror Directed by Robert Lee King Play *PSYCHO BEACH PARTY* by Charles Busch Samuel French 1987 **Produced by** New Oz Productions, Strand Releasing,

Red Horse Productions, Distributed by Strand Releasing

QUILLS 2000 Drama/Comedy/Romance Directed by Phillip Kaufman Play QUILLS by Doug Wright Dramatists Play Service 1996 Produced by Fox Searchlight Pictures, Hollywood Partners Munich, Industry Entertainment, Walrus & Associates Distributed by 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

REQUIEM FOR A DREAM 2000

Drama Directed by Darren Aronofsky Novel REQUIEM FOR A DREAM by Hubert Selby Jr. Playboy Press 1978 **Produced by** Artisan Entertainment, Bandeira Entertainmente, Industry Entertainment, Protozoa Pictures **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment

SHAFT 2000
Action/Crime/Thriller
Directed by John Singleton
Novel
SHAFT by Ernest Tidyman
MacMillan Publishing Company 1970
Produced by
Paramount Pictures, Scott Rudin
Productions, New Deal Productions,
MFP Munich Film Partners
Distributed by
Paramount Pictures

STEAL THIS MOVIE 2000

Biography Directed by Robert Greenwald Biographies *TWO AMERICA WITH LOVE; LETTERS FROM THE UNDERGROUND by Abbie & Anita Hoffman/ABBIE HOFFMAN AMERICAN REBEL by Marty Jezer* by Abbie & Anita Hoffman, Marty Jezer Farrar, Strauss & Giroux/Rutgers University Press 1976 & 1992 **Produced by** Lakeshore Entertainment, Robert Greenwald Productions, Ardent Films, Greenlight Productions

Distributed by

Lions Gate Films

THE BEACH 2000

Drama/Adventure Directed by Danny Boyle Novel *THE BEACH* by Alex Garland Riverhead Books 1997 **Produced by** Figment Films



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Distributed by 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

THE BIG KAHUNA 2000

Drama Directed by John Swanbeck Play *THE HOSPITALITY SUITE* by Roger Reuff 1958 **Produced by** Franchise Pictures, Trigger Street Pictures **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

THE CLAIM 2000 Romance/Western Directed by Michael Winterbottom

Novel - Inspired by *THE MAYOR OF CASTERBRIDGE* by Thomas Hardy Smith, Elder & Co. London 1886 **Produced by** Alliance Atlantis, BBC Films, Revolution Films, Le Studio Canal+ **Distributed by** United Artists

THE FANTASTIKS 2000

Musical Directed by Michael Ritchie Play - Musical *THE FANTASTIKS* by Harvey Schmidt & Tom Jones Doubleday 1960 **Produced by** Michael Ritchie Productions, Radmin, Sullivan Street Productions **Distributed by** United Artists

THE GRINCH THAT STOLE CHRISTMAS 2000

Family Directed by Ron Howard Children's Book *HOW THE GRINCH STOLE CHRISTMAS* by Dr. Seuss Random House 1957

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Produced by

Imagine Entertainment, Luni Productions **Distributed by** MCA/Universal Pictures

THE HOUSE OF MIRTH 2000

Romance Directed by Terence Davies Novel *THE HOUSE OF MIRTH* by Edith Wharton Charles Scribners & Sons. 1905 **Produced by** Showtime Networkks, Granada Film Productions, Glasgow Film Fund, Film Four **Distributed by** Sony Picture Classics

THE LITTLE VAMPIRE 2000

Adventure/Family/Horror Directed by Uli Edel Children's Book *THE LITTLE VAMPIRE* by Angela Sommer-Bodenberg Hodder & Stoughton Children's Division 1993 **Produced by** Propaganda Films, Cometstone Productions, Stonewood Communications, Avrora Media **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

THE TIGGER MOVIE 2000

Family/Animated Directed by Jun Falkenstein Children's Book *WINNIE THE POOH - Based on Characters from* by A.A. MILNE Methuen & Co. London 1926 **Produced by** Walt Disney Television Animation, Walt Disney Animation Japan **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures



THE VISIT 2000

Drama Directed by Jordan Walker-Pearlman Play *THE VISIT* by Kosmond Russell 1996 **Produced by** DaWa Pictures **Distributed by** Shoreline Entertainment, Urbanworld Films

THE WEEKEND 2000

Drama Directed by Brian Skeet Novel *THE WEEKEND* by Peter Cameron Farrar, Strauss & Giroux 1994 **Produced by** Granada Film Productions, Lunatics & Lovers **Distributed by** Strand Releasing

UNDER SUSPICION 2000

Drama/Crime Directed by Stephen Hopkins Novel BRAINWASH by John Wainwright MacMillan Publishing Company 1979 **Produced by** Revelations Entertainment, TFI International **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

URBANIA 2000

Drama/Thriller Directed by John Shear Play *URBAN FOLK TALES* by Daniel Reitz **Produced by** Commotion Films, Daly/Harris Productions **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

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VIRGIN SUICIDES 2000

Drama Directed by Sophia Coppola Novel *VIRGIN SUICIDES* by Jeffrey Eugenides Farrar, Strauss & Giroux 1993 **Produced by** American Zoetrope, Muse Productions, Eternity Pictures **Distributed by** Paramount Classics

WAKING THE DEAD 2000

Drama Directed by Keith Gordon Novel *WAKING THE DEAD* by Scott Spencer Alfred A. Knopf 1986 **Produced by** Egg Pictures, Polygram Filmed Entertainment, Gramercy Pictures **Distributed by** USA Films

WHERE THE HEART IS 2000

Drama Directed by Matt Williams Novel *WHERE THE HEART IS* by Billie Letts Warner Books 1995 **Produced by** Windancer Productions **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Intermedia

WONDER BOYS 2000

Comedy/Drama Directed by Curtis Hansen Novel *WONDER BOYS* by Michael Chabon Villard 1995 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, Mutual Film Company, Scott Rudin Productions, BBC **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures, New Films International



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XMEN 2000
Super Hero
Directed by Bryan Singer
Comic
XMEN by Stan Lee
Marvel Comics 1963
Produced by
20th Century Fox Film Corp.
Distributed by
20th Century Fox Film Corp.





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A BEAUTIFUL MIND 2001

Drama Directed by Ron Howard Biography *A BEAUTIFUL MIND* by Sylvia Nasar Faber & Faber 1999 **Produced by** Imagine Entertainment **Distributed by**

Universal Pictures

AI 2001 Science Fiction Directed by Stephen Spielberg Novel SUPER TOYS LAST ALL SUMMER by Brian Aldiss Harper's Bazaar 1969 Produced by DreamWorks SKG, Warner Bros., Stanley Kubrick Productions, Amblin Entertainment

Distributed by Warner Bros., DreamWorks Distributing

ALONG CAME A SPIDER 2001

Thriller/Crime/Mystery Directed by Lee Tamahori Novel *ALONG CAME A SPIDER* by James Patterson Warner Books 1993 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, David Brown Productions, MFP Munich Film Partners GMBH, Revelations Entertainment **Distributed by**

Paramount Pictures

BLACK HAWK DOWN 2001

War/Drama/Action Directed by Ridley Scott Non-Fiction *BLACK HAWN DOWN* by Mark Bowdon Atlantic Monthly Press 1999

Produced by

Columbia Pictures, Jerry Bruckheimer Productions, ScottFree Productions, Revolution Studios **Distributed by** Columbia/Tri-Star Pictures, Revolution Studios

BRIDGET JONE'S DIARY 2001

Romantic Comedy Directed by Sharon McGuire Novel BRIDGET JONE'S DIARY by Helen Fielding Picador 1996 **Produced by** Working Title Films, Le Studio Canal+, Little Bird Films **Distributed by**

Miramax Films

BULLY 2001

Drama Directed by Larry Clark Non-Fiction *BULLY; A TRUE STORY OF HIGH SCHOOL REVENGE* by Jim Schutze William Morrow & Co. 1997

Produced by

Lions Gate Films, Muse Productions, Le Studio Canal+, Gravity Entertainment, Blacklist Films **Distributed by**

Lions Gate Films, Amuse Pictures

CAPTAIN CORELLI'S MANDOLIN

2001 Drama Directed by John Madden Novel *CAPTAIN CORELLI'S MANDOLIN* by Louis de Berrieres Martin Secker & Warburg, London 1994 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Miramax Films, Le Studio Canal+, Working Title Films **Distributed by**

MCA/Universal Pictures, Miramax Films



CAVEMAN'S VALENTINE 2001

Drama Directed by Kasi Lemmons Novel *CAVEMAN'S VALENTINE* by George Dawes Green Warner Books 1995 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Franchise Pictures,

Jersey Shore Distributed by MCA/Universal Pictures

DON'T SAY A WORD 2001

Thriller/Crime/Mystery Directed by Gary Fleder Novel DON'T SAY A WORD by Andrew Klaven Pocket Star 1991 **Produced by** Village Roadshow Pictures, Further Films, Epsilon Motion Pictures, Kopelson Entertainment, New Regency Pictures **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

DOWN TO EARTH 2001

Comedy Directed by Chris Weitz & Paul Weitz Play *HEAVEN CAN WAIT* by Harry Segal Dramatists Play Service 1969 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, 3 Arts Entertainment, Alphaville Pictures, MFP Munich Film Partners **Distributed by**

Paramount Pictures

DR. DOOLITTLE 2 2001

Fantasy/Comedy Directed by Steve Carr Children's Book DR. DOOLITTLE STORIES by Hugh Lofting 1920 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Joseph M. Singer Entertainment, Davis Entertainment

Distributed by

20th Century Fox Film Corp.

