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## Experience

### **THE 2022 BILLBOARD MUSIC AWARDS - NBC**

Live from the MGM Grand Garden Arena in Las Vegas, this 3 hour special honors the hottest names in music today.

### **A GRAMMY SALUTE TO PAUL SIMON - CBS**

From the Pantages Theater in Los Angeles, a Grammy tribute to Paul Simon with performances honoring the singer-songwriter.

### **THE 28TH ANNUAL SCREEN ACTORS GUILD AWARDS - TBS/TNT/HBOMAX**

Live from the Barker Hanger in Santa Monica, the award show honors the best achievements in film and television; and an opening performance with Nicholas Braun, Javier Bardem, Elle Fanning, Lin-Manuel Miranda, Leslie Odom Jr. and Daveed Diggs.

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE LIVE: NASHVILLE'S BIG BASH - CBS**

Live from Nashville, this 5 hour CBS New Year's Eve special featured performances from two stages , numerous downtown bars and some of country's biggest stars including Blake Shelton, Lady A, Dierks Bentley, Luke Bryan and Miranda Lambert. Hosted by Bobby Bones and Rachel Smith and crossing multiple time zones.

### **SOUL TRAIN AWARDS 2021 - Jesse Collins Entertainment , BET**

**(2021, 2020,2019,2018)**

Hosted again by Tisha Campbell and Tichina Arnold with awards and musical performances, this year from the legendary Apollo Theater in Harlem.

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## **COUNTDOWN TO THE EMMYS/LIVE FROM E!: THE 2021 EMMY AWARDS/ E! EMMYS AFTER PARTY - DEN OF THIEVES TV, E!**

Live from downtown Los Angeles, three shows covering the 2021 Emmy Awards red carpet and winners.

## **SHINE A LIGHT: A TRIBUTE TO THE FAMILIES OF 9/11 - CNN**

Jake Tapper hosts this special interviewing families and survivors of 9/11 on the 20th anniversary and featuring musical performances by H.E.R., Common, Maroon 5 and Brad Paisley.

## **CRANK YANKERS - ITV, Comedy Central (2021, 2019)**

Scripted re-boot of the crank call show featuring celebrity voices with puppet re-enactments.

## **EX-RATED - BBC Studios, Peacock TV**

Hosted by Andy Cohen, in this 8 episode series singletons brave unfiltered feedback from their exes.

## **SEE US UNITE FOR CHANGE - The Asian American Foundation, Jesse Collins Entertainment, MTV Entertainment Studios**

Ken Jeong hosts this special celebrating AAPI Heritage Month airing on all Viacom platforms and featuring Daniel Dae Kim, Naomi Osaka, Lisa Ling, Olivia Mun, Henry Golding and performances by Jhene Aiko, Saweetie, Black Eyed Peas, Chloe Flower.

## **A GRAMMY SALUTE TO THE SOUNDS OF CHANGE - Jesse Collins Entertainment, CBS**

Hosted by Common, this 2 hour CBS special looks at songs that influenced social change and includes performances by Cynthia Erivo, John Fogerty, Andra Day, Yolanda Adams, Chris Stapleton and Brad Paisley.

## **MY GIFT: A CHRISTMAS SPECIAL FROM CARRIE UNDERWOOD - Playtone, HBO Max**

From Executive Producers Tom Hanks and Gary Goetzman, Carrie Underwood sings songs from her Christmas album including special guest John Legend.

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**THE ALL-STAR NICKMAS SPECTACULAR! - Jesse Collins Entertainment, Nickelodeon**

A holiday variety special with Nickelodeon stars and special guests Tisha Campbell, Gabriel Iglesias, Nayo, Jo Jo Siwa and That Girl Lay Lay.

**TINY TALK SHOW WITH MARSAI MARTIN - Art & Industry, Quibi**

Whimsical talk show hosted by Marsai Martin, with guests Rebel Wilson, Anthony Anderson, Winnie Harlow, Nicole Byer, LaMorne Morris, Storm Reid, Zach King and Miles Brown.

**ALL THAT MUSIC SPECIAL - Nickelodeon**

Executive Producers Kenan Thompson and Kel Mitchell. Comedy sketches and musical guests Super M, Echosmith and Lauv.

