

**NEW ACTION THRILLER SERIES *TAKEN* JOINS GLOBAL'S  
MIDSEASON SCHEDULE BEGINNING FEBRUARY 27 AT 10  
P.M. ET/PT**

*Vikings'* Star Clive Standen Stars in the Prequel to the Popular Film Franchise



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**TORONTO, February 9, 2017** – Global welcomes new thriller action series *Taken* to its hit-driven midseason schedule beginning **Monday, February 27 at 10 p.m. ET/PT**. Telling a prequel story of the popular *Taken* film franchise, *Vikings'* Clive Standen stars as Bryan Mills in this new series, as a younger version of the iconic film character, on a quest for vengeance.

From executive producer Luc Besson (*Taken*) comes this modern-day, edge-of-your-seat thriller series that follows the origin story of younger, hungrier former Green Beret, Bryan Mills (Clive Standen, *Vikings*) as he deals with a personal tragedy that shakes his world. As he fights to overcome the trauma of the incident and exact revenge, Mills is pulled into a career as a deadly CIA operative, a job that awakens his very particular, and very dangerous, set of skills.

*Taken* joins Global's [midseason lineup](#) including: *The Blacklist: Redemption* (February 23 at 10 p.m. ET/PT), *Shades of Blue* (March 5 at 10 p.m. ET/PT), *Chicago Justice* (March 1 at 10 p.m. ET/PT), and *Survivor* (March 8 at 8 p.m. ET/PT). Also, *The Good Fight*, the new edition of *The Good Wife*,

premieres on **February 19 at 8 p.m. ET/PT** as a special broadcast premiere event on both Global and W Network. The series then moves to W Network following the series premiere.

Viewers who miss Global's thrilling premiere episode of **Taken** can catch up on [GlobalTV.com](http://GlobalTV.com) and [Global Go](http://GlobalGo) following the broadcast the next day.

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