EUE/Screen Gems Studios: Wilmington, NC

Wilmington, North Carolina, has been home to television and film productions since the early 1980s. The Cooney family purchased what is now the EUE/Screen Gems Wilmington studio in 1996 and through the years transformed the studio, investing in new stages, purchasing adjoining land and acquiring millions of dollars of lighting and grip equipment.


In 2012, all stages on the Wilmington complex were used to produce Marvel’s “Iron Man 3,” the largest production ever to shoot in North Carolina. The studio installed state-of-the-art digital infrastructure to allow Marvel to collaborate with digital and special effects artists around the world and throughout the studio lot.

The Lot:

- 50 acres with 10 purpose-built stages ranging in size from 7,200 sq. ft. to 37,500 sq. ft.
- Support facilities, including wardrobe space, construction mills, paint shops, plaster shop, set dec/prop lockups, commissaries, and 10 acres of woods.
- Five production office suites, each with a bullpen, furniture, kitchen, digital phones, and high-speed fiber providing wired and wireless internet.
- Special resources include EUE/Screen Gems Sound, one of the top sound studios solely focused on audio post-production for television, film, radio and podcasts.

About EUE/Screen Gems

Founded in 1948 as a commercial production company by directors and brothers Mike and Steve Elliott and William Unger, EUE/Screen Gems is now a top-tier supplier in Atlanta, Miami and Wilmington, NC, of studios, technological infrastructure and support for television, film and commercial producers.

Originally named EUE (Elliot Unger Elliott), the company was purchased by Columbia Pictures in 1965 and positioned under the Screen Gems Television umbrella as EUE/Screen Gems. Then managed by production executive George Cooney, EUE/Screen Gems hosted legendary soap operas and award-winning TV commercials. Cooney purchased EUE/Screen Gems in 1983. The company's headquarters are in New York City.

The company’s content division, West Coast-based EUE/Sokolow, is an executive producer for “Genius,” the Emmy-nominated, scripted series for National Geographic.

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