

KEN JEONG BIO

- Following his breakout roles in KNOCKED UP and THE HANGOVER franchise, actor, producer, writer and comedian Ken Jeong has established himself as one of today's most sought-after stars.
- The actor can currently be seen as a panelist on "The Masked Singer," the hit show that received an Emmy nomination in the category of "Outstanding Competition Program" in 2020. Jeong is also the host and executive producer of "I Can See Your Voice," and was a panelist on "The Masked Dancer." Due to his dominance on the network, FOX began calling Wednesday "Kensday."
- The actor is set to appear in Season 2 of Fox's Legal Anthology 'Accused'. He will star in the "Eugene's Story" episode directed by Micheal Chiklis, in which he'll play a kind-hearted jewelry store owner who confronts his wife's secret past. Jeong will join a roster of actors for Season 2 that include Nick Cannon, Felicity Huffman, Taylor Schilling and Danny Pino.
- Next up, Ken will be seen in Kevin Smith's THE 4:30 MOVIE, a coming-of-age comedy hitting theaters September 13, and stars Jeong alongside Justin Long, Rosario Dawson and Jason Biggs. Jeong can recently be seen in SPY: THE ETERNAL CITY, an action-comedy sequel written by Jon Hoeber & Erich Hoeber and directed by Peter Segal that was released on Prime Video on July 18th.
- The actor can recently be seen in AppleTV+'s global hit comedy "The Afterparty," and Charlie Day's FOOL'S PARADISE. He can be seen in Mike Meyers' "The Pentaverate," Will Arnett's "Murderville," and it was also recently announced that Peacock will be producing a film based on "Community," the hit comedy that Jeong starred on from 2009-2015. Prior to this, Jeong created, wrote, executive produced and starred on ABC's "Dr. Ken." He was a series regular on the critically acclaimed NBC show "Community," and can be seen on "The Office," "Entourage," and "Curb Your Enthusiasm."
- Fans will know him from his Netflix standup special "You Complete Me, Ho," which earned him a People's Choice nomination, as well as blockbuster films such as THE HANGOVER franchise, CRAZY RICH ASIANS, PINEAPPLE EXPRESS, STEP BROTHERS, RIDE ALONG 2, TRANSFORMERS: DARK OF THE MOON, COUPLES RETREAT, GOOSEBUMPS 2 and TOM & JERRY. The actor has lent his voice to the Oscar-nominated OVER THE MOON, SGOOB, LADY AND THE TRAMP, and MY LITTLE PONY.

EN JEONG BIOGRAPHY

Known for his scene stealing abilities, actor, producer, writer and comedian Ken Jeong has established himself as one of today's top comedic stars. Since his feature film debut playing the doctor in KNOCKED UP in 2007, Jeong has gone on to create memorable roles on both TV and film.

Jeong can currently be seen as a panelist on "The Masked Singer," the hit show that received an Emmy nomination in the category of "Outstanding Competition Program" in 2020. The most recent season is set to premiere on September 27th. Jeong is also the host and executive producer of "I Can See Your Voice," which has been renewed for a third season, as well as a panelist on "The Masked Dancer." Due to his dominance on the network, we're calling Wednesday "Kensday."

Jeong most recently starred in AppleTV+'s global hit comedy "The Afterparty," which premiered on the platform on July 12th. He featured as a series regular in Season 2 of the hit show from Oscar winners Chris Miller and Phil Lord; and starring alongside Elizabeth Perkins, Zach Woods, Paul Walter Hauser, Poppy Liu, Anna Konkle, Jack Whitehall and Vivian Wu, as well as returning stars Tiffany Haddish, Sam Richardson and Zoë Chao. Season 2 revolves around a murder at a wedding, which Richardson and Chao taking on lead duties solving the crime, with Haddish back as Detective Danner.

He can also be seen in Charlie Day's FOOL'S PARADISE, alongside Day, Adrien Brody, Kate Beckinsale, Jason Sudeikis, John Malkovich, Ray Liotta, and more. The film is a satirical comedy about a down-on-his-luck publicist (Jeong) who discovers a recently released mental health patient (Day) who looks just like a misbehaving movie star. The publicist subs him into a film, creating a new star. But fame and fortune are not all they are cracked up to be. The comedy was released theatrically on May 12th.

