

# TBS & TNT bring fan-first experiences to Comic-Con International 2017

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## TBS & TNT Are Bringing Out-of-this-World, Fan-First Experiences, All-Star Panels, Sneak Peeks and More to Comic-Con International®

Activations and Panels from Cable's Top 2 Networks with Young Adults Include TBS's *People of Earth* VR Abduction Experience and *Wrecked* Pop-Up Island, Sneak Peeks of TBS's New Animated Series and TNT's *The Last Ship* Season 4, A Week of *CONAN* Tapings and a *People of Earth* Airport Takeover



Turner's TBS & TNT are bringing out-of-this-world comedy and action to **San Diego** for **Comic-Con International® 2017**. The networks' presence at the annual gathering will feature all-star panels and immersive attractions, including a **multi-sensory *People of Earth* virtual reality experience** that allows fans to experience what it feels like to be abducted by aliens and a ***Wrecked* Pop-Up Island** docked in the marina behind the San Diego Convention Center.

Among the many stars set to participate in panel sessions are **Eric Dane, Adam Baldwin** and **Bridget Regan** from TNT's *The Last Ship* and **Ana Gasteyer, Oscar Nunez, Nasim Pedrad, Michael Cassidy, Ken Hall, Björn Gustaffson, Brian Huskey, David Jenkins, Luka Jones** and **Alice Wetterlund** from TBS's *People of Earth*.

In addition, **Conan O'Brien** will be back in San Diego for the third year in a row to tape a week of **CONAN** episodes at the **Spreckels Theatre**. This year, TBS's late-night hit will welcome the stars of

the TV series *Game of Thrones* and *Supernatural*, as well as the movies *Bright* and *The LEGO Ninjago Movie*.

Below is a rundown of TBS & TNT's events scheduled for Comic-Con International® 2017.

## TBS's *People of Earth* Takeover of San Diego International Airport



The Turner presence is already being felt by travellers at **San Diego International Airport**, thanks to a massive takeover celebrating TBS's hit comedy *People of Earth*. Billboards, wraps and other imagery don everything from the baggage carousels to the escalators with messaging about *People of Earth*'s highly anticipated second season, which launches on **Monday, July 24**, the day after Comic-Con.

Visitors are also invited to take photos in front of the *People of Earth* "Boop" column wraps and post their pictures to social media using **#PeopleofEarth**.

## TBS's *People of Earth* Abduction Experience

TBS, Brand Connections, SupersphereVR and Stun Creative invite fans to experience the extraordinary Comic-Con virtual reality activation in celebration of the second season of *People of Earth*. This exciting attraction will give Comic-Con attendees the chance to be abducted by the aliens of [People of Earth](#) in a completely original one-on-one encounter. The three-minute experience, written by show creator **David Jenkins**, highlights the aliens' unique personality quirks and their bright, antiseptic ship. Visitors will leave with a socially shareable "reaction" gif to one of the multi-sensory triggers.

**Location:** San Diego Convention Center, Booth 3629

**Hours of Operation:**



Wednesday, July 19, 6-9 p.m. (Preview Night)

Thursday, July 20 – Saturday, July 22, 9:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
Sunday, July 23, 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

## **TBS's Aliens and *People of Earth* Panel**

The stars and creator of TBS's out-of-this-world comedy series ***People of Earth*** will be on-hand to celebrate the show's second season. The session will kick off with an exclusive screening of the new season's first episode, followed by a Q&A discussion with the panelists.

**Panelists:** Ana Gasteyer, Oscar Nunez, Nasim Pedrad, Michael Cassidy, Ken Hall, Björn Gustaffson, Brian Huskey, Luka Jones and Alice Wetterlund, as well as series creator David Jenkins

**Moderator:** *TV Guide's* Jim Halterman

**Date:** Friday, July 21, 6-7 p.m.

**Location:** San Diego Convention Center, Room 6A

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## ***Wrecked* Pop-Up Island**

**TBS** has created a one-of-a-kind floating island that invites fans to experience the ***Wrecked*** island life. After touring the California coast for the past few weeks, the island comes ashore for its *tour de Comic-Con*, a four-day stint during which it will be docked in the marina behind the San Diego Convention Center. Fans will be able to enjoy the huge island paradise filled with activities and photo ops designed to replicate the *Wrecked* experience of being stranded on a remote island. A 21+ experience with free drinks and custom coconut cocktail cups.



### **Activities:**

- Mechanical Boar
- Palm tree climbing wall
- Skee-Ball
- Putt into "The Pitt"
- Search and Rescue photo op
- Real Lotus Airlines fuselage

**Location:** 5th Ave. Landing, Slip 1-A

**Hours of Operation:** Thursday, July 19 – Sunday, July 23, Noon-5 p.m.

**Press Hours:** Thursday, July 20, and Friday, July 21, 11 a.m.-Noon

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## **TBS Gets Animated**

**TBS** is diving into animation in a big way, and the executive producers, creators and writers from the network's current and upcoming animated series are going to be at Comic-Con to showcase exclusive clips and sneak peeks of each show. The panel will include **Matt Weitzman**, co-creator and executive producer of TBS's hit show ***American Dad!***; **Carson Mell**, creator and executive producer of ***Tarantula***, a new series about the eccentric residents of the Tierra Chula Resident Hotel; creator and executive producer **Olan Rogers** and executive producer **David Sacks** of ***Final Space***, a serialized intergalactic space saga about an spaceman named Gary and his adorable, planet-destroying friend, Mooncake; and **J.G. Quintel**, creator of the Emmy®-winning *Regular Show*, whose new TBS series ***Close Enough*** centers on a family growing up without getting old.