FOCUS 2001

Drama Directed by Neil Slavin Novel FOCUS by Arthur Miller Reynal & Hitchcock 1945 **Produced by** Focus Productions, Dog Pond Films, Carros Pictures **Distributed by** Paramount Classics

FROM HELL 2001

Drama/Crime/Mystery Directed by The Hughes Brothers Graphic Novel *FROM HELL* by Alan Moore Mad Love Publishing/Tundra/Kitchen Sink 1991 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Films, Underworld Entertainment **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

GHOSTWORLD 2001

Black Comedy Directed by Terry Zwigoff Graphic Novel *GHOST WORLD* by Daniel Clowes Fantagraphic Books 1998 **Produced by** United Artists, Jersey Films, Mr. Mudd, Capital Films **Distributed by** MGM Distributing, United Artists

HARDBALL 2001

Drama Directed by Brian Robbins Novel HARDBALL; A SEASON IN THE PROJECTS by Daniel Coyle Putnam 1994



Produced by

Fireworks Pictures, MFP Munich Film Partners, Tollin/Robbins, GHS Productions KG **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE 2001

Family/Adventure/Fantasy Directed by Chris Columbus Children's Book HARRY POTTER AND THE PHILOSOPHER'S STONE by J.K. Rowling Bloomsbury Publishing 1997 **Produced by** Warner Bros., 1492 Productions, HeyDay Pictures **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

HEARTS IN ATLANTIS 2001

Adventure/Drama Directed by Scott Hicks Novel *HEARTS IN ATLANTIS* by Stephen King Scribners 1999 **Produced by** Castle Rock Entertainment, Village Roadshow Pictures, NVP **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

HILLBILLY HEIST 2001

Comedy/Crime/Drama Directed by Allen Coulter Article *REGULAR FOLKS, BIG DREAMS AND A TON OF MONEY* by Paige Williams Charlotte Examiner 1999 **Produced by** Kevin J. Messick **Distributed by** Miramax Films

IN THE BEDROOM 2001

Drama Directed by Todd Field Short Story *KILLINGS* by Andre Dubus David R. Godine 1988 **Produced by** Good Machine, Standard Film Company, GreeneStreet Films **Distributed by** Miramax Films

IRIS 2001

Drama Directed by Richard Eyre Biography *ELEGY FOR IRIS* by John Bayley St. Martin's Press 1998 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Mirage Enterprises, Intermedia Films, BBC **Distributed by** Miramax Films, New Films, Paramount Pictures

JOSIE AND THE PUSSYCATS 2001

Comedy/Musical Directed by Harry Elfant/Deborah Kaplan Comic Book ARCHIE COMICS by Dan DeCarlo & John Goldwater Archie Publications 1963 **Produced by** Marc Platt Productions, Riverdale Producations **Distributed by** MCA/Universal Pictures

JURASSIC PARK III 2001

Science Fiction Directed by Joe Johnston Novel JURASSIC PARK by Michael Chrichton Alfred A. Knopf 1990 **Produced by** Amblin Entertainment, Universal Pictures **Distributed by** MCA/Universal Pictures





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KINGDOM COME 2001 Comedy Directed by Doug McHenry Play DEARLY DEPARTED by David Dean Bottel & Jesse Jones Dramatists Play Service 1998 Produced by Fox Searchlight Pictures, Bates Entertainment, The Turman Morrissey Company Distributed by

20th Century Fox Film Corp.

KPAX 2001
Science Fiction
Directed by Iain Softley
Novel *KPAX* by Gene Brewer
St. Martin's Press 1995
Produced by
IMF, Intermedia Films, Lawrence
Gordon Productions,
Pathe Pictures Ltd.
Distributed by
MCA/Universal

LAKEBOAT 2001 Drama Directed by Joe Mantegna Play *LAKEBOAT* by David Mamet Grove Press 1981 **Produced by** One Vibe Entertainment, Oregon Trail Films, Panorama Entertainment **Distributed by** Cowboy Booking International

LEGALLY BLONDE 2001 Comedy Directed by Robert Luketic Novel LEGALLY BLONDE by Amanda Brown Plume 2002 Produced by Marc Platt Productions, MGM Distributed by MGM Distributing

LEGALLY BLONDE II 2001

Comedy Directed by Charles Herman-Wurmfeld Novel *LEGALLY BLONDE* by Amanda Brown Plume 2002 **Produced by** Marc Platt Productions, MGM, Type A. Films **Distributed by** MGM Distributing

LORD OF THE RINGS: THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE RING 2001

Adventure/Fantasy Directed by Peter Jackson Novel LORD OF THE RINGS: THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE RINGS by J.R.R Tolkein George Allen & Unwin, London 1954 **Produced by** New Line Cinema, Saul Zaentz Company, WingNut Films **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

MEMENTO 2001

Drama Directed by Christopher Nolan Short Story *MEMENTO MORI* by Jonathan Nolan Esquire Magazine 1998 **Produced by** Newmarket Capital Group, Team Todd, I Remember Productions **Distributed by** Newmarket Film Group, Columbia/Tri-Star Home Video

MONKEYBONE 2001 Animation/Fantasy/Comedy Directed by Henry Selick Graphic Novel - Based on characters from *DARKTOWN* by Kaja Blackley 1997 Produced by 1492 Pictures, 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Twitching Images

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Distributed by 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

NEW YORK IN THE FIFTIES -DOCUMENTARY 2001

Drama Directed by Betsy Blankenbaker Non-Fiction *NEW YORK IN THE 50's* by Dan Wakefield Houghton Mifflin 1992 **Produced by** Figaro Films, **Distributed by** Avatar Films

O 2001

Tragedy Directed by Tim Blake Nelson Play *OTHELLO* by William Shakespeare 1603 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Daniel Fried Productions, Rhulen Entertainment, FilmEngine,

Distributed by Lions Gate Films

OCEANS ELEVEN 2001

Comedy Directed by Steven Soderbergh Short Story *OCEANS ELEVEN* by George Clayton Johnson & Jack Golden Russell Cardinal C-412 Publishing 1960 **Produced by**

Jerry Weintraub Productions, Section 8 Ltd., Village Roadshow Pictures, NPV Entertainment **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

ORIGINAL SIN 2001

Drama/Thriller/ Directed by Michael Cristofer Novel WALTZ INTO DARKNESS by Cornell Woolrich



J.B. Lippincott 1947 **Produced by** MGM, Di Novi Productions, Intermedia, Hyde Park Entertainment, **Distributed by** MGM Distributing

PERSONAL VELOCITY 2001

Drama Directed by Rebecca Miller Short Stories *PERSONAL VELOCITY* by Rebecca Miller Grove Press 2001 **Produced by**

IFC Productions, Blue Magic Pictures, Goldheart Pictures, InDiGent Entertainment **Distributed by** MGM

PLANET OF THE APES 2001

Science Fiction Directed by Tim Burton Novel *LA PLANETE DES SINGES* by Pierre Boulet 1963 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp. **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

PRINCESS DIARIES 2001

Family/Comedy Directed by Garry Marshall Novel - Young Adult *PRINCESS DIARIES* by Meg Cabot Harper Collins Children's Book Group 2000 **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures, Bottom of the Ninth Productions

Distributed by

Buena Vista Pictures





RICHARD THE SECOND 2001

Tragedy Directed by John Farrell Play *RICHARD THE SECOND* by William Shakespeare 1595 **Produced by** Farrellmedia **Distributed by -** none listed

RIDING IN CARS WITH BOYS 2001

Drama/Comedy Directed by Penny Marshal Autobiography *RIDING IN CARS WITH BOYS* by Beverly D'Onofrio William Morrow & Co. 1990 **Produced by** Flower Films, Gracie Films, Park Way Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures

SHIPPING NEWS 2001

Drama Directed by Lasse Halstrom Novel *THE SHIPPING NEWS* by E. Annie Proulx Scribners 1993 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Miramax Films **Distributed by** Miramax Films

SHREK 2001 CGI/Comedy Directed by Andrew Anderson, Vicky Jensen, Scott Marshall Children's Book SHREK by William Steig Farrar, Strauss & Giroux 1990 Produced by DreamWorks SKG, PDI Distributed by DreamWorks Home Video, United International Pictures