It was also recently announced that Peacock will be producing a film based on "Community," the hit comedy that Jeong starred in from 2009-2015. Additionally, Ken recently finished production for MY SPY 2, an action comedy sequel written by Jon Hoeber & Erich Hoeber and directed by Peter Segal that will be released on Prime Video.

The actor can be seen in Mike Meyers' Netflix limited series "The Pentaverate," Will Arnett's "Murderville," and Comedy Central's workplace comedy OUT OF OFFICE. Prior to headlining "Kensday" on FOX, Jeong starred on ABC's "Dr. Ken", where he was the creator, writer, and Executive Producer. He also was a series regular on the critically acclaimed NBC show "Community" from 2009-2015, which won the Critics' Choice Award for Best Comedy Series in 2012. In 2015, Jeong directed an ESPN 30 for 30 documentary Student Athlete, and he also starred in and produced the Sundance award-winning film ADVANTAGEOUS which received an Independent Spirit Award nomination.

In addition to his work on "Dr. Ken" and "Community," the actor can be seen on TV hits such as "The Office", "Entourage", and "Curb Your Enthusiasm." In 2008, Jeong had his first major film role opposite Paul Rudd and Seann William Scott as the villain in David Wain's ROLE MODELS. That same year he also appeared in the cult comedy hits PINEAPPLE EXPRESS and STEP BROTHERS. In May of 2009, Jeong

appeared as the Asian-mobster “Mr. Chow” in the sleeper-hit comedy *THE HANGOVER* also starring Bradley Cooper, Ed Helms and Zach Galifianakis, which earned Jeong an MTV Movie Award in 2010, and in which the film itself won The Golden Globe for Best Comedy/Musical and Critics' Choice Award for “Best Comedy” in 2010. The film was the highest-grossing R-rated comedy to date, with over \$467 million worldwide, only to be trumped by *THE HANGOVER PART II*, which grossed \$581 million worldwide. Jeong reprised his iconic role in *THE HANGOVER PART III*. His other film credits include *CRAZY RICH ASIANS*, *PINEAPPLE EXPRESS*, *STEP BROTHERS*, *RIDE ALONG 2*, *TRANSFORMERS: DARK OF THE MOON*, *COUPLES RETREAT*, *GOOSEBUMPS 2* and *TOM & JERRY* among a steady list of roles.

Jeong has lent his voice to a plethora of animated films and was recently heard in Netflix's Oscar-Nominated *OVER THE MOON*, Warner Brothers' *SCOOB*, and Disney's *LADY AND THE TRAMP*. Jeong's other voice over credits include “The Casagrandes”, *WONDER PARK*, and *MY LITTLE PONY*, among a lengthy list.

In February 2019, Jeong returned to his stand-up roots for his first-ever hit Netflix comedy special, “Ken Jeong: You Complete Me, Ho”, which earned him a People's Choice nomination for “The Comedy Act of 2019.” Filmed at The Ice House Comedy Club in Pasadena, California, where Jeong first got his start in comedy, the special reflects on how he went from being a doctor to a comedy superstar. He opens up about how his wife's courageous battle with breast cancer led to him starring in one of the biggest comedy franchises of all time, *THE HANGOVER*, and more recently, *CRAZY RICH ASIANS*.

Jeong's career path started off on a different course. He earned his undergraduate degree at Duke University and went on to get his medical degree at the University of North Carolina. Jeong completed his Internal Medicine residency in New Orleans all the while developing his comedy. In 1995, Jeong won the Big Easy Laff Off. The competition, which was judged by former NBC President Brandon Tartikoff and Improv founder Budd Friedman, turned out to be his big break as Tartikoff and Friedman urged Jeong to head to Los Angeles.

Jeong dedicates his spare time to volunteering with Stand Up 2 Cancer, which is a cause very close to his heart. Ken has also been very outspoken on the rise in racism and hate crimes against the AAPI community in the last year. He is using his platform to call attention to these issues and advocate for change in hopes of having a lasting impact. He currently resides in Los Angeles with his wife and twin daughters.