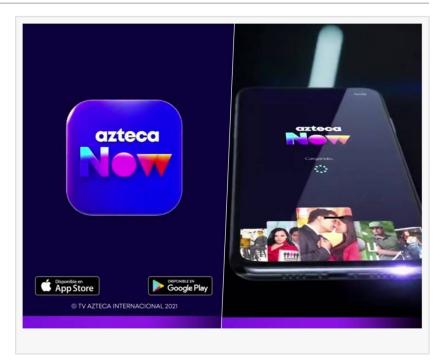


ICARO[™] and TV Azteca International Launch "AZTECA NOW" Streaming Platform for US Market in Spanish

A Free Ad-Supported Al-Driven Media App for US Distribution, and a Premium Subscription Service May Follow

NEW YORK, NY, January 17, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- ICARO Media Group, Inc. (ICARO[™]), an AI Technology Media for Telecom (TMT) and media broadcast companies, and TV Azteca International, TV Azteca S.A.B. de C.V., have launched the "AZTECA NOW" premium video app for smart devices, available in iOS and Android stores in the United States.



TV Azteca International's audience of

more than 100M viewers is one of the most widely-distributed premium video brands in the world. The "AZTECA NOW" app will target a potential audience of more than 52.5M US residents for whom Spanish is their primary language, providing mobile access to TV Azteca International's premium multi-vertical content. Award-winning titles include highly-acclaimed telenovelas such

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as "Siempre Tuya Acapulco," "Tanto Amor" and "Vivir a Destiempo," television series such as "Demencia," "Drenaje Profundo," and "Lucho en Familia," and movies such as "El Gavilan Pollero," "La Amargura de mi Raza," and "La Hija del Ministro."

"After the successful launch of the 'AZTECA NOW' app in 66 countries across Europe, Central America, the Caribbean and South America to a target audience of over 50M Spanish speaking subscribers, we are very pleased to announce AZTECA NOW's entry into the US Market,

targeting one of the largest Spanish-speaking audiences in the world," stated Paul Feller,

Chairman and CEO of ICARO Media Group. "We are grateful to be working with the wonderful team at TV Azteca with the vision and confidence to expand the international reach of one of the best dynamic media apps with premium original content from Mexico."

"We are very excited to be able to offer the Azteca Now app in the US market," stated Jorge Gutiérrez, Paid TV Director for TV Azteca Internacional. "This is one of the most important milestones so far for this app partnership between Azteca and ICARO. I am sure that the thousands of hours of premium content we are offering will connect with American audiences."

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