

Whose Line Is It Anyway's Colin Mochrie & Hypnotist Asad Mecci take HYPROV Global with streaming special on Sept 15

TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA, August 27, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- HYPROV Goes Global: Hit Comedy Special Reaches 130+ Countries on Apple TV and Prime Video this September 15, 2026

Starring Whose Line Is It Anyway? legend Colin Mochrie and master hypnotist Asad Mecci, the acclaimed LIVE comedy phenomenon expands its international reach with its Worldwide streaming debut



After captivating live audiences across North America and beyond, HYPROV: Improv Under Hypnosis is taking another major step onto the global stage. The acclaimed comedy special will become available on Apple TV and Prime Video beginning September 15, 2026, reaching audiences across more than 130 countries.

Starring legendary improviser Colin Mochrie (Whose Line Is It Anyway?), master hypnotist Asad Mecci, and directed by Joan Tosoni, the HYPROV special captures the wildly unpredictable combination of hypnosis and improvisational comedy that has made the live production an international sensation. Every performance begins with volunteers from the audience being hypnotized by Mecci before Mochrie joins them on stage to lead them through a series of completely improvised scenes, with no script and no way of knowing what will happen next. The Apple TV and Prime Video release marks the latest milestone in HYPROV's continued expansion from stage to screen.

The special previously made its Canadian network premiere on CBC and streaming debut on CBC Gem, giving viewers the opportunity to experience the acclaimed production from home for the first time. Now HYPROV will reach its widest screen audience yet, introducing the show's one-of-a-kind format to viewers in more than 130 countries.

“HYPROV started with a simple question: what would happen if you took away the fear and inhibition that can hold people back and put them on stage with one of the greatest improvisers in the world?” said Asad Mecci. “To see what began as an experiment grow into a show that has travelled internationally, to now have the Comedy Special reach audiences in more than 130 countries, is incredibly exciting. There’s something universal about watching ordinary people discover just how funny and fearless they can be.”

“The best part of HYPROV is that none of us knows exactly what’s going to happen, and that includes me. The volunteers constantly surprise us, which is what makes every performance so much fun,” said Colin Mochrie. “This special captures that unpredictability beautifully, and I’m thrilled that people around the world will now have the chance to experience the controlled chaos from the safety of their own homes.”

What began as an experiment between two seemingly different worlds, hypnosis and improv, has grown into an internationally acclaimed theatrical production. HYPROV has played stages across Canada, the United States, Australia, and the United Kingdom, including an Off-Broadway run, earning attention for a format in which the performers themselves never fully know where the show will go. At the centre of HYPROV is the chemistry between Mecci and Mochrie. Mecci uses hypnosis to remove the inhibitions of audience volunteers before Mochrie puts their newfound spontaneity to the test through improv. The result is a different show every time, driven entirely by the people who step onto the stage.

The international Apple TV and Prime Video release arrives as HYPROV continues its 2026–2027 live tour, giving new audiences discovering the show on screen the opportunity to experience its unpredictable format live on stage.

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Screeners available upon request.

ABOUT ASAD MECCI

Asad Mecci is a world-renowned hypnotist, creator, producer, and entrepreneur best known as the co-creator and star of the internationally acclaimed live phenomenon HYPROV. With more than 25 years of experience, Mecci has performed for millions of people worldwide and has been featured in The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal, The New Yorker, Entertainment Tonight, MTV, HGTV, and the BBC.

In 2015, Mecci co-created HYPROV alongside improv legend Colin Mochrie and producer Jeff Andrews, pioneering a groundbreaking theatrical format that combines hypnosis and improvisational comedy.

In 2024, Mecci released an album with legendary singer songwriter Rufus Wainwright entitled An Exploration of Hypnotic Sound. Beyond the stage, Mecci has worked with Olympic athletes,

Fortune 500 companies, and leading organizations as a consultant specializing in communication, performance, mindset, and human potential. Mecci continues to push the boundaries of live entertainment through his innovative work in hypnosis and audience engagement.

ABOUT HYPROV

HYPROV is the world's first and only live show that combines hypnosis and improvisational comedy. Created by Asad Mecci, Colin Mochrie and Jeff Andrews, HYPROV began as an experiment on the stage at Toronto's Second City. It has since grown into an international success story, with acclaimed runs at Just For Laughs, the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, Off-Broadway in New York City, and Harrah's Las Vegas, as well as sold-out performances across North America and Australia. HYPROV The Comedy Special recently made its streaming premiere on CBC Gem, bringing the hit live experience to audiences across Canada. HYPROV continues to tour and is produced by Sarah Power.

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