SOMEONE LIKE YOU 2001

Romance Directed by Tony Goldwyn Novel *ANIMAL HUSBANDRY* by Laura Zigman Distributoys 1997 **Produced by** Fox 2000 **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

SORDID LIVES 2001

Black Comedy Directed by Del Shores Play SORDID LIVES by Del Shores Samuel French 1998 **Produced by** Davis Entertainment Classics, Daly/Harris Productions, Sordid Lives Productions **Distributed by**

Regent Entertainment

TAPE2001DramaDirected by Richard LinklaterPlayTAPE by Stephen BelberDramatists Play Service2001Produced byIFC Productions, Detour FilmProductions, InDiGent,Tape ProductionsDistributed byLions Gate Films

THE BODY 2001

Drama Directed by Jonas McCord Novel *THE BODY* by Richard Ben Sapir Doubleday 1983 **Produced by** MDP Worldwide, Avalanche Films, Green Moon Productions, Compass Productions, Diamant **Distributed by** Avalanche Releasing



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THE DEEP END 2001

Drama Directed by Scott Mceghee Novel *THE BLANK WALL* by Elizabeth Sanxay Holding Simon & Schuster 1947 **Produced by** i5 Films **Distributed by**

Fox Searchlight Pictures, 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

THE FAST AND THE FURIOUS 2001

Thriller/Action/Crime Directed by Rob Cohen Article *RACER X* by Ken Li Vibe Magazine **Produced by** Neil Moritz Productions, Mediastream Films, Original Films **Distributed by** MCA/Universal

THE INVISIBLE CIRCUS 2001

Drama Directed by Adam Brooks Novel *INVISIBLE CIRCUS* by Jennifer Egan Nan A. Talese/Doubleday 1995 **Produced by** Fine Line Features, Industry Entertainment, Nicolas Entertainment **Distributed by** Fine Line Features

THE KING IS ALIVE 2001

Tragedy Directed by Kristian Levring Play *KING LEAR* by William Shakespeare 1610 **Produced by** Newmarket Capital Group, Good Machine, Ballistic Pictures, The Danish Film Institute, **Distributed by** IFC Releasing

THE MUSKETEER 2001

Adventure Directed by Peter Hyams Novel *THE THREE MUSKETEERS* by Alexander Dumas 1829 **Produced by** MDP Worldwide, The Carousel Picture Company, Apollo Media, Crystal Sky Communications, Luxembourg Film Fund **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

THE OTHER SIDE OF HEAVEN 2001

Adventure/Inspirational Directed by Mitch Davis Biography EYE OF THE STORM by John Brobers Bookcraft Publishers 1994 **Produced by** 3Mark Entertainment, Molen/Garbett Productions **Distributed by** Excel Entertainment

THE PLEDGE 2001

Drama Directed by Sean Penn Novel VERSPRECHEN by Friedrich Durrenmatt Archie 1958 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Morgan Creek, Franchise Pictures, Pledge Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

THE TAILOR OF PANAMA 2001

Thriller Directed by John Boorman Novel *THE TAILOR OF PANAMA* by John le Carre Hodder & Stoughton 1996 **Produced by** Columbia Pictures, Merlin Films



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Distributed by Sony Pictures Entertainment

THE TRUMPET OF THE SWAN 2001

Animation/Family Directed by Terry L. Noss & Richard Rich Children's Book *THE TRUMPET OF THE SWAN* by E.B. White Harper Collins Children's Book Group 1970 **Produced by** Rich-Crest Animation **Distributed by** Tri-Star Pictures

VALENTINE 2001 Horror/Thriller Directed by Jamie Blanks Novel VALENTINE by Tom Savage Little Brown & Company 1996 Produced by Village Roadshow Pictures, NPV Entertainment, Cupid Productions Distributed by Warner Bros.



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25TH HOUR 2002

Drama Directed by Spike Lee Novel 25TH HOUR by David Benioff Carroll & Graf 2000

Produced by

Touchstone Pictures, 40 Acres & a Mule Filmworks, Industry Entertainment, Gamut Films **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures, Touchstone Pictures

A WALK TO REMEMBER 2002

Drama/Romance Directed by Adam Shankman Novel *A WALK TO REMEMBER* by Nicholas Sparks Warner Books 1999 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Di Novi Productions, Gaylord Films, Pandora Film Production **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

ABOUT A BOY 2002

Comedy/Romance Directed by The Weitz Brothers Novel *ABOUT A BOY* by Nick Hornby Gollancz 1999 **Produced by** Working Title Films, Kalima Productions GBH, Studio Canal, Tribeca **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

ABOUT SCHMIDT 2002

Comedy/Drama Directed by Alexander Payne Novel ABOUT SCHMIDT by Louis Begley Random House 1998

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Produced by New Line Cinema, Avery Pix Distributed by New Line Cinema

ADAPTATION 2002

Comedy/Drama Directed by Spike Jonze Novel *THE ORCHID THIEF; A TRUE TALE OF LOVE AND OBSESSION* by Susan Orlean Random House 1998 **Produced by** Intermedia Films, Clinica Estetico Ltd., Good Machine, Bevely Detroit,

Propaganda Films **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures, Screen Gems, Sony Pictures Entertainment

ANTWONE FISHER 2002

Drama/Biography Directed by Denzel Washington Biography *FINDING FISH; A MEMOIR* by Antwone Fisher Morrow/Avon 2001 **Produced by** MDP Worldwide, Hofflund/Polone, Antwone Fisher Productions, Mundy Lane Entertainment **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

AUTO FOCUS 2002

Drama/Biography Directed by Paul Schrader Biography *AUTO FOCUS; THE MURDER OF BOB CRANE* by Robert Graysmith Crown 1993 **Produced by** Good Machine, Focus Puller Inc., Propaganda Films **Distributed by** Sony Pictures Classics, Sony Pictures Entertainment



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BAD KARMA 2002

Psychological Thriller Directed by John Hough Novel *BAD KARMA* by Andrew Harper Kensington Publishing Corp. 1997 **Produced by** American World Pictures **Distributed by** Artisan Entertainment

BIG TROUBLE 2002

Comedy/Crime Directed by Barry Sonnenfeld Novel *BIG TROUBLE* by Dave Barry Putnam Publishing Group 1999 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Sonnenfeld Josephson Worldwide Entertainment SundaleProductions, Jacobson Productions **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

BLADE II 2002

Horror/Thriller/Action Directed by Guillermo del Toro Graphic Novel - Based on characters from *BLADE* by Marv Wolfman & Gene Colan Marvel Comics 1972 **Produced by**

New Line Cinema, Amen Ra Films, Imaginary Forces **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

BLOOD WORK 2002

Crime/Thriller/Drama/Mystery Directed by Clint Eastwood Novel *BLOOD WORK* by Michael Connelly Little Brown & Company 1998 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Malpaso Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

BLUE CRUSH 2002

Adventure/Romance Directed by John Stockwell Article SURF GIRLS OF MAUI by Susan Orlean Outside Magazine/Included in THE BULLFIGHTER CHECKS HER MAKE UP; MY ENCOUNTERS WITH EXTRAORDINARY PEOPLE, Random House 2001 **Produced by** Imagine Entertainment, Shutt/Jones, Universal Pictures, Mikona **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

CATCH ME IF YOU CAN 2002

Adventure Directed by Steven Spielberg Biography *CATCH ME IF YOU CAN* by Frank Abagnale Jr. Grossett & Dunlap, N.Y. 1980 **Produced by** DreamWorks SKG, MacDonald/Parkes

Productions, Amblin Entertainment, Kemp Company, Splendid Pictures **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

CHARLY 2002

Comedy/Drama/Romance Directed by Adam Thomas Anderegg Novel *CHARLY* by Jack Weyland Deseret Books 1980 **Produced by** Cinergy Films, Focused Light Films, Kaelidoscope Pictures **Distributed by** Excel Entertainment

CHICAGO 2002

Musical Directed by Rob Marshall Play *CHICAGO* by Maurine Dallas Watkins 1926





Produced by Miramax Films, Loop Films, The Producers Circle Distributed by Miramax

CITY BY THE SEA 2002

Drama Directed by Michael Caton Jones Article *MARK OF A MURDERER* by Michael McAlary Esquire Magazine 1997 **Produced by** Brad Grey Pictures, Franchise Pictures, SeaBreeze Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

CONFESSIONS OF A DANGEROUS

MIND 2002 Comedy Directed by George Clooney Novel *CONFESSIONS OF A DANGEROUS MIND* by Chuck Barris St. Martin's Press 1984 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Village Roadshow, Section 8 Ltd.,

NPV Entertainment, Kushner/Locke **Distributed by** Miramax Films, Artisan Entertainment

DANGEROUS LIVES OF ALTER

BOYS 2002 Drama Directed by Peter Care Novel *THE DANGEROUS LIVES OF ALTER BOYS* by Chris Fuhrman University of Georgia Press 1994 **Produced by** Egg Pictures, Trilogy Entertainment, Initial Entertainment **Distributed by** ThinkFilm Inc.

