



# GLOBAL UNVEILS 2022 WINTER LINEUP FEATURING POWERFUL NEW SERIES AND RETURNING BREAKOUT HITS

Sophia Bush and Jason Isaacs Star in New Medical Drama *Good Sam*Premiering Jan. 5

Based on the True Story of Emmett Till and Mamie Till-Mobley, Limited Series *Women of the Movement* Debuts Jan. 6

New Workplace Comedy Abbott Elementary Returns Jan. 5

Season 2 of Ken Jeong Hosted Competition Series *I Can See Your Voice* Premieres Jan. 5 with Reality Hit *Celebrity Big Brother* Returning Feb. 2

New Episodes of Fall's Top 20 Series New Amsterdam, NCIS: Hawai'i, Ghosts, FBI: International, The Equalizer and more return this January

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From L to R: Women of the Movement, Good Sam, I Can See Your Voice, Abbott Elementary

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#### For Immediate Release

TORONTO, December 13, 2021 – Currently ranked as the #1 network in core primetime\*, Global announced today a new lineup of premium winter programming joining Global's celebrated repertoire of top-ranking scripted and unscripted series. Beginning in January, the network welcomes the debut of new medical drama *Good Sam* (Jan. 5 at 10 p.m. ET/PT), historical drama limited series *Women of the Movement* (Jan. 6 at 8 p.m. ET/PT), and Global's latest comedy *Abbott Elementary* (Jan. 5 at 9 p.m. ET/PT). Plus, new seasons of returning hit competition series *I Can See Your Voice* (Jan. 5 at 8 ET/PT) and star-studded reality series *Celebrity Big Brother* (Feb. 2 at 8 p.m. ET/PT) also join the schedule.

In addition, Fall's Top 20 breakout new drama series' <u>NCIS: Hawai'i</u> and <u>FBI: International</u>, and #1 new comedy <u>Ghosts</u>, all return in January alongside new episodes of Global's hit series including <u>NCIS</u>, <u>NCIS: Los Angeles</u>, <u>FBI, FBI: Most Wanted</u>, <u>New Amsterdam</u>, <u>The Equalizer</u> and more.

Global's new winter shows and award-winning lineup of hit series are also all available to stream anytime on GlobalTV.com, the GlobalTV App, and STACKTV.

"Building off a hugely successful fall where Global continues to track as the #1 conventional network in core primetime, Global welcomes 2022 with a fresh, new slate of highly entertaining scripted and unscripted series," said Troy Reeb, Executive Vice President, Broadcast Networks, Corus Entertainment. "Fueled with major star power in new drama *Good Sam*, big laughs in workplace comedy *Abbott Elementary*, and compelling storytelling in limited series *Women of the Movement*, Global continues to deliver Canadian audiences some of the most premium and coveted TV content."

# **NEW WINTER SERIES**

Global adds two new captivating dramas to its growing collection of scripted series. Currently filming in the Toronto area, procedural medical drama *Good Sam* premieres *Wednesday*, *Jan.* 5 at 10 p.m. ET/PT. Starring Sophia Bush (*Chicago P.D.*) and Jason Isaacs (*Harry Potter*), the series follows Dr. Samantha Griffith (Bush), the new top surgeon at Lakeshore Sentinel Hospital, a role she's had ever since the legendary leader of the place – her father (Isaacs) – fell into a coma. But complications have set in: Having recovered, the elder doc wants to resume his duties. The result is a clash of family wills between old guard and new methods in a life-and-death business.

Next up, six-episode limited series *Women of the Movement* debuts **Thursday**, **Jan. 6** at **8 p.m. ET/PT**, and continues to air for three consecutive weeks. The limited series is based on the true story of Mamie Till-Mobley (Adrienne Warren), who in 1955 risked her life to find justice after her son Emmett (Cedric Joe) was brutally murdered in the Jim Crow South. Unwilling to let Emmett's murder disappear from the headlines, Mamie chose to bear her pain on the world's stage, emerging as an activist for justice and igniting the civil rights movement as we know it today.

Moving to Global's unscripted content, mystery musical competition series *I Can See Your Voice* joins Global for a second season, kicking off with an all-new special holiday-themed episode **Tuesday**, **Dec. 14** at **10 p.m. ET/PT**, and then returns **Wednesday**, **Jan. 5** at **8 p.m. ET/PT** for the season premiere in its regular time slot. Hosted and executive-produced by Ken Jeong (*The Masked Singer*), each week one contestant will have the chance to win a cash prize if they can tell the difference between the good and bad singers, without ever hearing them sing a note.

