

## Milennium Entertainment Acquires ‘The Babymakers’ for U.S.

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Millennium Entertainment has acquired U.S. rights to the Jay Chandrasekhar-directed comedy *The Babymakers*. The film, which had its world premiere at the SXSW Film Festival in March, will receive a July 3 release on Ultra VOD followed by a platform theatrical release July 27.

**Olivia Munn, Paul Schneider, Aisha Tyler, Kevin Heffernan, Wood Harris, Constance Zimmer, M.C. Gainey, Nat Faxon** and Chandrasekhar star in the story of a man who recruits a group of friends to steal his old deposit from a sperm bank when he is unable to get his wife pregnant. **Peter Gaulke** and **Gerry Swallow** wrote the screenplay.

**Jason Blum** of Blumhouse, **Brian Kavanaugh-Jones** of Automatik and Chandrasekhar of Duck Attack produced. Alliance Films' **Charles Layton**, IM Global's **Stuart Ford** and Heffernan served as executive producers. Alliance and IM Global co-financed the movie.

“We’re thrilled to add Jay’s latest high-jinks comedy to our release slate,” said Millennium CEO **Bill Lee**. “Jay’s films have a rabid fan base, and *The Babymakers* features a stellar cast that delivers gut-busting performances.”

Millennium exec **Tristen Tuckfield** negotiated the deal with **John Sloss** and Kavanaugh-Jones on behalf of the filmmakers. IM Global's genre sales arm Octane is handling international rights, with Alliance distributing in Canada, the U.K. and Spain.

Millennium Entertainment has recently released *Intruders*, *Trespass*, *Rampart* and *High Road*. Upcoming releases include **Richard Linklater**’s *Bernie*, *A Little Bit of Heaven*, *Little Birds* and *Red Lights*, which the company acquired out of the Sundance Film Festival in January.