

DWAYNE JOHNSON

Dwayne “The Rock” Johnson is a jack-of-all-trades: businessman, best-selling author, producer, actor, philanthropist and former wrestler. After a stint playing football at the University of Miami, Johnson hopped into the WWE ring, quickly becoming a household name with many, such as Hulk Hogan, calling him the “biggest superstar in WWE.” Eight years and 17 championship titles later, “The People’s Champ” set his sights on Hollywood. After a part in *The Mummy Returns*, the untrained actor’s charisma landed him leading roles in *The Fast and the Furious* franchise, HBO’s *Ballers* (which he also helps produce) and more. The fan favorite continues his run this month with *Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle*. — SYDNEY BERRY



BUSINESS

Johnson has ties on his mother’s side to the Anoa’i family—a legendary clan of Samoan wrestlers. After lending his voice to 2016’s *Moana*, Johnson tweeted: “A lil’ @Disney gem of a secret, my character Maui was partly inspired by my late grandfather, High Chief Peter Maivia of Samoa. #grateful.”

Leading Man

In 2016, Johnson topped *Forbes’* list of highest paid actors in the world with a \$64.5 million paycheck thanks to star turns in *Central Intelligence*, *The Fate of the Furious* and *Baywatch* and voice work in *Moana*.

Seven Bucks

Johnson and Dany Garcia cofounded this production company in 2012. Last year, the dynamic duo started digital content company Seven Bucks Digital Studios and just announced their latest endeavor: ad agency Seven Bucks Creative.



Seven Bucks Productions partnered with Spike Cable Networks to create *Rock the Troops*. In 2016, comedians Kevin Hart and Jack Black were among the celebrities to make appearances.

Project Rock

In March 2016, Johnson partnered with Under Armour to release “Project Rock,” a collection of athletic gear that has been endorsed by Stephen Curry and Tom Brady. The first item—a gym bag—sold out in just a couple of days.

FRIENDS & FAMILY



Lauren Hashian

Johnson began dating singer-songwriter Lauren Hashian, daughter of late Boston drummer Sib Hashian, nearly a decade ago. They welcomed their first child in 2015.

Family Legacy



Son of Rocky Johnson and grandson of “High Chief” Peter Maivia—both former pro wrestlers—the 6-foot-4 Dwayne made his WWE debut in 1996 with the nickname Rock Maivia. He was the first third-generation wrestler in the sport’s history.

Dany Garcia

Johnson’s ex-wife and current manager is the founder and CEO of the brand management firm The Garcia Companies, which represents Johnson and others.

Last year, Johnson announced a new Under Armour design via Instagram: “I come from a family of proud military soldiers—from the Vietnam War to Navy SEALs. . . . I wanted to create a simple yet powerful design with my @UnderArmour partners that gives back to our military community.”



MISCELLANEOUS

Sexiest Man Alive

People named Johnson its 2016 sexiest man alive. One of his beauty tricks? “We’ve only got one face,” he told the magazine. “You’ve got to take care of it. So I exfoliate.”



Saturday Night Live

During the 2017 season finale, Johnson was inducted into the Five-Timers Club (those who have hosted at least five times), joining the likes of Alec Baldwin, Tom Hanks and Melissa McCarthy.

Philanthropy

Johnson embodies the “People’s Champ” moniker through his support of numerous charities, namely the Dwayne Johnson Rock Foundation, which helps at-risk and terminally ill children, and the USO. Last year, he hosted nearly 50,000 servicemen and women for the *Rock the Troops* TV special.

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