DIE ANOTHER DAY 2002

Spy/Adventure Directed by Lee Tamahori Novel *CASINO ROYALE - based on characters* by Ian Fleming Jonathon Cape - London 1953 **Produced by** MGM, United Artists, Danjaq Productions, Eon Productions **Distributed by** MGM Distributing

DIVINE SECRETS OF THE YA YA SISTERHOOD 2002

Comedy/Drama Directed by Callie Khouri Novel DIVINE SISTERS OF THE YA YA SISTERHOOD by Rebecca Wells Harper Collins 1998 **Produced by** Sisterhood Productions, Gaylord Productions, All Girl Productions **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE 2002

Horror Directed by Mark Redfield Novel DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE by Robert Louis Stevenson Longmans, Green London 1886 **Produced by** Redfield Arts, **Distributed by** Redfield Arts

FOUR FEATHERS 2002

Drama/Adventure/War Directed by Shekhar Kapur Novel FOUR FEATHERS by A.E.W. Wilson Smith, Elder & Co. London 1902 **Produced by** Jaffifilms, Belhaven Limited, Dune Films **Distributed by** Miramax Films



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FRIDA 2002 Drama/Biography Directed by Julie Taymor Biography FRIDA by Hayden Herrera Harper & Row 1983 Produced by Miramax Films, Lions Gate Films, Handprint Entertainment, Trimark Pictures, Ventanarosa Productions

Distributed by Miramax Films

HANSEL AND GRETEL 2002

Fantasy Directed by Gary J. Tunnicliffe Children's Book *HANSEL AND GRETEL* by Jacob & Wilhelm Grimm 1812 **Produced by** Tag Entertainment, Majestic Film Partners, Broomstick Entertainment **Distributed by** Innovation Film Group

HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS 2002

Family/Adventure/Fantasy Directed by Chris Columbus Children's Book *HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS* by J.K. Rowling Bloomsbury Publishing 1999 **Produced by** Warner Bros., 1492 Productions, HeyDay Pictures **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

HARTS WAR 2002 War/Drama/Action Directed by Gregory Hoblit Novel HART'S WAR by John Katzenback Ballantine 1999 Produced by MGM, David Ladd Films, David Foster Productions, Cheyenne Enterprises

Distributed by MGM

HIGH CRIMES 2002

Crime/Thriller/Drama Directed by Carl Franklin Novel *HIGH CRIMES* by Joseph Finder Turtleback Books 2001 **Produced by** New Regency Pictures, Regency Pictures, Monarch Pictures, Manifest Film Company, Epsilon Pictures **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

LORD OF THE RINGS: THE TWO TOWERS 2002

Adventure/Fantasy Directed by Peter Jackson Novel LORD OF THE RINGS: THE TWO TOWERS by J.R.R Tolkein George Allen & Unwin, London 1954 **Produced by** New Line Cinema, Saul Zaentz Company, WingNut Films **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

MINORITY REPORT 2002

Science Fiction Directed by Steven Spielberg Novella *MINORITY REPORT* by Phillip K. Dick Fantastic Universe (Pulp Magazine) 1954

Produced by

20th Century Fox Film Corp., DreamWorks SKG, Blue Tulip, Amblin Entertainment **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

MR. DEEDS 2002

Romance/Comedy Directed by Steven Brill Short Story

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OPERA HAT by Clarence Buddington Kelland American Magazine 1936 **Produced by** Happy Madison Productions, Columbia Pictures, New Line Cinema, Out of the Blue Productions **Distributed by** Columbia/Tri-Star Pictures

NICHOLAS NICKELBY 2002

Drama Directed by Doug McGrath Novel *NICHOLAS NICKELBY* by Charles Dickens Chapman & Hall 1838 **Produced by** Hart Sharp Entertainment, Potboiler Productions **Distributed by** MGM

ONCE WE WERE SOLDIERS 2002

War/Drama/Action Directed by Randall Wallace Non Fiction *WE WERE SOLDIERS ONCE...AND YOUNG* by Lt. Gen. Harold Moore & Joseph L. Galloway Random House 1992 **Produced by** Icon Entertainment, The Wheelhouse, Motion Picture Production GBH **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

POSSESSION 2002

Historical Romance Directed by Neil LaBute Novel *POSSESSION; A ROMANCE* by A.S. Byatt Random House 1990 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Focus Features, USA, Baltimore Spring Creek Features,

Contagious Films Distributed by Focus Features

Novel

THE QUIET AMERICAN by Graham Greene Heinemann; London 1955 **Produced by** Intermedia Films, Pacifica Films, Mirage Enterprises, IMF, SAGA **Distributed by**

OUEEN OF THE DAMNED 2002

Warner Bros., Village Roadshow

QUEEN OF THE DAMNED by Anne Rice

Pictures, NPV Entertainment, Material

1988

Supernatural/Thriller

Alfred A. Knopf

Distributed by Warner Bros.

Produced by

Novel

Directed by Michael Rymer

QUIET AMERICAN 2002

Drama/Romance/Thriller

Directed by Phillip Noyce

Miramax

REAL WOMEN HAVE CURVES 2002

Family/Comedy Directed by Patricia Cordosa Play *REAL WOMEN HAVE CURVES* by Josefina Lopez Dramatic Pub. Co. 1996 **Produced by** HBO Independent Productions **Distributed by** HBO Independent Productions

RED DRAGON 2002

Thriller Directed by Brett Ratner Novel *RED DRAGON* by Thomas Harris G.P. Putnam's 1981 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Scott Free Productions, Dino De Laurentis Productions, MGM, Mikona **Distributed by** MGM



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RETURN TO NEVERLAND 2002

Animation/Fantasy/Adventure Directed by Robin Budd/Donovan Cook Play/Children's Book *PETER PAN* by J.M.Barrie Hodder & Stoughton, London 1904 (PLAY) 1911 (NARRATIVE) **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

ROAD TO PERDITION 2002

Drama Directed by Sam Mendes Graphic Novel *THE ROAD TO PERDITION* by Max Allan Collins & Richard Reis Rayner D.C. Comics 1998 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., DreamWorks SKG, The Zanuck Company **Distributed by**

DreamWorks Distributing

RULES OF ATTRACTION 2002

Drama/Romance/Thriller/Satire Directed by Roger Avary Novel *RULES OF ATTRACTION* by Brett Eason Ellis Simon & Schuster 1988 **Produced by** Kingsgate Films, Roger Avary Filmproduction GmBH **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

SECRETARY 2002 Black Comedy Directed by Steven Shainberg Short Story SECRETARY (From the collection of short stories, BAD BEHAVIOUR) by Mary Gaitskill Hodder & Stoughton 1989 Produced by

Slough Pond, Double A. Pictures, TwoPoundBag Productions

Distributed by

Lions Gate Films

SKINS 2002

Drama Directed by Chris Eyre Novel *SKINS* by Adrian C. Louis Crown 1994 **Produced by** First Look Media, Grandview Pictures, Starz Encore Entertainment **Distributed by** First Look Pictures Releasing

SNOWDOGS 2002

Adventure/Comedy Directed by Brian Levant Non Fiction *WINTERLAND; THE FINE MADNESS OF RUNNING THE IDITAROD* by Gary Paulsen Harcourt Press 1994 **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures, Galapagos Productions, Winterdance Productions **Distributed by**

Buena Vista Pictures

SOLARIS 2002

Science Fiction/Romance/Drama Directed by Steve Soderbergh Novel SOLARIS by Stanislaw Lem Warsawa, MON 1961 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Section 8 Ltd., USA, Lightstorm Entertainment **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

20th Century Fox Film Corp.