**MOVIES FOR GROWNUPS - Great Performances, PBS (2020,2019,2018)**

Award show hosted by Tony Danza, featuring 2020 Oscar nominated actors and films.

**2020 GRAMMYS RED CARPET LIVE! - CBS (2020, 2019, 2018)**

Official Grammys 2020 Red Carpet, Live from Los Angeles.

**MISS AMERICA 2.0 - Irwin Entertainment, NBC**

Live two hour special with a new take on the historic competition. Hosted by Mario Lopez and Kit Hoover, with judges Kelly Rowland, "Queer Eye" culture expert Karamo and actress Lauren Ash.

**DICK CLARK'S NEW YEAR'S ROCKIN' EVE - Dick Clark Productions, ABC**

Live from the Fontainebleau in Miami, Jonas Brothers perform two songs.

**E! LIVE FROM THE RED CARPET - Den of Thieves TV, E!**

Live from the Barker Hanger In Santa Monica, the red carpet show for the People's Choice Awards.

**JUST ROLL WITH IT: YOU DECIDE LIVE! - Disney Channel**

Live version of this Disney Channel family sitcom where the scripted scene gets interrupted and the audience gets to decide what happens next. This is the premiere episode of the second season.

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## **ALL THAT - Nickelodeon**

Series revival of the "SNL" for the tween set from the 90's with an all-new cast and Executive Producer Kenan Thompson and Kel Mitchell. Comedy sketches and musical guests included Ciara, Ty Dolla \$ign, and Tyga.

## **BLACK GIRLS ROCK! - Jesse Collins Entertainment, BET (2019, 2018, 2017)**

Show honoring African American women trailblazers and change makers, hosted by Niecy Nash. With performances by Common, Erykah Badu, India.Aire, Ari Lennox, Kiana Lede, Mumu Fresh, & Elle Varner.

## **GOOD TALK WITH ANTHONY JESELNIK - Comedy Central (6 episodes)**

Conversation, insights and humor as Jeselnik talks with well-known comics in this half-hour series

## **2 DOPE QUEENS - A24, HBO (Season 2)**

4 specials based on the popular podcast hosted by Jessica Williams and Phoebe Robinson. Featuring Lupita Nyong'o, Daniel Radcliffe, Janet Mock, Lizzo, Keegan-Michael Key as well as three standup comedians each show.

## **DEAR MAMA: A LOVE LETTER TO MOMS - Jesse Collins Entertainment, VH1 (2019, 2018)**

Hosted by Antony Anderson and La La Anthony

## **BRENE BROWN: THE CALL TO COURAGE - Don Mischer Productions, Netflix**

The popular author and research professor does her first special, taped at UCLA Royce Hall.

## **SPORTS ILLUSTRATED SPORTSPERSON OF THE YEAR AWARDS - NBC**

Hosted by Joel McHale, honoring athletes who inspired, amazed and surprised the sports world in 2018.

## **POD SAVE AMERICA - A24, HBO**

4 specials based on the popular political podcast from four cities; Miami, Austin, Philadelphia and Irvine. Hosted by Jon Favreau, Jon Lovett, Tommy Vietor, Dan Pfeiffer and special guests in each city leading up to the 2018 midterm elections in November.

## **AMA'S RED CARPET LIVE - Dick Clark Productions, Twitter**

Live two hour red carpet show for the American Music Awards from the Nokia Theater in downtown Los Angeles.

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## **THE STREAMY AWARDS - Dick Clark Productions, YouTube**

Live two hour award show honoring the best in online video and the creators behind it.

## **OUTSIDE HOLLYWOOD - Funny Or Die, Comedy Central**

Pilot hosted by writer/comedian Sean O'Connor; a satire of entertainment news shows.

## **BOSTON POPS 4TH OF JULY FIREWORKS SPECTACULAR - Bloomberg TV (2018, 2017)**

Live from Boston, featuring The Boston Pops, Rachel Platten, Rhiannon Giddens, Rita Moreno, The Indigo Girls and the Tanglewood Festival Chorus.

## **RADIO DISNEY AWARDS - Den of Thieves TV, Disney Channel (2018, 2017)**

Award show with performances from Meghan Trainor, Kelly Clarkson, Charlie Puth, Echosmith, Marshmello and Carrie Underwood.

