



# GLOBAL HEADS DOWN UNDER WITH NCIS: SYDNEY JOINING THE FALL SCHEDULE

The First-Ever International Edition of Globally Popular 'NCIS' Franchise Premieres Monday, November 13 on Global

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**TORONTO, September 7, 2023** – This fall, Global takes Canadian viewers down under with the latest addition to its stacked primetime <u>lineup</u>, *NCIS: Sydney*. Filmed against the spectacular backdrop of one of the world's most breathtaking harbour cities, the eight-episode season of *NCIS: Sydney* will air Mondays, beginning **Monday**, **November 13** at **10 p.m. ET/PT** on **Global** and **STACKTV** in simulcast with CBS. This series marks the first-ever international edition of the top-rated 'NCIS' television franchise.

With rising international tensions in the Indo-Pacific, a brilliant and eclectic team of U.S. NCIS agents and the Australian Federal Police (AFP) are pulled into a multinational taskforce to keep naval crimes in check in the most contested patch of ocean on the planet. *NCIS: Sydney* marks the fifth series in the popular global 'NCIS' franchise, which includes *NCIS* and *NCIS: Hawai'i*, both picked up for their 21<sup>st</sup> and third seasons, respectively.

The series stars Olivia Swann (*DC's Legends of Tomorrow*, *The River Wild*) as NCIS Special Agent Michelle Mackey and Todd Lasance (*Without Remorse*, *Spartacus: War of the Damned*) as her 2IC AFP counterpart, Sergeant Jim "JD" Dempsey. They are joined by Sean Sagar (*The Covenant, Mea Culpa*) as NCIS Special Agent DeShawn Jackson; Tuuli Narkle (*Mystery Road: Origin, Bad Behaviour*) as AFP liaison officer Constable Evie Cooper; Mavournee Hazel (*Shantaram, Halifax: Retribution*) as AFP forensic scientist Bluebird "Blue" Gleeson and William McInnes (*The Newsreader, Total Control*) as AFP forensic pathologist Dr. Roy Penrose.

*NCIS:* Sydney is produced for CBS Studios and Paramount Australia by Endemol Shine Australia and distributed outside Australia by Paramount Global Content Distribution. The series is created by Morgan O'Neill (*Les Norton*), who also serves as executive producer alongside Endemol Shine Australia's Sara Richardson (*RFDS*) and Sue Seeary (*Ten Pound Poms*).

Global's lineup of hit series are available to stream anytime on <u>STACKTV</u>, the <u>Global TV App</u> and <u>GlobalTV.com</u>.

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