

JAMES N. GIANOPULOS  
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Fox Filmed Entertainment

James N. Gianopulos is Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Fox Filmed Entertainment, a position he has held since July 2000. He oversees all feature film and television production for the Fox studios, and the marketing and global distribution of Fox's wide variety of content through all windows and platforms spanning the theatrical, broadcast, cable, home entertainment, digital and mobile markets.

Mr. Gianopulos has been involved in the music, film, and television business for more than 30 years, and is considered one of the entertainment industry's leading executives in the field of media and new technologies. In a business known for its many changes of management, the team led by Mr. Gianopulos and his colleagues has been the longest at the helm of any major Hollywood studio, and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox is widely regarded as the most profitable and effectively managed studio of its peers.

During his tenure, the studio has released a broad range of successful films including the ***Star Wars trilogy***, ***Titanic***, the highest grossing movie of all time, ***Independence Day***, ***Live Free Or Die Hard***, ***Night at the Museum***, ***The Simpson Movie***, ***Borat***, the ***X-Men Series***, ***The Day After Tomorrow***, ***The Devil Wears Prada***, ***Walk The Line***, ***Minority Report***, ***Moulin Rouge***, and ***Taken***, to name just a few.

Under his leadership the studio's digital animation division Blue Sky Studios produced the ***Ice Age*** series, ***Dr. Seuss' Horton Hears a Who***, and ***Robots***, among others. This year, the 3D film ***Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs***, became the highest grossing animated feature of all time internationally, earning more than \$870 million in theaters worldwide.

Fox Searchlight Pictures, the studio's specialized film division, produces critical and commercial successes such as *The Wrestler*, *Juno*, *Little Miss Sunshine*, *Sideways*, *Napoleon Dynamite*, and last year's winner of eight Academy Awards, including Best Picture, *Slumdog Millionaire*.

Prior to his current post, Mr. Gianopulos was President of Twentieth Century Fox International, which is considered the leading international distribution operation in the world. In that position, which he held from 1994 until assuming his present duties, Mr. Gianopulos oversaw all international marketing and distribution of theatrical releases, the Home Entertainment division, as well as the financing, acquisition and co-production of films for Fox throughout the world. Among the many notable successes during Mr. Gianopulos' tenure at Fox International are the Oscar winners *Titanic* (which earned more internationally than any other film has in worldwide gross) and *Braveheart*, in addition to the achievement of simultaneously having four of the five top grossing pictures of all time internationally: *Titanic*, *Star Wars*, *Independence Day* and *Star Wars: Episode 1 – The Phantom Menace*.

Prior to joining Twentieth Century Fox, Mr. Gianopulos held senior management positions at Paramount and Columbia Pictures following his career as an attorney specializing in entertainment.

Mr. Gianopulos is a Governor of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts & Sciences, a Board Member of the Motion Picture & Television Fund, and a Trustee of the American Film Institute. He is involved in a number of civic and philanthropic activities including serving on the National Entertainment Advisory Council for the Anti-Defamation League and The Brady Center. He also has served on Honorary Committees for The Fulfillment Fund, The City of Hope and the Multiple Sclerosis Society for which he was the 2001 honoree, The Help Group, which honored him with its Humanitarian Award in 2005, the Alliance for Lupus Research and others.

Mr. Gianopulos attended Boston University (BA, 1973), the Fordham School of Law (Juris Doctor, 1976) and the LLM program at the New York University School of Law. He resides in Los Angeles with his wife Ann and their three daughters.