## **ADAM CONOVER UNTITLED PILOT - Tru TV**

Spin off of "Adam Ruins Everything" featuring Adam Conover.

## **AMAZINGNESS - Superjacket, MTV (8 episodes)**

Variety Talent competition show hosted by Rob Dyrdek.

## **A LITTLE HELP WITH CAROL BURNETT - Dick Clark Productions, Netflix (12 episodes)**

Series hosted by Carol Burnett, featuring kids helping celebrities solve life problems.

## **BEYOND THE WALL WITH GRACE PARRA - Den of Thieves TV, TBS**

Late night show pilot produced by Paul Feig and starring Grace Parra, featuring Santigold.

## **QUEEN SUGAR FINALE AFTER SHOW - OWN**

Hosted by Oprah Winfrey, featuring Ava DuVernay and cast of the show.

## **EVERYTHING NOW LIVE - Done+Dusted, Apple Music**

Live Arcade Fire show from Brooklyn, NY

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**HOOD ADJACENT WITH JAMES DAVIS - Comedy Central  
(8 episodes)**

Comedy series hosted and based on the experiences of James Davis.

**THE 76TH PEABODY AWARDS - PBS, Den of Thieves TV  
(2017, 2016)**

Hosted by Rashida Jones, honoring Peabody Award winners.

**SMART FUNNY & BLACK - TruTV**

Comedy sketches and game based on the standup show by Amanda Seales (pilot).

**2017 GRAMMY PREMIERE CEREMONY - CBS.com**

70 Grammy awards handed out and featuring performances from 7 different Grammy nominated performers.

**iheart JINGLE BALL - Den of Thieves TV, CW**

Live concert from Madison Square Garden featuring Justin Bieber, Ariana Grande, Chainsmokers, Fifth Harmony.

**WONDERLAND - Done+Dusted, MTV  
(6 episodes)**

Live, weekly music show from the downtown LA arts district, hosted by Lizzo and Myke Wright.

**GLAMOUR WOMEN OF THE YEAR 2016 - Facebook Live**

Livestream of Glamour WOTY Summit and Awards.

**ADAM RUINS EVERYTHING ELECTION SPECIAL - truTV**

Adam Conover stand-up election special from the Bellasco Theatre, Los Angeles, featuring Eliza Skinner and Adam Lustick as historical characters.

**2016 MTV VMAs - Den of Thieves TV, MTV**

Nick Jonas live performance in Tick Tock Diner and outside of Madison Square Garden, NYC.

**FOALS LIVE FROM NY - iHEART, ATT**

U.K. band Foals from the ATT Theatre in New York City.

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**BIG FAN - ABC**  
**(series, 5 episodes)**

Hosted by Andy Richter, Executive Producer Jimmy Kimmel.  
Guests include Matthew McConaughey, Kim Kardashian, Aaron Rogers, Kristen Bell, John Stamos.

**LIVE HOUSTON REMOTE FROM FINAL FOUR FESTIVAL - TURNER**

Pitbull, Maroon 5, award commentary with Charles Barkley, Kenny Smith, Reggie Miller, Jason Jones.

**TESLA MODEL 3 REVEAL - TESLA MOTORS**

Live car reveal with Elon Musk

**58TH GRAMMY AWARDS LIVE NEW YORK HAMILTON REMOTE - CBS**

"Alexander Hamilton" - Lin-Manuel Miranda and the cast of "Hamilton" performance  
Award acceptance for Best Musical Theatre Album, "Hamilton"

**THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF DISNEY: DISNEYLAND 60 - ABC**  
**DISNEYLAND PARK PERFORMANCES**

Derek Hough, Pentatonix "Be Our Guest" Opening on Main Street  
Sir Elton John "Circle of Life" and "Crazy Wonderful Night" at Sleeping Beauty's Castle  
Little Big Town "Steve McQueen" at Cars Land  
Idina Menzel "Let It Go" at World of Color

**JIMMY KIMMEL LIVE! - ABC**  
**SERIES DIRECTOR (225 EPISODES)**

July 2014 to November 2015

**JKL! NBA GAME NIGHT PRIME TIME SPECIALS - ABC**  
**(6 EPISODES)**

**JKL! After The Oscars Live - ABC**

Primetime Special after the Academy Awards

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## **Press**

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