Sarnia's Cameron Wight Signs with Star Talent Inc. and Lands Guest Star Role on Law & Order Toronto

From Sarnia's theatre stage to Law & Order Toronto, Cameron Wight's TV debut highlights how training, mentorship, and industry connections can launch a career.



Sarnia's Cameron Wight made his Television Debut on Law & Order Toronto.

TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA, October 12, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Cameron Wight is celebrating a major career breakthrough after completing Act With Purpose International's 12-week actor training program and performing in its industry showcase, where actors receive direct feedback from agents, managers, casting professionals, and other industry representatives. Shortly after the showcase, Wight signed with Star Talent Inc. and booked a role on Law & Order Toronto, turning training and opportunity into immediate professional success.

Following the showcase, Wight was signed by talent agent Summer Weiler of Star Talent Inc., a well-respected agent and agency known for representing performers working across film, television, commercials, voice-over, and digital media. Soon after joining the agency's roster, Wight was submitted to acclaimed casting director Sharon Forrest for a role on Law & Order Toronto. Forrest, who recently earned a Canadian Screen Award nomination for her work casting the series, selected Wight for the role, marking a significant step forward in his professional acting career.

In retrospect, there may have been signs that the opportunity was on its way. While preparing for the Act With Purpose International showcase, Wight traveled to Toronto to update his professional headshots with renowned photographer Lorna Jones of LC Jones Photography, one of the industry's most sought-after photographers. During the session, Jones paused and suggested they capture a "Law & Order look," even heading upstairs to retrieve a leather jacket for Wight to wear. At the time, it was simply a creative choice. Looking back, however, the

moment feels almost prophetic—as though everyone involved sensed what was about to become a very real chapter in Wight's career.

Wight's success also shines a spotlight on Sarnia, Ontario's thriving arts community. Cameron Wight and fellow performer Kole Parks first met through Hidden Talents, the acclaimed youth theatre program led by Carrie Beauchamp that performs at Sarnia's historic Imperial Theatre. Both actors spent years developing their craft on that stage, building the foundation for their future careers.

Parks was the first of the two to pursue professional opportunities through Act With Purpose International. After participating in an industry showcase, he secured professional representation and has continued building an impressive acting résumé, most recently appearing on Tracker alongside Justin Hartley. Kole is now represented by Canadian powerhouse Daniel Birnbaum at The Talent House in Toronto. Recognizing Cameron's talent and potential, Parks encouraged his longtime friend to pursue the same opportunities.



Promotional poster for Law & Order Toronto: Criminal Intent.

That recommendation proved transformative. Following completion of Act With Purpose International's 12-week training program and industry showcase, Wight secured representation with Summer Weiler of Star Talent and booked the very first professional audition he was sent out on—a guest star role on the internationally renowned Law & Order franchise.

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> *Louise Wight, Cameron's Mother*

Cameron's achievement is particularly noteworthy because it marks the second time a performer from Sarnia's Hidden Talents community has successfully transitioned from local theatre to professional industry opportunities through the Act With Purpose showcase process. Together, the success stories of Parks and Wight demonstrate how talent, training, mentorship, and community support can create a pathway from the Imperial Theatre stage to major television productions.

Although Wight had previously developed a foundation in acting through theatre productions, school performances, and additional training opportunities, the showcase provided an opportunity to present his work directly to industry professionals and begin building

relationships within the professional entertainment industry.

“I loved doing this course with John Stevens,” says Wight. “I learned so much about different ways to approach roles. This course helped build my self-confidence and I felt very prepared for the showcase. Thanks to Act With Purpose, I am very lucky to have signed with Star Talent Inc. It really is about acting with purpose. Thank you, John and the Act With Purpose team.”

For Wight's family, the experience exceeded expectations.

“We bought Cameron this course as a Christmas present, and it was the best present ever,” says his mother. “It's a gift that keeps on giving. Really. John was amazing and so positive. He is so welcoming to both the students and parents. Cameron learned so much during the 12 weeks of this course, and it didn't end there. The showcase was fantastic, and it was great to receive positive and constructive feedback. What an amazing way to start an acting career.”

Founded by actor, producer, and acting coach John Franklin Stevens, Act With Purpose International focuses on helping actors develop emotional authenticity, performance technique, self-tape skills, and professional readiness. The organization welcomes performers from across Canada, the United States, and Europe through online and in-person programming.

“Cameron came into the program with a genuine love for acting and a strong



John Franklin Stevens - Owner of Act With Purpose, Inc. and creator of the Act On Ability Foundation

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foundation built through years of performing," says Stevens. "What excites me most is seeing talented artists from communities like Sarnia realize that professional opportunities are within reach. Cameron worked hard, remained open to learning, and took full advantage of the showcase experience. Watching him secure representation with Summer Weiler at Star Talent Inc. and then book Law & Order so quickly has been incredibly rewarding."


John coaching a young student in preparation for an upcoming feature film audition.

Stevens adds, "It's also wonderful to see this happen again for Sarnia. Kole Parks helped pave the way, and Cameron's success is a testament to what can happen when artists support one another. Both performers came through Hidden Talents and the Imperial Theatre, benefited from the dedication of Carrie Beauchamp, and committed themselves to continually growing as actors. Their success speaks not only to their individual talent, but also to the strength of the artistic community that helped shape them."

This achievement underscores the transformative impact of professional training paired with direct industry engagement. By providing a platform for critical feedback and relationship building, this educational framework ensures performers are prepared to showcase their talents within a professional environment.
As Wight continues to build his career, his recent representation and television booking mark the beginning of an exciting new chapter and demonstrate how preparation, persistence, and professional exposure can help emerging actors take meaningful steps toward their goals.
About Act With Purpose International

Act With Purpose International is a training and career development organization founded by actor, producer, and acting coach John Franklin Stevens. Through professional actor training, industry showcases, and mentorship opportunities, the organization helps performers develop the skills, confidence, and industry connections needed to pursue careers in film, television, theatre, and voice-over. Participants from across Canada, the United States, and Europe have gone on to secure representation, book professional work, and advance their careers in the entertainment industry.

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