**Current Time** —“Настоящее Время” in Russian — is an up and coming player in the Russian-language media market, informing and connecting Russian speakers with each other and with the world. On digital platforms, social networks and TV since October 2016, it provides viewers an alternative to Moscow-controlled media, and is a reality check on disinformation. **Current Time** works on the assumption that the best protection from propaganda is accurate, professional journalism based on factual information.

**Programs:**

Its daily schedule includes the in-depth **Current Time Europe**, **Current Time America** and **Current Time Asia** news programs; hourly newscasts; and live breaking news. **The Timur Olevskiy Hour** offers sharp, current affairs debate, **See Both Sides** exposes false narratives, and **Unknown Russia** explores Russia’s unheralded places and people. These, together with coverage – much of it produced by **Current Time** regional media partners – of business and entrepreneurship, civil society, culture, and corruption; plus a steady stream of documentaries – many of which are otherwise unavailable inside Russia – respond to audience demands for media that is engaging, informative, and real.
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- Its live stream is available to over **100 million monthly unique users** via FilmOn.tv and the regional MeGoGo, and to **135 million homes** from Iceland to Turkey via the Eutelsat Hotbird satellite.

- It has **52 affiliates reaching Russian-speaking audiences in 16 countries**, and is on mobile platforms, social media, websites, smart TV apps and other digital platforms as they emerge.

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