SPIDERMAN 2002

Adventure/Fantasy Directed by Sam Raimi Comic Book SPIDERMAN by Stan Lee Marvel Comics 1963



Produced by

Columbia Pictures Industries, Marvel Enterprises, Sony Pictures Entertainment **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures

STUART LITTLE 2 2002

Comedy Directed by Rob Minkoff Children's Book STUART LITTLE - based on characters by E. B. White Harper & Row 1945

Produced by Columbia Pictures, Franklin/Waterman Productions, Red Wagon Productions Distributed by Columbia Pictures/Sony

THE BOURNE IDENTITY 2002

Action/Spy/Thriller Directed by Doug Liman Novel *THE BOURNE IDENTITY* by Robert Ludlum Richard Marek, N.Y. 1980 **Produced by** Kennedy/Marshall Company, Kalima Productions GBH, Stilking, Hypnotic **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

THE COUNT OF MONTE CRISTO

2002 Adventure Directed by Kevin Reynolds Novel *THE COUNT OF MONTE CRISTO* by Alexander Dumas 1845 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Birnbaum/Barber, Spyglass Entertainment, World 2000 Entertainment, Count of Monte Cristo Productions **Distributed by**

Buena Vista Pictures

THE FIRST 20 MILLION IS ALWAYS THE HARDEST 2002

Canada

Comedy Directed by Mick Jackson Novel *THE FIRST 20\$ MILLION IS ALWAYS THE HARDEST* by Po Bronson Random House 1997 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Ocean Pictures **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

THE HOURS 2002

Drama Directed by Stephen Daldry Novel *THE HOURS* by Michael Cunningham Farrar, Strauss & Giroux 1988 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Scott Rudin Productions **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING ERNEST 2002

Satire/Romance/Comedy Directed by Oliver Parker Play *THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING ERNEST* by Oscar Wilde 1895 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Ealing Studios, Fragile Films **Distributed by** Miramax Films

THE MOTHMAN PROPHECIES 2002

Supernatural/Thriller Directed by Mark Pellington Novel VISITORS FROM SPACE; THE ASTONISHING STORY OF THE MOTHMAN PROPHECIES by John Keel Harper Collins 1976 **Produced by** Lakeshore Entertainment





Distributed by Screen Gems Inc., Sony Pictures Entertainment

THE RING 2002

Horror/Thriller Directed by Gore Verbinski Novel *RINGU* by Koji Suzuki 1991 **Produced by** Bender Spink Inc., DreamWorks SKG, MacDonald/Parkes Productions **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

THE SECRET LIVES OF DENTISTS 2002

Drama Directed by Alan Rudolph Novella *THE AGE OF GRIEF* by Jane Smiley Alfred A. Knopf 1987 **Produced by** Holedigger Films, Ready Made Film **Distributed by** Manhattan Pictures International

THE SUM OF ALL FEARS 2002

Action/Thriller Directed by Phil Alden Robinson Novel *THE SUM OF ALL FEARS* by Tom Clancy G.P. Putnam's 1991 **Produced by**

Paramount Pictures, Mace Neufeld Productions, MFP Munich Film Partners GMBH **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

THE TIME MACHINE 2002

Science Fiction/Adventure Directed by Simon Wells Novel *THE TIME MACHINE* by H.G. Wells William Heinemann Ltd., London 1895

Produced by

DreamWorks SKG, MacDonald/Parkes Productions, Warner Bros., Arnold Leibovit Productions **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing

THE EMPERORS CLUB 2002

Drama Directed by Michael Hoffman Short Story *THE EMPORERS CLUB (From the collection of short stories, THE PALACE THIEF)* by Ethan Canin Random House 1994 **Produced by** Beacon Communications LLC, Fine Line Features, Longfellow Pictures, Horsepower Films, LivePlanet **Distributed by** MCA/Universal Pictures

TRAPPED 2002

Crime/Thriller Directed by Luis Mandoki Novel 24 HOURS by Greg Illes G.P. Putnam 2000 **Produced by** Mandolin Entertainment, Propaganda Films, The Canton Company, Senator Film Production **Distributed by**

Columbia Pictures

TREASURE PLANET 2002

Animation/Adventure Directed by Ron Clements Novel *TREASURE ISLAND - based on characters from* by Robert Louis Stevenson Cassell London 1883 **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures



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TUCK EVERLASTING 2002

Fantasy/Romance Directed by Jay Russell Novel - Young Adult *TUCK EVERLASTING* by Natalie Babbitt Sunburst 1975 **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures, Scholastic Productions, Jane Startz Productions, Beacon Communications **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

WHITE OLEANDER 2002

Drama Directed by Peter Kosminksy Novel *WHITE OLEANDER* by Janet Fitch Little Brown & Company 1999 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Gaylord Productions, John Wells Productions, Pandora Film Production **Distributed by** Warner Bros., Gaylord Pictures



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AMERICAN SPLENDOR 2003

Drama/Comedy Directed by Shari Springer Berman/Robert Pulcini Comic Book - Autobiographical AMERICAN SPLENDOR by Harvey Pekar Harvey Pekar 1976 **Produced by** Good Machine, HBO **Distributed by** Fine Line Cinema

BIG FISH 2003

Fantasy/Drama Directed by Tim Burton Novel *BIG FISH: A NOVEL OF MYTHIC PROPORTIONS* by Daniel Wallace Algonquin Books 1998 **Produced by** Jinks/Cohen, Columbia Pictures, The Zanuck Company **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures, Sony Pictures Entertainment

BIKER BOYZ 2003 Action Directed by Reggie Rock Blythewood Article BIKER BOYZ by Michael Gougis New Times 200? Produced by

3 Arts Entertainment, DreamWorks SKG **Distributed by** Dreamworks Distributing

BUBBA HO TEP 2003

Horror/Comedy Directed by Don Coscarelli Short Story *BUBBA HO TEP (From Short Story Collection WRITERS OF THE PURPLE RAGE)* by Joe R. Lansdale Cemetary Dance Publications 1994

Produced by

Silver Sphere Corporation **Distributed by** Vitagraph Films, Silver Sphere Corporation

BULLETPROOF MONK 2003

Action Directed by Paul Hunter Comic Book *BULLETPROOF MONK* by Gotham Chopra & Brett Lewis Flypaper Press 2002 **Produced by** Flypaper Press, Lakeshore Entertainment, Mosaic Media Group, Signpost Films, Lion Rock Productions **Distributed by** MGM

CAT IN THE HAT 2003

Family Directed by Bo Welch Children's Book *THE CAT IN THE HAT* by Dr. Seuss Random House 1957 **Produced by** DreamWorks SKG, Universal Pictures, Alphaville Pictures, Imagine Entertainment **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2003

Family Directed by Shawn Levy Novel - Autobiographical *CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN* by Frank B. Gilbreth Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. 1948 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Robert Simonds Productions **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.



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COLD MOUNTAIN 2003

Drama Directed by Anthony Minghella Novel *COLD MOUNTAIN* by Charles Frazier Atlantic Monthly Press 1997 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Bonafide Productions, Mirage Enterprises **Distributed by**

Miramax Films

DAREDEVIL 2003

Fantasy/Adventure Directed by Mark Stephen Johnson Comic Book DAREDEVIL by Stan Lee Marvel Comics 1964

Produced by

20th Century Fox Film Corp., Horseshoe Bay Productions, Marvel Enterprises, New Regency Pictures, Regency Enterprises **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

DIE MOMMIE DIE 2003

Black Comedy/Camp Directed by Mark Rucker Play DIE MOMMIE DIE by Charles Busch 1999 **Produced by** Aviator Films, Bill Kenwright Films **Distributed by** Sundance Film Series

DREAMCATCHER 2003

Horror Directed by Lawrence Kasdan Novel DREAMCATCHER by Stephen King Scribners 2001 **Produced by** Village Roadshow, Castle Rock, NPV Entertainment **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

FREAKY FRIDAY 2003

Fantasy/Family Directed by Mark S. Waters Novel - Young Adult *FREAKY FRIDAY* by Mary Rogers Harper Collins Juvenile Books 1972 **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures, Casual Friday Productions, Gunn Films **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

GODS AND GENERALS 2003

Action/Drama/War Directed by Ronald M. Maxwell Novel - Historical *GODS AND GENERALS* by Jeffrey M. Shaara Ballantine Books 1996 **Produced by** Antietem Filmworks, Turner Pictures **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

HOLES 2003 Drama/Family/Comedy/Adventure Directed by Andrew Davis Children's Book HOLES by Andrew Sachar Farrar, Strauss & Giroux 1998 Produced by Walt Disney Pictures, Walden Media, Blue Rider Pictures, Chicago Pacific Entertainment, Phoenix Pictures Distributed by Buena Vista Pictures

HOUSE OF SAND AND FOG 2003

Drama/Tragedy Directed by Vadim Perelman Novel *THE HOUSE OF SAND AND FOG* by Andre Dubus III W.W. Norton 1999 **Produced by** DreamWorks SKG, Cobalt Media Group, Bisgrove Entertainment **Distributed by** Dreamworks Distributing



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HOW TO DEAL 2003 Teen Romance Directed by Clare Kilner Novels - Young Adult SOMEONE LIKE YOU/THAT SUMMER by Sarah Dessen Viking Children's Books/Orchard Books 1998/1996 Produced by Focus Features, Golden Mean, Radar Pictures Inc. Distributed by

New Line Cinema

HOW TO LOSE A GUY IN TEN DAYS

2003 Comedy/Romance Directed by Donald Petrie Jr. Novel *HOW TO LOSE A GUY IN TEN DAYS* by Michele Alexander & Jeannie Long Bantam Books 1998 **Produced by** Linda Obst Productions, Robert Evans Company, Moviemakers Productions **Distributed by**

Paramount Pictures

HULK 2003

Action/Fantasy Directed by Ang Lee Comic Book *THE HULK* by Stan Lee Marvel Comics 1962 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Good Machine, Valhalla Motion Pictures, Marvel Enterprises **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

