

Coming Soon A New TV Series From Fortune Films

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AN EXPLOSIVE NEW DRAMA !

SYNOPSIS

It's the 1980s and Nick Hunter is one of the smart and cocky young air traffic controllers working in the Tower at Chicago O'Hare, the busiest airport in the world. The job is 110 percent stress and machismo as Nick and his fellow ATCs "move metal" -- a job that involves more drama and danger than the flying public could ever imagine.

Written by a veteran air traffic controller who lived some of these stories and a Pulitzer Prize winning writer, this explosive new television drama takes viewers into the exciting and previously untapped world of what really happens in the air and on the ground as millions fly daily. In the Tower, stress and the potential for crisis mix collide as fallible human beings struggle daily to avert catastrophe in the sky. If only these extreme "Type A" personalities had as much control over their personal lives.

Nick Hunter is a reluctant-yet-able hero who pushes personal demons aside as emergencies pile up on his watch. An engine falls on the runway crippling a plane. A medical emergency on a jet demands attention. A topless woman bursts into a cockpit. The tension ratchets up weekly as Nick and his colleagues work to protect the nation's skies from disaster, a near impossible task.

While dramas with a strong yet damaged protagonist such as Jack Shephard on "Lost," Dr. Gregory House on "House" and Jack Bauer on "24" are familiar to audiences, the world of air traffic controllers -- a profession staffed with a "cowboys" hell-bent on doing things their way -- is a unique and compelling concept for a new television drama.

Step into The Tower. Thousands of people have put their lives in your hands.



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BOB RICHARDS - WRITER

Bob Richards was an air traffic controller at Chicago O'Hare for more than 20 years and is the author of "Secrets From the Tower," a book on the real-life experiences of an air traffic controller at the busiest airport in the world. Richards retired in February 2007 and is now a regular commentator on air traffic and aviation issues on shows such as Good Morning America, The Today Show, CNN, Fox News National and the Nightly News for ABC, NBC and CBS. He also serves as a part-time aviation consultant for various news organizations.



DIANA ERWIN - WRITER

Diana Erwin is a veteran writer with 20 years experience whose many writing and screenwriting awards include a Pulitzer Prize. She's sold screenplays for four feature films, including the August 2010 release "Chain Letter" starring Nikki Reed of Twilight (\$384 million worldwide), "The Hustle" starring Charlie Murphy and David Alan Grier and "Terminated," now in pre-production with Todd Slater (Sahara, Ray). She also wrote five original "Nite Tales" episodes that aired on WGN America in 2009 starring talent such as Gary Busey, Ray J, Brigitte Nielsen and Flavor Flav.



CASPAR VON WINTERFELDT - PRODUCER

Caspar von Winterfeldt is both a Vassar College and American Film Institute alum who worked all over the world as an investment banker, raising more than \$1.8 billion in capital as a biotechnology financier before joining the film industry. He was senior vice president and head of production for Film and Music Entertainment, Inc. before launching Fortune Films LLC in 2006 to fund a slate of projects now in production.

