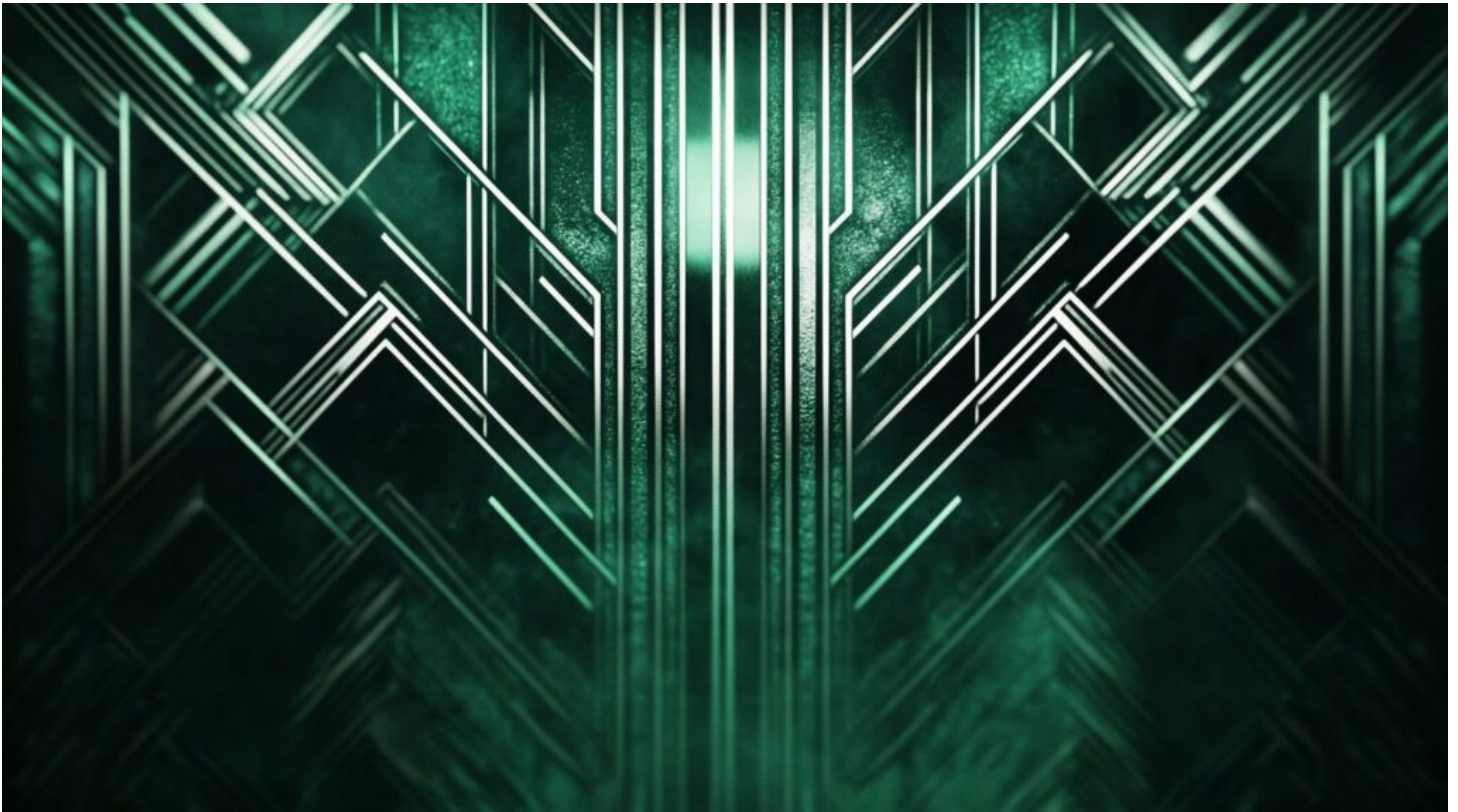


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If you've spent any time keeping up with Hollywood lately, you've probably noticed something's off. The big studios aren't what they used to be.

Instead of delivering compelling characters and stories that make you care, they're more focused on political agendas and rehashing the same tired formulas. For indie filmmakers who crave creative control and authenticity, this is a major turn-off. And if you've ever tried to work with traditional distributors, you know that it can feel like a game where the odds are stacked against you.

That's where NewStarr comes in.

We're here to change the game for indie creators—by giving you control over your film's future, helping you build a direct connection with your audience, and guiding you through a transparent, modern distribution process. In this post, we'll dive into why Hollywood is losing its grip and how NewStarr offers the fresh, filmmaker-first alternative you've been waiting for.

Hollywood's Problem: Where Did the Stories Go?

Over the past few years, Hollywood has become less about telling great stories and more about checking boxes. Gone are the days of character-driven narratives that tug at your emotions. Instead, we're

seeing classic heroes like Luke Skywalker transformed into hollow shells, or movies pushing political messages that feel forced. Sure, diversity is important, but not when it comes at the cost of real character development and storytelling.