JUNGLE BOOK 2 2003

Animation/Family/Adventure Directed by Steve Trenbirth Children's Book *THE JUNGLE BOOK* by Rudyard Kipling MacMillan & Co. London 1895 **Produced by** Walt Disney Pictures, Disneytoon, Walt Disney Television Animation

Distributed by

Buena Vista Pictures

LE DIVORCE 2003

Drama/Romance/Comedy Directed by James Ivory Novel *LE DIVORCE* by James Ivory E.P. Dutton 1997 **Produced by** Merchant/Ivory, Radar Pictures Inc. **Distributed by** Fox Searchlight Pictures

LEAGUE OF EXTRAORDINARY

GENTLEMEN 2003 Fantasy/Adventure Directed by Stephen Norrington Comic Book *THE LEAGUE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENTLEMEN* by Alan Moore & Kevin O'Neil America's Best Comics 2000 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Angry Films, J.D. Productions, Mediastream **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

LORD OF THE RINGS: RETURN OF THE KING 2003

Adventure/Fantasy Directed by Peter Jackson Novel LORD OF THE RINGS: THE RETURN OF THE KING by J.R.R Tolkein George Allen & Unwin, London 1954 **Produced by** New Line Cinema, Saul Zaentz Company, WingNut Films **Distributed by** New Line Cinema



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MASTER AND COMMANDER 2003

Drama/Adventure Directed by Peter Weir Novel *MASTER AND COMMANDER: THE FAR SIDE OF THE WORLD* by Patrick O'Brian Lippincott; Philadelphia 1969 **Produced by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp., Miramax Films, Universal Pictures, Samuel Goldwyn Films **Distributed by**

20th Century Fox Film Corp.

MATCHSTICK MEN 2003

Comedy/Drama/Crime Directed by Ridley Scott Novel *MATCHSTICK MEN* by Eric Garcia Villard 2002 **Produced by** Warner Bros., ImageMovers, HorsePower Entertainment, Scott Free Productions, LivePlanet **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

MYSTIC RIVER 2003

Drama/Mystery Directed by Clint Eastwood Novel *MYSTIC RIVER* by Dennis Lehane Willam Morrow 2001 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Village Roadshow Pictures, Malpaso Productions, NVP **Distributed by** Warner Bros.

OFF THE MAP 2003 Drama Directed by Campbell Scott Play OFF THE MAP by Joan Ackerman Dramatists Play Service 1999 Produced by Holedigger Films Distributed by Manhattan Pictures International OPEN RANGE 2003 Western/Action Directed by Kevin Costner Novel *THE OPEN RANGE MEN* by Lauren Paine Walker 1990 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Tig Productions, Cobalt Media Group **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures, Touchstone Pictures

PARTY MONSTER 2003

Biography Directed by Fenton Bailey Biography DISCO BLOODBATH: A FABULOUS BUT TRUE TALE OF MURDER IN CLUBLAND by James St. James Simon & Schuster 1999 **Produced by** World of Wonder, Fortissimo Films, Killer Films, ContentFilm Co. **Distributed by** ContentFilm Co.

PAYCHECK 2003

Science Fiction Directed by John Woo Short Story *PAYCHECK* by Phillip K. Dick 1953

Produced by

Davis Entertainment, DreamWorks SKG, Lion Rock Productions, Paramount Productions, Solomon/Hackett Productions

Distributed by

Paramount Pictures, DreamWorks Distributing

PETER PAN 2003

Animation/Fantasy/Adventure Directed by P.J. Hogan Play/Children's Book *PETER PAN* by J.M.Barrie Hodder & Stoughton, London 1904 (PLAY) 1911 (NARRATIVE)



Produced by

Universal Pictures, Red Wagon, Revolution Studios Warner/Roadshow, Allied Pictures **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

PIGLET'S BIG MOVIE 2003

Family/Animated Directed by Francis Glebas Children's Book *WINNIE THE POOH - Based on Characters from* by A.A. Milne Methuen & Co. London 1926

Produced by Walt Disney Pictures **Distributed by** Buena Vista Pictures

PRIDE AND PREJUDICE 2003

Drama Directed by Andrew Black Novel *PRIDE AND PREJUDICE* by Jane Austen T. Egerton London 1813 **Produced by** Bestboy Pictures, Camera 40 **Distributed by** Excel Entertainment

RADIO 2003 Drama Directed by Michael Tollin Article/Biographical *RADIO* by Gary Smith Sports Illustrated 1996 **Produced by** Revolution Studios, Tollin/Robins Productions, Radio Productions **Distributed by** Columbia Pictures, Sony Pictures Entertainment

RUNAWAY JURY 2003

Legal Drama Directed by Gary Fleder Novel THE RUNAWAY JURY by John Grisham Doubleday 1996

Produced by

New Regency Pictures **Distributed by** 20th Century Fox Film Corp.

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SEABISCUIT 2003

Drama/Biography Directed by Gary Ross Biography SEABISCUIT by Laura Hillenbrand Random House 2001 **Produced by** Universal Pictures, Spyglass Entertainment, The Kennedy/Marshall Company, Dreamworks SKG, Larger Than Life Productions **Distributed by** Universal Pictures

SHATTERED GLASS 2003

Drama Directed by Billy Ray Article *SHATTERED GLASS* by H.G. Bissinger Vanity Fair 1998 **Produced by** Lions Gate Films, Cruise/Wagner Productions, Baumgarten Merims Productions, Forest Park Pictures **Distributed by** Lions Gate Films

SINBAD 2003 Animation/Adventure Directed by Patrick Gilmore/Tim Johnson Mythology *THE ARABIAN NIGHTS* English Translation by Sir Richard Burton 1885 **Produced by** DreamWorks SKG **Distributed by** DreamWorks Distributing





THE HUMAN STAIN 2003

Drama Directed by Robert Benton Novel *THE HUMAN STAIN* by Phillip Roth Houghton Mifflin 2000 **Produced by** Miramax Films, Stone Village Productions, Lakeshore Entertainment, Cinerent Medienbeteiligungs, Cinepsilon **Distributed by** Miramax Films

THE MISSING 2003

Western/Action/Supernatural Directed by Ron Howard Novel *THE LAST RIDE* by Thomas Eidson Putnam Publishing Group 1995 **Produced by** Imagine Entertainment, Revolution Studios **Distributed by**

Sony Pictures Entertainment, Columbia Pictures

THE SAFETY OF OBJECTS 2003

Drama Directed by Rose Troche Novel *THE SAFETY OF OBJECTS* by A.M. Holmes Daedalus Books 1990

Produced by

Killer Films, Vulcan Productions, Clear Blue Sky Productions, Renaissance Films

Distributed by

IFC Films, Killer Films, Renaissance Films

THE SHAPE OF THINGS 2003

Drama Directed by Neil LaBute Play *THE SHAPE OF THINGS* by Neil LaBute Faber & Faber 2001 **Produced by** Working Title Films, Pretty Pictures, Mepris Films Studio Canal, USA Films **Distributed by** Focus Features, USA Films

TIMELINE 2003

Science Fiction Directed by Richard Donner Novel *TIMELINE* by Michael Crichton Turtleback Books 2000 **Produced by** Paramount Pictures, The Donners' Company, Mutual Film Company, Cobalt Media Group, Artists Production Group **Distributed by** Paramount Pictures

UNDER THE TUSCAN SUN 2003

Romance/Biography Directed by Audrey Wells Biography UNDER THE TUSCAN SUN by Frances Mayles Chronicle Books 1996 **Produced by** Touchstone Pictures, Blue Gardenia Productions, Tatiale Films, Timnick Films **Distributed by**

Buena Vista Pictures

WHAT A GIRL WANTS 2003

Family/Romance Directed by Dennie Gordon Play *THE RELUCTANT DEBUTANTE* by William Douglas-Home Samuel French 1956 **Produced by** Warner Bros., Gaylord Productions, DiNovi Pictures, HSI Tomorrow Films, Sloane Square Films

Distributed by

Warner Bros.



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WILLARD 2003 Comedy/Horror/Drama Directed by Glenn Morgan Novel *RATMAN'S NOTEBOOK* by Stephen Gilbert Joseph 1968 **Produced by** Hard Eight Pictures, New Line Cinema **Distributed by** New Line Cinema

YOUNG BLACK STALLION 2003

Adventure/Family/Drama Directed by Simon Wincer Novel *THE YOUNG BLACK STALLION* by Walter Farley/Stephen Farley Random House 1989 **Produced by** Moonlighting **Distributed by** Walt Disney Pictures



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LITERARY AGENTS

Industry insiders say passion and tenacity can often bring an unlikely story to the screen. This applies to books as well as scripts. Unless the seller has relationships with producers or studios, books reach their buyers through agents. An agent's enthusiasm for the project is essential.

The term 'literary agent' can mean two different things, depending on the coast. In Los Angeles a literary agent may represent screen and television writers, as well as authors. In New York, while there are literary agents who represent screen and television writers, most represent book authors and/or playwrights.