**Panelists:** Matt Weitzman (*American Dad!*), Carson Mell (*Tarantula*), Olan Rogers & David Sacks (*Final Space*) and J.G. Quintel (*Close Enough*)

**Moderator:** *People of Earth's* Brian Huskey

**Date:** Thursday, July 20, 7-8 p.m.

**Location:** San Diego Convention Center, Room 7AB

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### ***The Last Ship* Panel & Season 4 Sneak Peek**



In honor of ***The Last Ship***'s upcoming fourth season - which will launch with a two-episode premiere **Sunday, Aug. 20, at 9 p.m. (ET/PT)** - TNT will present a panel featuring series stars **Eric Dane**, **Adam Baldwin** and **Bridget Regan**, as well as executive producer **Steven Kane**. The session will include an exclusive sneak peek of season four.

**Panelists:** Eric Dane, Adam Baldwin, Bridget Regan and Steven Kane

**Moderator:** *TV Guide's* Jim Halterman

**Date:** Sunday, July 23, 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

**Location:** San Diego Convention Center, Hall H

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**TBS's *CONAN* at Comic-Con, Including New *CONAN360* Live Pre-Show**

**Conan O'Brien** returns to **San Diego** for the third year in a row with star-filled shows taped live during **Comic-Con International®**. The roster includes stars from the upcoming Netflix movie **Bright**, the new Warner Bros. film **The LEGO Ninjago Movie**, HBO's **Game of Thrones**, The CW's **Supernatural** and a surprise film cast to be announced. **CONAN's** Comic-Con® International shows will be taped at San Diego's historic **Spreckels Theatre**. Episodes are slated to air Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at **11 p.m. (ET/PT)** on TBS.



New this year will be the **CONAN360 Live Pre-Show**, shot from the roof of Spreckels Theatre. Sponsored by **AT&T**, the pre-show will air live each night in 360-degrees across Team Coco's social handles, giving fans at home access to bonus interviews, behind-the-scenes guest arrivals and more.

Here's the schedule for the week's guests:

### **Wednesday, July 19**

**Stars from *Bright*:** Will Smith, Joel Edgerton, Noomi Rapace, Edgar Ramirez and Lucy Fry

**Stars from *Supernatural*:** Jared Padalecki and Jensen Ackles

### **Thursday, July 20**

A surprise film cast to be announced

### **Saturday, July 22**

**Stars from *The Lego Ninjago Movie*:** Dave Franco, Olivia Munn, Justin Theroux, Zach Woods, Michael Pena, Kumail Nanjiani and Abbi Jacobson

### **Sunday, July 23**

**Stars from *Game of Thrones*:** Alfie Allen, Jacob Anderson, John Bradley, Gwendoline Christie, Liam Cunningham, Nathalie Emmanuel, Conleth Hill, Sophie Turner and Isaac Hempstead Wright

For tickets and more information about **CONAN's** San Diego shows, please visit [teamcoco.com/comiccon](http://teamcoco.com/comiccon). Fans can keep connected with **CONAN** during Comic-Con by using **#ConanCon** on social media.

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## **About TBS & TNT**

**TBS** is television's #1 comedy network and home to six of the most popular and critically acclaimed new comedy series on cable - [Angie Tribeca](#), [The Detour](#), [Full Frontal with Samantha Bee](#), [People of Earth](#), [Search Party](#) and [Wrecked](#) - as well as the animated hit [American Dad!](#) Upcoming comedies include *The Guest Book*, *The Last O.G.*, *Close Enough*, *The Cops*, *Tarantula* and *Final Space*. TBS also presents late-night comedy in the form of [CONAN](#), starring Conan O'Brien, and [Full Frontal with Samantha Bee](#), and will soon launch a late-night block from Super Deluxe. TBS's slate of unscripted series includes the upcoming competition series *Drop the Mic* and *The Joker's Wild*. In addition, the TBS lineup includes popular comedy hits like [Family Guy](#), [The Cleveland Show](#), [Bob's Burgers](#), [The Big Bang Theory](#), [New Girl](#) and [2 Broke Girls](#); blockbuster movies; and live coverage of Major League Baseball's regular and post-season play, the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Championship and E! LEAGUE, Turner's eSports gaming league.

**TNT** is basic cable's #1 network in primetime with young adults and is home to one of cable's most

popular slates of original series, including [Animal Kingdom](#), [Claws](#), [Good Behavior](#), [Will](#), [The Last Ship](#), [Major Crimes](#), [The Librarians](#) and the upcoming [The Alienist](#) and more. TNT's premium non-fiction series include the upcoming [Michael Moore Live from the Apocalypse](#) and [Who Run the World?](#), from Refinery29 and executive producers Sarah Jessica Parker & Morgan Spurlock. TNT also presents popular shows like [Arrow](#), [Supernatural](#), [Bones](#) and [Castle](#); primetime specials, such as the [Screen Actors Guild Awards®](#) and the [iHeartRadio Music Awards](#); and championship sports coverage, including the NBA and the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Championship.

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