

## **CREATIVE SPOTLIGHT**

- Notable creators who hail from the state of West Virginia:
  - o Don Knotts, actor/comedian
  - o Steve Harvey, television personality
  - o Brad Paisley, singer
  - o John Corbett, actor
- The top 5 West Virginia daily newspapers by circulation are:
  - o Greenbrier Valley Ranger
  - o The Herald-Dispatch
  - o The Register-Herald
  - o Bluefield Daily Telegraph
  - o The Journal
- Lassie was partly filmed in West Virginia





For more information about the data, go to:

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**1,547** motion picture & television industry direct jobs & **237** production-related jobs

**4,904** software industry direct jobs & **8,724** jobs in total

**7,430** local television jobs

**4,960** local radio jobs

**11,170** app jobs

## MAGES

\$53.99M

from motion picture & television industry

\$13.15M

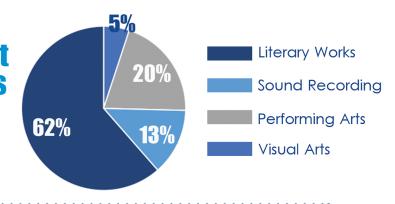
from new media & internet creators



\$72,589

average salary in the local app economy

U.S. Copyright Registrations (2011-2017) **9.941** 



STATE ECONOMIC IMPACT



**\$811M** contributed to U.S.'s GDP from local software industry

\$3.47B contributed to U.S. GDP from local television

\$2.31B contributed to U.S. GDP from local radio

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Creative Community By The Numbers **3** Video Game Companies

**554** Music Publishers

**2,856** Songwriters

**150** Local Commercial Radio Stations

**15** Local Commercial T.V. Stations

**54** Newspaper Publications

**510** Graphic Designers

**140** Photographers