A literary (book author) agent, or a publisher holding subsidiary rights, can shop their book to a literary (film) agent with knowledge of the market in Hollywood. Major agencies in Los Angeles (CAA, ICM, WMA) have a roster of literary (book) agents in New York who sign authors and then funnel these authors' works through their counterparts at their Los Angeles offices. The L.A. based literary agents determine the best way to market the book in Hollywood. If a literary (book author) agent in New York is not part of a larger Hollywood based agency, they will set up their project with an L.A. based agency that has knowledge of the film market. Often they will go through the New York book (literary) departments of one of the aforementioned big three agencies. When two separate and unrelated agencies combine forces to set up a book, article, etc., it is called 'co-agenting', or using a 'sub-agent'.

When trying to set up a book with a producer or a director (who also option book rights), the agent looks to producers/directors whose track record and taste seems compatible with the book.

If a literary (book author) agent or a publisher approaches a smaller agency in Los Angeles they will seek out a literary agent within that agency, one with specialized knowledge of marketing books. These agents are listed in the agency section of this report.

If possible, a literary agent (especially in a larger agency) will package the project with marketable screenwriters, directors or actors from their own agency before trying to set it up at one of the studios.

There are advantages to using a literary agent in Los Angeles to sell a project. First, most buyers won't accept unsolicited material. Second, agents have insight into a business that is constantly shifting. They know when to sell a project, who to sell it to, and how to sell it. Studio executives migrate to other studios or production companies. Production company deals move from studio to studio. Studio heads are replaced. Tastes change.

Selling a book, like selling a script, is like planning a military campaign, and agents are the generals. They know the best day of the week to sell. They know when to 'leak' information to create a 'buzz' around a project. They know what's already in development, where it's in development, and where conflicts of interest may arise. They know track records and trends and inclinations. They know who's in town and who is not. They know when development funds are depleted and they know when a particular studio is looking for a particular type of project.





Note: Every book or script submitted to an agency, producer, or studio is covered by a professional reader, who evaluates the material and writes a synopsis of the work. This 'coverage' is then passed on to the agent, producer or studio executive. A reader's enthusiasm can help to propel the project forward.





AGENTS/MANAGERS

Abrams Artists Agency (N.Y.) Maura Teitlbaum

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Acme Talent and Literary Mickey Freiberg

4727 Wilshire Blvd. Ste. 333 L.A., CA USA 90010 323-954-2263

The Agency

Jerry Zeitman 1800 Avenue of the Stars Ste 1114 Century City, CA USA 90067 310-551-3000

Agency for the Performing Arts (L.A)

Steve Fisher - Reps Patrick O'Brien *Master and Commander,* Dorothy Allison, Robert Stone and Arthur C. Clarke. *Waiting to confirm* 9200 Sunset Blvd. Ste. 900 L.A., CA USA 90069 310-888-4200

Becsey, Wisdom & Kalajian

Jerry Kalajian - Repped *Life of Pi* 9200 Sunset Blvd., Suite 820 L.A., CA USA 90069 310-550-0535

Bohrman Agency

Karen Bohrman 8899 Beverly Blvd. Ste 811 L.A., CA USA 90048 310-550-5444

Brillstein Grey Management

Kassi Eveshevski - Repped James Frey, *A Million Little Pieces* 9150 Wilshire Blvd. Ste 350 Beverly Hills, CA USA 90212 310-205-5159

Broder, Webb, Chervin & Silberman

Judy Farkas - Sold rights for Tod Goldberg's *Fake, Liar, Cheat*, Danielle Mason's *The Piano Tuner*, Adam Hazlitt's short story *The Good Doctor*, Colson Whitehead's *The Intuitionist*, Frank Conroy's *Body & Soul* 9242 Beverly Blvd. Beverly Hills, CA USA 90210 310-281-3400

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CAA

9830 Wilshire Blvd. Beverly Hills, CA USA 90212 310-288-4545 In the last several years CAA repped film rights for Michael Chabon's 'Hatzplatz', James Patterson's 'Roses are Red', Neil Gaiman's 'Murder Mysteries', Gore Vidal's 'Messiah', Laura Weisberger's 'The Devil Wears Prada', Anne Rice's 'Lasher', Tom Wolfe's 'A Man in Full', Thomas Eidson's 'St. Agnes Stand' and Stephen King's 'Riding the Bullet', Caspian Tredwell-Owen's 'The Island' along with many others, often in inconjunction with the author's New York agents. CAA'S New York agents find material and funnel it to the Los Angeles office.

CAA

Dave Mews - Co-ordinates the submission of books



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Robert Bookman - Reps Frederik Forsythe, Gore Vidal, Douglas Adams *Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy.*

CAA Brian Siberell

CAA Laurie Horowitz Kids

CAA Mathew Snyder Mystery, High concept works

CAA

Richard Green Moved in January from co-head of books at UTA to CAA

CAA

Sally Wilcox Kids

CAA Shari Smiley Chick lit

Callamaro Agency

Lisa Callamaro - Repped rights for Legally Blonde. 427 N. Canon Dr. Ste 202 Beverly Hills, CA USA 90210 310-274-6783

Camejo & Associates, Suzanna Suzanna Camejo

3000 W. Olympic, Bldg. 3 Santa Monica, CA USA 90404 310-479-4470

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Brian Lipson - Did recent *Shazaam* comic deal with New Line Cinema 9701 Wilshire Blvd. 10th Floor Beverly Hills, CA USA 90212 310-248-2000

Endeavor

Darren Haggar - Co-ordinates the submission of books

The Firm

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Gersh Agency

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Gotham Group Ellen Goldsmith-Vein/ Julie Kane-

Ritch - Reps Simon & Schuster's Children's Division, *Princess & the Pauper, Spiderwick Chronicles,* specializes in childrens books 9255 Sunset Blvd. Ste 515 L.A., CA USA 90069 310-285-0001



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Intellectual Property Group

Joel Gotler - Reps James Ellroy, Michael Connelly, Andre Dubus III, Sue Grafton, Piers Anthony, Alice McDermott, Joseph Wambaugh. Also handled underlying rights to *Beetlejuice, The Untouchables, Angela's Ashes, Chocolat and In the Bedroom, House of Sand and Fog.* 9200 Sunset Blvd. Ste. 520 L.A., CA USA 90069 310-786-8930

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8733 Sunset Blvd. L.A., CA USA 90069 310-652-2409

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Hotchkiss Agency, Jody

Jody Hotchkiss - Co- agented film deals for *Fly Away Home*, '*Pushing Tin*, *Felicia's Journey, The Legend of Bagger Vance, Enigma, Possession, The Professor and the Madman* 611 Broadway Suite 701 New York, N.Y. USA 10012 212-253-0161

ICM

Repped rights for *Cold Mountain*, *Lord* of the Rings, Poisonwood Bible and Black Hawk Down. Has the largest literary department of all three of the big agencies. ICM's New York agents find material and funnel it to the Los Angeles office. ICM's New York office is staffed with a cadre of very well respected book agents.

ICM - LA

Margaret Marr - Co-ordinates book submissions from N.Y. 8942 Wilshire Blvd. Beverly Hills, CA USA 90211 310-550-4000

ICM - LA

Ron Bernstein - Sr. V.P. Subsidiary rights. Specializes in brokering literary rights for film. Has been in the business over 20 years. Reps Margaret Atwood, Paul Auster, Don Delillo, Barbara Kingsolver, and Susan Faludi, among others.

ICM - NY

Amanda Urban

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ICM - NY Esther Newberg

ICM - NY Heather Schroder

ICM - NY Jennifer Joel

ICM - NY Kristine Dahl

ICM - NY Lisa Bankoff

ICM - NY Richard Abate *

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ICM - NY Sloan Harris

Janklow and Nesbit Associates

Reps Laura Hillenbrand *Seabuiscuit,* Tom Harris *Silence of the Lambs,* Danielle Steele, Anne Rice, among others. This agency reps books, excerpts, articles. They rep authors to publication, and do put together deals themselves, but they also partner with sub-agents in L.A., dependent on the market.

