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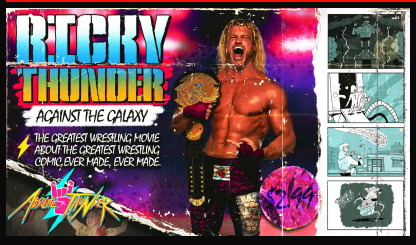


Comic panels: Kyle Starks, *The Legend of Ricky Thunder*, used with permission. Photo courtesy of Nic Nemeth.

ABSOLUTE THUNDER

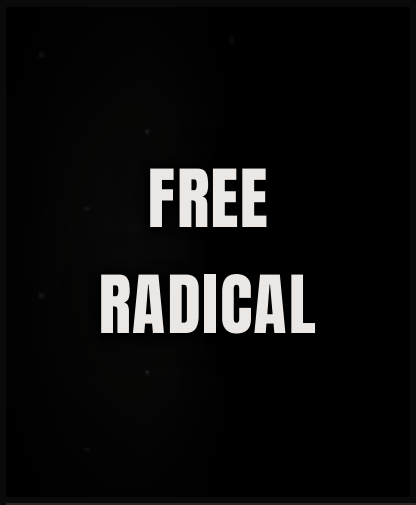
ACTION COMEDY · FEATURE · 110 MIN

The greatest wrestling movie about the greatest wrestling comic ever made, ever made.

Ricky Thunder is wrestling's world champion and the only man who doesn't know it's fake. When alien colonizers take his homemade belt literally, Earth's fate rides on his next match.

An original feature adaptation of "The Legend of Ricky Thunder" by three-time Eisner-nominated comic creator Kyle Starks. A feel-good, superstar-jammed action comedy piledriver to the face, aimed at the audience Netflix paid more than $5 billion to own: wrestling fans, who watched 525 million hours of WWE on Netflix in 2025.

WRITER/DIR	DON THACKER, EMMY WINNER
ATTACHED	ICONIC WRESTLING SUPERSTAR NIC NEMETH (FORMERLY WWE'S DOLPH ZIGGLER) AS RICKY THUNDER. TWO-TIME WORLD HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION AND FORMER TNA WORLD CHAMPION
SOURCE	KYLE STARKS, THREE-TIME EISNER-NOMINATED COMIC CREATOR
COMPS	NAPOLEON DYNAMITE · NACHO LIBRE · HOT FUZZ · FIGHTING WITH MY FAMILY
STATUS	PRESS ANNOUNCED · OPTION CURRENT
SCRIPT	SCRIPTMENT COMPLETE: FULL DRAFT Q1 2027
SEEKING	FINANCE · SALES AGENT · DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS



FREE RADICAL

SCI-FI BODY HORROR · FEATURE · 90 MIN

I GIVE MY BODY TO THE WING.

After a battle to save humanity, a starfighter pilot flung into deep space has one way home, and every jump toward it turns more of his body into his own ship.

A battle at the edge of the solar system wipes out Echo Squadron. Its leader, Juke Lockland, wakes alone in his wrecked starfighter, lost in deep space, with one goal: get home to the woman he loves. Every jump brings him closer. Every jump leaves him a little less man and a little more ship.

A 90-minute sci-fi body horror that stays in one seat and ends as an odyssey witnessed through a single canopy. One practical cockpit set. Practical miniatures. One lead actor.

WRITER/DIR	DON THACKER, EMMY WINNER
LEAD ROLE	LATE 20S TO LATE 30S. ONE ACTOR CARRIES THE FILM.
SCIENCE	MIGUEL ALCUBIERRE, PHYSICIST BEHIND THE ALCUBIERRE WARP DRIVE
COMPS	MOON · UPGRADE · THE SUBSTANCE · TOGETHER
STATUS	SCRIPT UNDERWAY: FULL DRAFT Q4 2026
SEEKING	FINANCE · SALES AGENT · DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS

GUN

SCI-FI ACTION · FEATURE · 110 MIN

In a world with GUN, the righteous man stands alone.

An original sci-fi action IP with high social relevance and massive sequel potential. A looking-glass morality tale about gun control, social media, surveillance culture, corporate greed and violence.

WRITER/DIR	DON THACKER
STATUS	SCRIPTMENT COMPLETE
SEEKING	FINANCE · SALES AGENT · DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS

BULLDOGS

HORROR · FEATURE · 90 MIN

Sometimes the game plays you.

A contained horror thriller with loads of practical effects and a fresh take on the single-location survival formula, pitting a roster of college football players against a deadly fight for survival.

WRITTEN BY	DON THACKER AND STEPHAN BUGAJ
DIRECTOR	DON THACKER
COMPS	CUBE · SAW · HOSTEL · HOT FUZZ · ESCAPE ROOM · CLOWN IN A CORNFIELD
STATUS	SCRIPT COMPLETE
SEEKING	FINANCE · SALES AGENT · DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS

FLEXURE

SCI-FI HORROR · FEATURE · 100 MIN

Particle physics, modal phenomena and unrequited lust.

A single facility haunted house premise with the trappings of a cerebral exploration. Alien in a science facility. The Thing in a high energy exchange office. Event Horizon in a particle collider.

WRITER/DIR	DON THACKER
STATUS	TREATMENT COMPLETE: FIRST DRAFT Q2 2027
SEEKING	FINANCE · SALES AGENT · DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS

PROOF WE DELIVER

Motivational Growth, Don Thacker's debut feature: 28 festival awards including Best Director and Best Screenplay, found its distributor at AFM 2013, first narrative feature ever released on Valve's Steam.

100+ productions since 2011 for Nintendo, Sony, Microsoft, Devolver Digital, Adult Swim, Konami, Bandai Namco, Amazon, DC and HBO Max. 76th Creative Arts Emmy® Award winner, dual Webby Award winner, 150+ million aggregate views.

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