## **United Artists**

Established in 1919, United Artists immediately became known as a haven for independent filmmaking. Created by screen legends Charlie Chaplin, Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, and D.W. Griffith, United Artists took motion pictures in a new direction, aiming to "further the artistic welfare of the motion picture industry" and taking the art of moviemaking to new heights.

82 years later, United Artists is the specialty film unit of MGM and has built a legacy worthy of its creators, with a legion of captivating films and over 100 Academy Awards® to its credit. With veteran indie executive Bingham Ray onboard to bring a renewed effort and vitality to the UA name, United Artists is still committed to bringing audiences the best in forward-thinking filmmaking with movies that enlighten and enrich the lives of those that see them.