Fan favourite reality series *Celebrity Big Brother* also returns for a third season on **Wednesday**, **Feb. 2** at **8 p.m. ET/PT**. Hosted by Julie Chen Moonves, the celebrity edition will air multiple nights each week throughout February, with the finale on **Wednesday**, **Feb. 23**. Stay tuned for the full lineup of celebrities

entering the Big Brother house this season.

Rounding out Global's new winter series is *Abbott Elementary*. After an early premiere in December, Global's latest comedy is back **Wednesday**, **Jan. 5** at **9 p.m. ET/PT**, and will air Wednesdays for three consecutive weeks and then moves to **Thursdays beginning Jan. 27**. The workplace comedy follows a group of dedicated, passionate teachers – and a slightly tone-deaf principal – as they navigate the Philadelphia public school system.

#### **RETURNING SERIES**

Together with the highly-anticipated new series for 2022, Global brings back the network's most indemand returning shows and hit franchises. First, prolific newsmagazine broadcast <u>60 Minutes</u> returns **Sunday, Jan. 2** at **7 p.m. ET/PT**, followed by Queen Latifah-led action-packed drama **The Equalizer** at **8 p.m. ET/PT**. Then, catch **NCIS** airing **Monday, Jan. 3** at **9 p.m. ET/PT** followed by the second mostwatched new show of the fall **NCIS: Hawai'i** at **10 p.m. ET/PT**. On Tuesdays, the **FBI** franchise will keep audiences engaged throughout multiple hours of the night starting with **FBI: Most Wanted** returning **Tuesday, Jan. 4** at **7 p.m. ET/PT**, **FBI** at **8 p.m. ET/PT** and **FBI: International** at **9 p.m. ET/PT**.

Meanwhile, made-in-Canada current affairs series <u>The New Reality</u> returns to Global on **Saturday, Jan. 8** at **8 p.m. ET**. Then, true crime series **Crime Beat** is back on **Friday, Jan. 14** at **10 p.m. ET**.

For a list of Global's new winter premiere dates with program descriptions, click here.

Global will announce additional premieres in the coming months for more new shows and returning seasons including the **#2** show of the fall <u>9-1-1</u>, Global original reality juggernaut <u>Big Brother Canada</u>, and more.

# AT A GLANCE: SNAPSHOT OF GLOBAL'S 2022 WINTER LINEUP – NEW PREMIERES AND SERIES RETURN DATES

All times are ET and subject to change. New series and seasons are listed in **bold**.

# Sunday, Jan, 2

7 p.m. – 60 Minutes – Season 54 return

8 p.m. - The Equalizer - Season 2 return

9 p.m. – NCIS: Los Angeles – Season 13 return

10 p.m. – S.W.A.T. – Season 5 return – New timeslot premiere

#### Monday, Jan, 3

8 p.m. – The Neighborhood – Season 4 return – New timeslot premiere

9 p.m. – NCIS – Season 9 return

10 p.m. – NCIS: Hawai'i – Season 1 return

# Tuesday, Jan, 4

7 p.m. – FBI: Most Wanted – Season 3 return

8 p.m. – FBI – Season 4 return

9 p.m. – FBI: International – Season 1 return

10 p.m. – New Amsterdam – Season 5 return

# Wednesday, Jan, 5

8 p.m. – *I Can See Your Voice* – Season 2 return

9 p.m. - Abbott Elementary - Season 1 return

10 p.m. – **Good Sam** – New series premiere

# Thursday, Jan, 6

7:30 p.m. - Ghosts - Season 1 return

8 p.m. – *Women of the Movement* – Limited series premiere 10 p.m. – *Bull* – Season 6 return

# Friday, Jan, 7

8 p.m. - The Blacklist - Season 9 return - New timeslot premiere

#### Saturday, Jan, 8

8 p.m. - The New Reality - Season 9 return

#### Monday, Jan, 10

8:30 p.m. – *United States of AI* – Season 2 return – New timeslot premiere

#### Friday, Jan, 14

10 p.m. - Crime Beat - Season 3 return

# Thursday, Jan. 27

9 p.m. – Abbott Elementary – One time only

# Wednesday, Feb, 2

8 p.m. - Celebrity Brother - Season 3 premiere

# Thursday, Feb, 3

8 p.m. – *Abbott Elementary* – One time only 8:30 p.m. – *Ghosts* – One time only

#### Thursday, Feb, 10

9 p.m. – *Ghosts* – Regular timeslot 9:30 p.m. – *Abbott Elementary* – Regular timeslot

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\*Sources: Numeris PPM Data, Total Canada, Fall'21 STD (9/13/2021 to 11/28/2021), confirmed data, Ind. 2+, AMA(000), 3+ airings, CDN CONV COM ENG National Networks, \*Core Primetime = M-Su 8p-11p, Local Time, Ind. 2+ and A25-54

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