Amy Jameson (Agent, Film, Domestic Subsidiary Rights)

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8033 Sunset Blvd. #115 L.A., CA USA 90046 323-650-2093

Kane Agency, Merrily

Merrily Kane - Repped *The She-Devil.* 857 Bundy Dr. L.A., CA USA 90049 310-820-0020

Kohner, Inc. Paul

Stephen Moore - Repped 'Shrek' 9300 Wilshire Blvd. Ste 555 Beverly Hills, CA USA 90212 310-550-1060

Lasher Agency, The Maureen Eric Lasher P.O. Box 46370 L.A., CA USA 90046 323-654-5288

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4526 Wilshire Blvd. L.A., CA USA 90010 323-857-4500

Michael Siegel & Associates

Michael Siegel - Reps Roald Dahl, Elmore Leonard, Douglas Copeland, Robert Olen Butler, Michael Cunningham, T.C. Boyle, Howard Noman, Peter Abrahams. 8330 W. Third St. L.A., CA USA 90048 323-658-8600

Michael Siegel & Associates Priscilla Cohen

Paradigm

Lucy Stille 10100 Santa Monica Blvd. Ste 1508 L.A., CA USA 90067 310-277-4400





Pleshette Literary Agency, The Lynn

Lynn Pleshette - Repped rights for *Memoirs of A Geisha, Cold Mountain, A Simple Plan, How to Deal, A Thousand Acres, Diivine Secrets of the Ya Ya Sisterhood, Shipping News* and *P.S.* May partner with one of the larger agencies with a stable of writers, directors and actors in order to put together a stronger package. 2700 Beachwood Dr. L.A., CA USA 90068 323-465-0428

Rabineau, Wachter, Sanford Agency

Sylvie Rabineau - reps Gigi Levangie Grazer, Anthony Bourdain, Melissa Bank. Has embraced children's, YA literature recently. 522 Wilshire Blvd. Santa Monica, CA USA 90401 310-587-2700

Rabineau, Wachter, Sanford Agency Geoffrey Sanford

Rabineau, Wachter, Sanford Agency Liza Wachter

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Howard Sanders (Head of Book

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UTA

Ariel Gabay - Co-ordinates the submission of books

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William Morris Agency (WMA)

Repped rights for 25th Hour, The Godfather Series, James Patterson's Women's Murder Club Series. Reps Candace Bushnell. WMA's New York agents find material and funnel it to the Los Angeles office.

WMA LA

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WMA N.Y.

Tracy Fisher

WMA N.Y. Karen Gerwin

WMA N.Y. Jay Mandel

WMA N.Y. Owen Laster

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Writers and Artists Marti Blumenthal

Writers and Artists NY

Lydia Wills - Reps Francesca Lia Block and *Weetzie Bat,* funnels to West Coast Office 19 W. 44th, Ste. 100 New York, N.Y. USA 10036 212-391-1112

Wylie Agency

Andrew Wylie - Reps some directly on the West Coast, primarily goes through sub agents. 250 W. 57th St. Ste 2114 New York, N.Y. USA 10107 212-246-0069

Franklin, Weinrib, Rudell & Vassallo Michael Rudell

Intellectual property lawyers. 488 Madison Avenue New York, N.Y. USA 10022 212-935-5500



STUDIOS

Agents may take books directly to the studios or they may try to attach a powerful producer. The producer will submit the project for a studio to consider, either on its own merit or 'packaged' with a writer, director, or star attached. An impressive 'package' may help set up an otherwise 'difficult' project. The studio executive will have the project 'covered' by a reader. If the reader's response is positive and the executive agrees, the executive will then try to convince an upper level executive that this is a good project to pursue. Should the studio decide to move forward, a deal is struck between the studio's and the agency's business affairs people (lawyers).

In addition to material submitted by agents and producers, studio production executives pursue books as part of their own search for film projects. Some studios have a 'book person', an executive who is known for being the one within their organization to whom book submissions are generally directed. This doesn't mean that they're the only person dealing in books at that studio or that they deal only in books.

Studios are competitive in their search for material. Studio book scouts scour the publishing world, sometimes buying film rights before the publishing rights have been sold. Development executives look for material at book fairs. Studio executives develop relationships with book agents and publishers in the hope of getting advance notice of a potentially filmic book.

As a result of these relationships, early galleys are often 'slipped' to the Hollywood community by publishers or author agents who want to create a buzz about their project. Some studios have deals with other production entities that specialize in developing books, such as Disney's deal with Walden Media, a production entity that develops children's books and young adult novels. Several studios are owned by Media conglomerates which also own publishing companies; the publishing arm will speak to the studio arm in an attempt to create 'synergy'.

The numbers indicate that studios are buying more books than ever before. New York is more of a factor now than it was in the past. DreamWorks recently opened up a small New York office with the express purpose of locating books to funnel to its book person in L.A. Paramount has a full-time book person employed in New York. Studios employ scouts to keep an eye out for books that may interest them.

The following is a list of studios, and some facts about their book buying methods.





STUDIOS

Buena Vista/Touchstone/Walt Disney 500 S. Buena Vista St. Burbank, CA 91521 818-560-1000

Projects Pending: *Dark Water* based on the book by Koji Suzuki, *Around the World in 80 Days,* based on the book by Jules Verne, *Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen, Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*

Story Editor Casey Wolf All development executives will deal with and accept books, through an agent.

FACTS - Walt Disney Company owns Hyperion Publishing - Paternelle van Arsdale is the Hyperion Executive who funnels books from Hyperion to Disney.

Columbia/Sony 10202 W. Washington Blvd. Culver City, CA 90232 310-244-4000

Projects Pending: Spiderman 2 based on the comic by Stan Lee, The Da Vinci Code, Memoirs of a Geisha, The Night I Followed the Dog

V.P. Story Department - Karen Moy All development executives will deal with and accept books, through an agent.

Dreamworks SKG 1000 Flower St. Glendale, CA 91201 818-695-5000

Projects Pending: *The Ring 2* based on characters from the book Ringu, by Koji Suzuki, Shrek 2, based on the William Steig book, *Memoirs of a Geisha, Tulip Fever, The Stepford Wives.*

Book executive - L.A. Grey Rembert Book executive - N.Y. Lisa Hamilton

All development executives will deal with and accept books, through an agent.



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Miramax (including Dimension, ownded by Walt Disney Company) 375 Greenwich St. New York, N.Y. 1001-2338 212-941-3800

Projects Pending: *Ella Enchanted* A novel by Gail Carson Levine, *The Crow: Wicked Enchantment* based on comic by James O'Barr, *Proof* based on the play by David Auburn, *Bridget Jones; the Edge of Reason, The Nanny Diaries*.

Book executive - Sr. V.P. Jennifer Wachtell

FACTS - Walt Disney Company owns Miramax, and Miramax Press both of which are based out of New York

MGM 10250 Constellation Blvd. Santa Monica, CA 90067 310-449-3000

Projects Pending: Be Cool, Elmore Leonard's sequel to Get Shorty

Book executive - Quentin Curtis, V.P Production.

N.Y. book scout is John Ferrer of Other Productions - 212-244-5666

20th Century Fox 10201 W. Pico Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90035 310-369-1000

Proects Pending: Because of Winn-Dixie, based on children's book by Kate DeCamillo. *Garfield* based on the Garfield comic by Jim Davis, *I*, *Robot* based on the book by Isaac Asimov, *Man on Fire* based on the book by A.J. Quinnell, *X-Men 3*, *Fantastic Four*

Sr. V.P. Creative Affairs - heads story department - Ted Dodd

Book executive NY - Drew Reed - specializes in adult fiction Book executive LA - Riley Ellis - looks for young adult books

FACTS - Parent company owns Harper Collins

Paramount 5555 Melrose Ave. L. A., CA 90038-3197 323-956-5000

Projects Pending: The Stepford Wives based on the book by Ira Levin, Alfie; a remake based on the play by Bill Naughton, Lemony Snicket; a Series of Unfortunate





Events based on the childrens book series by Daniel Handler, *The Manchurian Candidate* a remake of the Richard Condon novel.

Patricia Burke V.P. Literary Affairs N.Y. 212-846-4350 is the book scout who answers to Karen Rosenfeldt, Co-President of Production in L.A.

FACTS - Viacom owns Simon & Shuster as well as Paramount Pictures.

Universal Pictures 100 Universal City Plaza Universal City, CA 91608 818-777-1000

Projects Pending:

Van Helsing based on characters from Dracula by Bram Stoker, The Bourne Supremacy based on the novel by Robert Ludlum, Curious George, The Stepford Wives, The Lecter Variations, Fantastic Four, Bridget Jones; The Edge of Reason, Juraissic Park IV

V.P. Story Department L.A. - Romy Kaufman All development executives will deal with and accept books, through an agent.

New York Book scout Franklin/Siegel Book - 212-868-6311

Warner Bros 4000 Warner Blvd. Burbank, CA 91522 818-954-6000

Projects Pending: *Gossip Girl*, A series by Cecily von Ziegesar through Leslie Morgernsterns 17th Street Productions, *Westworld* by Michael Crichton, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* by Roald Dahl, *The Phantom of the Opera* by Gaston Leroux, *Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban* by J.K. Rowling, *Troy* based on Homer's The Iliad, *A Cinderella Story* based on Cendrillon ou la Petite Pandoufle de Verre by Charles Perreault, *The Polar Express* based on the children's book by Chris Van Allsberg, *Exorcist: The Beginning Years* based on characters in William Peter Blatty's *The Exorcist*

Head of Story Department LA Teresa Wayne - 818-954-1715 All development executives will deal with and accept books, through an agent.

New York Book Scout, Maria B. Campbell - 212-679-4700

FACTS - Owned by Time/Warner. Time/Warner also owns Warner Books and Little, Brown & Co., Little, Brown & Co.'s Children's Publishing, Bullfinch Press, Warner Faith, Time Warner Books UK.



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