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The Association of Commercial Television in Europe (ACT) is a trade body for the commercial broadcasting sector in Europe. Formed in 1989, the ACT has 27 member companies active in 37 European countries, operating and distributing several thousand free-to-air and pay-tv channels and new media services.

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Discovery: Eurosport earmarks further investment in coverage as cycling audience numbers soar



Eurosport reported a significant 26% increase in average live audience numbers in 2017 compared to 2016 for the coverage of the three cycling's Grand Tours (the Giro d'Italia, Tour de France and Vuelta a España). Eurosport continues then to invest heavily in its industry-leading coverage of cycling. The channel was among others rewarded with a nomination in the 'Best Live Event Coverage' at this year's TV Sports Awards.

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MTG secures ATP tennis rights for Sweden and Norway



MTG has acquired the exclusive Swedish and Norwegian media rights to the ATP World Tour Masters 1000 and the season-ending ATP World Tour Finals until 2019. Fans can experience 10 world-class ATP tennis tournaments every year on MTG's video streaming service Viaplay and pay-TV channels.

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RTL Group: Olympic partnership



RTL Luxembourg has secured the television, radio and internet rights

for the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games and renewed its commitment with the Luxembourg Olympic Committee. RTL Luxembourg's various media will be able to follow and broadcast the performances of Luxembourg athletes during the Tokyo 2020 Summer Olympics.

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Marvel's Inhumans descends on Sky 1 this autumn



This autumn Sky 1 will broadcast, in the UK and Ireland, the new series Marvel's Inhumans. The series tells the tale of the Inhuman Royal Family escaping to Hawaii after a military coup.

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UPCOMING POLICY EVENTS IN SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

- 28/09/17 EP LIBE Consideration of amendments on e-Privacy (Lauristin)
- 28/09/17 EP IMCO Vote on e-Privacy opinion (Maydell)
- 28/09/17 Informal dinner of the EU Heads of state or government on the Future of Europe, Tallinn
- 29/09/17 EU Digital Summit, Tallinn
- 29/09/17 Commission Workshop on the Study on the promotion of European works in audiovisual media services, Brussels
- 2/10/17 EP ITRE Vote on e-Privacy opinion (Kallas) and Electronic Communications Code (Del Castillo), Strasbourg
- 2/10/17 EP JURI Vote on e-Privacy opinion (Voss), Strasbourg
- 3-4/10/17 Council IP Working Party, Brussels
- 4/10/17 Council Audiovisual Working Party
- 5/10/17 EP LIBE Vote on copyright opinion (Boni), Brussels

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