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## About ACT

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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## Members' Newsroom

### TF1 and CANAL+ Groups acquire broadcasting rights to UEFA Women's EURO 2021

TF1 and CANAL + announce the acquisition of the next UEFA Women's EURO 2021, which will take place in England from July 11 to August 1, 2021. TF1 Group channels will carry exclusive free-to-air coverage of the 14 highest profile fixtures. CANAL+ Group will carry exclusive pay-to-view coverage of the entire tournament (31 matches).

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### New figures from ITV's Britain Get Talking parent survey conducted by YouGov



According to a new survey commissioned by ITV, *Britain Get Talking*, half of parents in the UK are worried about their children's mental health, but many are unsure how to support mental wellness in teenagers and significant numbers say they don't engage in regular, proper conversation with their youngsters.

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### Mediaset announces a partnership with Netflix for "Made in Italy" productions



Mediaset and Netflix announced they will create a slate of Italian films together. This is a first of its kind partnership bringing together one of Europe's leading free-to-air broadcasters with an Internet

entertainment service. Mediaset and Netflix will jointly develop multiple “Made in Italy” Italian-language films by local independent producers. Mediaset CEO Pier Silvio Berlusconi stated “It is an honor to see the recognition of Mediaset’s leadership in Italy in content production. Mediaset is already a leader in Italy and Spain, and in the near future, thanks to MFE-MediaForEurope, our aim will be to reinforce agreements like this one.”

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## NENT Group and Camilla Läckberg create original series Hammarvik



*Hammarvik*, created by best-selling Swedish author Camilla Läckberg, is the next original production from Nordic Entertainment Group (NENT Group). The innovative 16-part series blends crime drama and soap opera. It will premiere exclusively on NENT Group’s Viaplay streaming service across the Nordic region in late 2020.

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## RTL Group: Whatever is not an opinion!



On 1 October 2019, the German news channel N-TV launched an image campaign centred around the slogan *Egal ist keine Meinung!* (Whatever is not an opinion!). In the TV and print ads and online, N-TV underlines its position as a reliable supplier of news, providing background information and putting it into context so that people can form their own picture, even about polarising topics.

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## Sky original Upright, starring Tim Minchin and Milly Alcock, set to air on 28th November on Sky Atlantic



On 28th November 2019, Sky Atlantic and NOW TV will take audiences on a wild road trip across the Australian outback with brand new, sharp-tongued and touching Sky original comedy drama, *Upright*. *Upright* follows two misfits thrown together by chance in the middle of the Australian desert, who forge the unlikeliest of bonds in

their quest to get a precious piano from one side of the country to the other.

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## UPCOMING EU POLICY EVENTS IN OCTOBER 2019

- 9-10/10/19 EP Mini-Plenary, Brussels
- 10/10/19 High Level Group on Internet Governance meeting, Brussels
- 11/10/19 Council Telecom Working Party, Brussels
- 14/10/19 Council IP Working Party, Brussels
- 15/10/19 Council Telecom Working Party, Brussels
- 17-18/10/19 European Council, Brussels
- 21-24/10/19 EP Plenary, Strasbourg

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### ACT members

