

# The Rig will be back for a second season

Prime Video is coming back to Scotland for a second instalment of supernatural series *The Rig*, made in Scotland and written by a Scot.

Helicopters have taken the surviving crew of the Kinloch Bravo to a bold new location, where new dangers await them.

The crew will have to deal with the emotional and physical fallout of the epic Series One finale and contend with swirling conspiracies, conflicts, and new threats from the dark depths of the world's oceans it has unleashed.

Series Two of *The Rig* will continue exploring global themes about the past, present, and future of the planet, all while delivering epic thrills and gripping action for its compelling cast of characters.

Many of the cast will return for Series Two, including [Iain Glen](#) (*Game of Thrones*), [Martin Compston](#) (*Line of Duty*), [Emily Hampshire](#) (*Schitt's Creek*), [Rochenda Sandall](#) (*Criminal: UK*), [Owen Teale](#) (*Game of Thrones*), [Mark Addy](#) (*Game of Thrones*), [Molly Vevers](#) (*The Spanish Princess*), [Abraham Popoola](#) (*Cruella*), and [Stuart McQuarrie](#) (*Des*), alongside new faces who will join the team.

"*The Rig's* popularity around the world is a testament to the fantastic ensemble cast and the vision of the creators—the crew behind the crew," said Dan Grabiner, head of Originals UK & Northern Europe, Prime Video. "We can't wait to welcome back Iain, Martin, and Emily, and see what writer and creator David

Macpherson has in store for the Kinloch Bravo team next.

“We were thrilled by the audience response to Series One, and can’t wait to dive back in, continuing the journey of our characters with our hugely talented cast and creative team,” said Derek Wax, managing director of Wild Mercury.

David Macpherson, writer and creator, said: “It was always my aim to build a story that starts in Scotland but speaks to a global audience about global themes.

“In Series Two, I’m looking forward to expanding the world of our show through the eyes of our excellent cast, as we deliver more shocks and thrills and delve deeper into both our characters’ and our show’s expanding original mythology.”

Production returns to FirstStage Studios in Edinburgh with filming due to start later this year. The new series will launch exclusively on Prime Video in over 240 countries and territories.

The executive producers are Derek Wax for Wild Mercury (a Banijay UK company), David Macpherson, and John Strickland. The producer is Suzanne Reid, and the co-producer is Matt Brown.



Martin Compston and Iain Glen pictured at a screening event for *The Rig*, at the Everyman, Edinburgh ahead of its launch on Friday 6th January.

Attending cast and creators included Martin Compston, Iain Glen, Emily Hampshire, Rochenda Sandall, Mark Bonnar, John Strickland and more.



Cast and Creators of The Rig pictured at a screening event for The Rig, at the Everyman, Edinburgh ahead of its launch on Friday 6th January. Attending cast and creators included Martin Compston, Iain Glen, Emily Hampshire, Rochenda Sandall, Mark Bonnar, John Strickland and wearing the kilt writer and creator, David Macpherson.