Audiences are catching on. They're tired of flat characters (think "Mary Sues" with no real flaws) and predictable plots (*another* multiverse movie, anyone?). More and more, people are turning to indie films for something fresh and authentic—stories that take risks, explore underrepresented perspectives, and make us feel something real.

How NewStarr Is Different

At NewStarr, we believe that indie filmmakers deserve better—better options for distribution, better access to their audiences, and better tools to keep control of their work. We're not just another distributor trying to grab a piece of the pie. We're here to empower you to take control of your film's future, and that starts with a different kind of approach.

1. Your Film, Your Way

One of the biggest problems with traditional distributors is how much control they take away from the filmmaker. You often lose rights to your own work, and you're stuck with complicated contracts that leave you wondering how much of your earnings you'll ever actually see. At NewStarr, we're changing that.

With us, you stay in control. We guide you through the distribution process, but you call the shots on where and how your film is sold. There are no hidden contracts or revenue splits—you know exactly what you're getting into from day one.

2. Building a Direct Connection with Your Audience

Traditional distributors rely heavily on big platforms—Amazon, Netflix, Hulu—making filmmakers compete for visibility in a crowded space. But what if you could go directly to your audience?

At NewStarr, we show you how to build meaningful, direct connections with your fans. Whether it's through your own website, an email list, or niche streaming platforms, we help you bypass the middleman and create a sustainable relationship with your audience. You won't just sell one film—you'll have the tools to engage your fans for the long haul.

3. Innovative Pricing and Revenue Models

Most indie filmmakers don't realize there's a whole world of pricing strategies out there beyond the standard VOD or physical release models. Decoy pricing, for example, can help you create multiple price points that guide your audience toward premium products. This strategy, along with others we use at NewStarr, helps you maximize your earnings and tap into alternative revenue streams, like serial content or bundles. We believe you should make money off your creativity, not just give it away to a streaming service.

4. Transparency All the Way

We get it—filmmaking is expensive, and you don't want to be caught off guard by hidden fees or

backend percentages you didn't know about. That's why we prioritize complete transparency. You'll always know where your money is going, how it's being earned, and exactly what your split is. Plus, we offer real-time data and performance metrics, so you can see how your film is doing at any given moment and adjust your strategy if needed.

What Hollywood Could Learn from Indie Filmmakers

Hollywood has a lot to learn from indie creators. While the big studios are busy rehashing old tropes and trying to please everyone with cookie-cutter content, indie filmmakers are pushing boundaries and exploring stories that actually matter to niche audiences. This is where NewStarr really shines.

We're not interested in one-size-fits-all approaches. Instead, we help filmmakers tap into their unique strengths. NewStarr helps you reach the audiences that are hungry for your content. And unlike Hollywood, we're not just looking for the next big name or festival buzz. We're here to support creators with small budgets and big creative visions.

Ready to Distribute Differently?

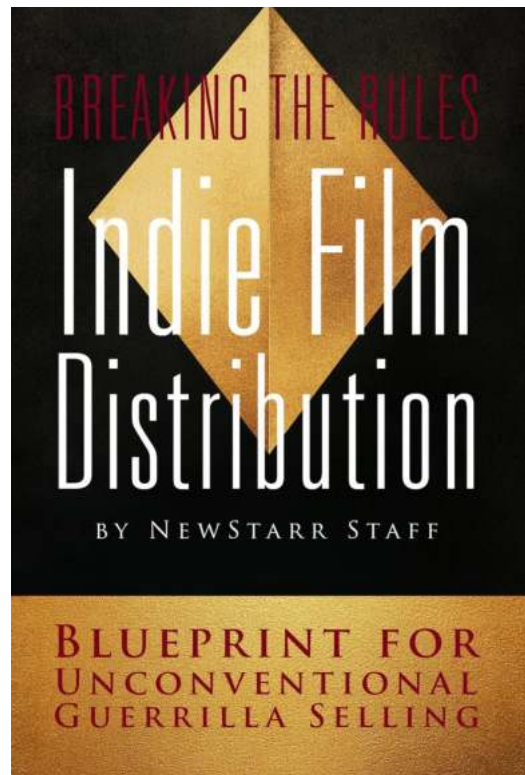
The bottom line is this: indie filmmakers deserve more control, more transparency, and more innovative ways to reach their audience. If you're tired of playing by Hollywood's rules—or if traditional distributors haven't given you the attention and fairness you deserve—NewStarr is here to help.

We're not just a distributor. We're your partner in building a sustainable, successful career as an independent filmmaker. So, are you ready to take control of your film's future? Let's distribute differently, together.

READY TO MASTER GUERRILLA FILM DISTRIBUTION?

Unlock the full potential of your indie film with our ultimate guide, **BREAKING THE RULES: Indie Film Distribution!**

If you're serious about taking control of your film's future, this 85-page blueprint for unconventional guerrilla selling is the next step. Packed with expert strategies and practical tips, **BREAKING THE RULES** shows you how to defy the traditional distribution model and sell your film on your terms—without the need for expensive middlemen.



What You'll Learn

DECOY PRICING & IMPULSE BUYING

Use advanced pricing tactics to increase your revenue and convert casual viewers into buyers.

SELL SERIALS AND MULTI-PART FILMS

Maximize profits by breaking up your content and selling in segments.

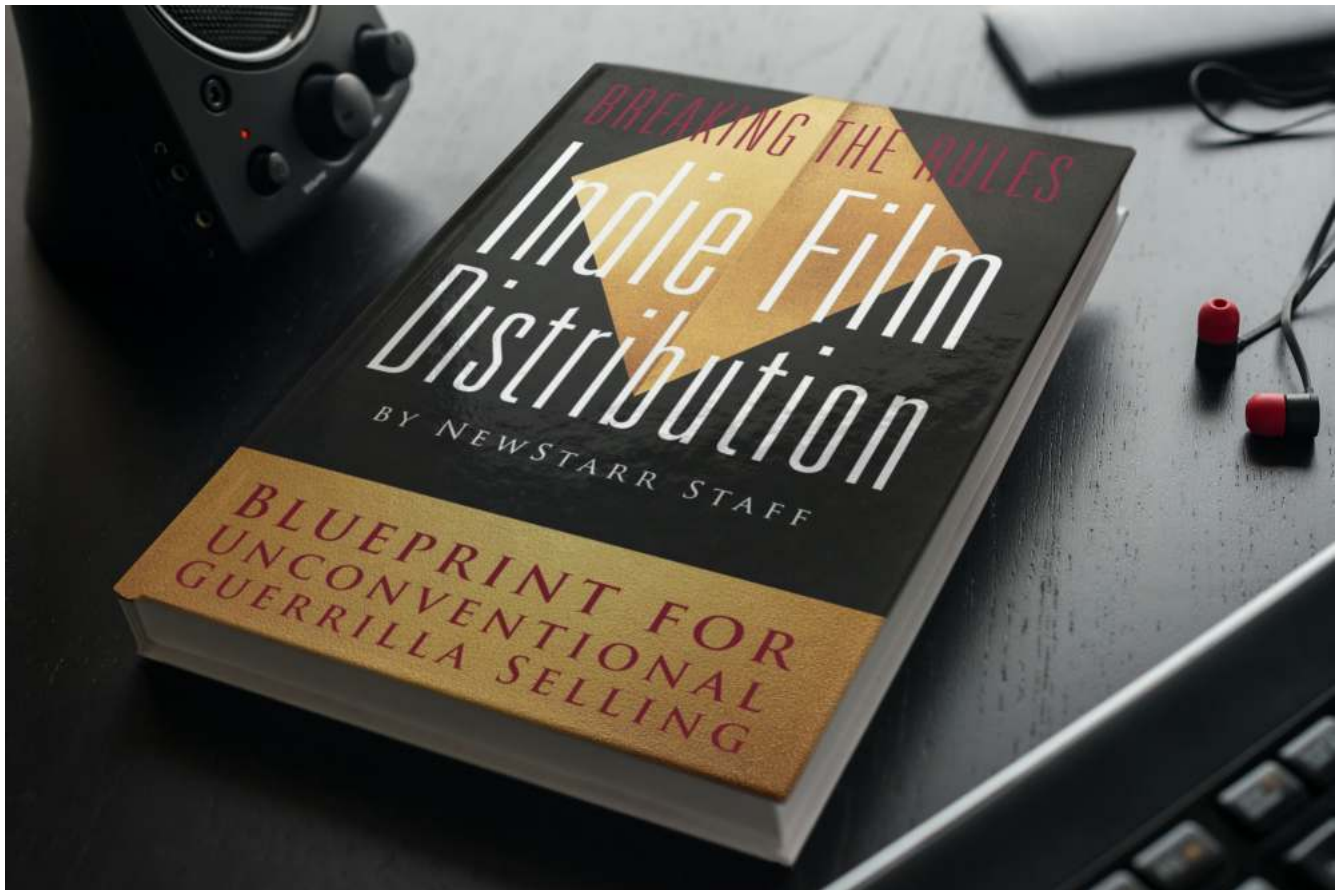
MASTER DIGITAL PLATFORMS

Learn how to set up everything from Vimeo and Amazon KDP to WordPress and Easy Digital Downloads for smooth, DIY distribution.

MARKETING & EMAIL MASTERY

Set up email campaigns with EmailOctopus and manage your audience like a pro—building long-term relationships and sales pipelines.

EBOOK CREATION & PUBLISHING



Step-by-step instructions on how to create, publish, and sell your eBooks as part of your indie film brand.

Why You Need This Guide

SAVE MONEY, KEEP CONTROL

Ditch costly distribution services and maintain full ownership over your work.

PROVEN SALES TECHNIQUES

Use guerrilla-style tactics to reach your audience directly and make real money with your film.

STEP-BY-STEP SETUP

We've made it simple to launch your own film store—without needing to be a tech expert.

BREAKING THE RULES gives you the tools, insights, and confidence to succeed in indie film distribution. It's time to start selling your film the NewStarr way——on your terms.

Ready to break the rules and succeed on your own?

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