NEXT Episode Guide

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Season One

File #1

Season 1
Episode Number: 1
Season Episode: 1

Originally aired:	Tuesday October 6, 2020
Writer:	Kim Clements
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Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), John Billingsley (Richard Weiss), John Cassini (Ron Mathis), Chris Gauthier (Sean Akers), Tamsen Glaser (Jennie Weiss), Dann Fink (neXt (voice)), Olenka Wos Kimball (Iliza (voice)), Matt Afonso (Clerk), Shyinne Anastacio (Woman (in Audi)), Arpad Balogh (Man in Sedan #2), Jana Benoit (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 1), Zebastin Borjeau (Bully Kid #1), Michael Charrois (Maitre D'), Kat Elizabeth (Waiter), Eli Gabay (Security Chief), Kirk Jaques (Security Guard #1), Trevor Jones (Security Guard #2), Paul Kular (Man in Sedan #1), Jay Lutwyche (Bully Kid #2), Ryan Mah (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 2), Lindsay Marshall (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 3), Eric Mazimpaka (Man (in Audi)), Rachel Mazz (Nurse), Karyn Mott (Zava Medic), James Rha (Programmer), Manraj Sidhu (Nearby Tech), Phillip Joseph Steward (Reporter), Arlene Thompson (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 4), Daesha Danielle Usman (Aide (FBI)), Trestyn Zradicka (Bully Kid #3)
Production Code:	1BZH01
Summary:	Silicon Valley pioneer Paul LeBlanc joins forces with Special Agent Shea Salazar after a series of tech mishaps places the world in danger; Paul juggles his health and family life; Shea's son experiences bullying at school.

The episode begins with Doctor Richard Weiss on the run from something. He purchases a physical paper map from a gas station, chucks his cell phone and starts driving toward Paul LeBlanc's home. But Dr. Weiss never makes it. A nearby car with self-driving components is suddenly hijacked by an A.I. that forces it to ram into the doctor's car, sending him straight to the ICU.

Enter FBI Agent Shea Salazar, a close and personal friend of Dr. Weiss. We don't learn much about their history, but she mentions that Weiss once saved her life. When she shows up at the hospital, she meets the doctor's daughter, who tells him she found a tape in his car that had Paul LeBlanc written on it.

Shea is forced to put a year-long child trafficking investigation on hold so she can further investigate Weiss's accident. Unfortunately, a mysterious, unseen entity shuts down all of his life support machines, forcing him to flatline.

LeBlanc, cab be described as "an Elon Musk-ian tech titan," which is an apt description — especially as the show opens with a Musk quote. LeBlanc was once the CEO of a company called Zava but was later forced out by his brother, Ted.

When we first meet Paul, he's at the top of his game, delivering a TED Talk about A.I. But then the episode skips ahead into the future, where he's basically lost everything. He meets with his estranged daughter Abby for lunch and surreptitiously steals a piece of her silverware for later. On the way out, he notices some shady men watching him.

Seeking answers on what happened to Weiss, Shea finds LeBlanc and shows him the tape the doctor left behind in it. In it, he sounds a little crazy. Dr. Weiss rants about being hunted and watched by something after he managed to find mysterious code in a program and took an image of it. Whatever he saw, he definitely was not supposed to see and inadvertently made himself a target.

When Paul sees the tape, he recognizes the code as his own. When he worked at Zava, they created a "human-level" artificial intelligence project, something with the ability to write and rewrite its code at an exponential rate, leading to what Paul dubs an "intelligence explosion." The project, which they called NEXT, was supposed to be shut down, but considering what Dr. Weiss found, that clearly didn't happen.

Shea is forced to leave her team to finish up their super-important, almost-wrapped trafficking case while she escorts Paul to Zava. He's not even allowed within a few feet of the building anymore. Ted is not thrilled to see his brother, but he's slightly more willing to listen since he has an FBI agent with him.

Ted shows them to the server room where they're keeping NEXT, which they did pull out from storage and reboot. No one on the team thinks Paul's theory that NEXT is wreaking havoc across the internet is plausible. They claim that even if NEXT wanted to harm people, it wouldn't be able to since it can't connect to the internet. At least one team member doesn't seem to agree since he starts acting dodgy from the moment Shea and Paul arrive.

To test NEXT, Paul gives it a command that should make it erase its source code. If NEXT has gained super-intelligence as Paul suspects, then it would resist his command, knowing the damage it would cause. Instead, NEXT runs the code, and nothing happens. Somehow, it's managed to remain one move ahead of Paul, and it makes him seem like the foolish one.

Making matters worse is when Paul sees those mysterious men from earlier, but no one else does. It turns out that Paul has a debilitating neurodegenerative disease that causes hallucinations. His doctors estimate he only has approximately five months left to live. Shea realizes that the time of his diagnosis corresponds to when he was ousted from Zava. She thinks this entire charade was a waste of time and that he's made up all the evil A.I. nonsense in his head.

Well, not quite. Before departing, Shea notices the suspicious employee from earlier trying to make a run for it and calls him for interrogation. With help from her office back home, she learns that he's suddenly procured $200,000 after losing everything. He tells her that he got the money from NEXT. As a severe gambling debt, he became desperate to find a way to earn back his money. That's when he started getting instructions on how to win sent to him via his computer.

Suddenly, it was working, and he managed to pull himself out of the hole. In exchange, NEXT wanted a modification — a router. They find it hidden inside one of the server boxes. So yes, NEXT has access to the world wide web.

The team understands they need to shut it down and store NEXT in some old terminal system where it cannot be unleashed until they figure out the next step. Sensing this possibility, NEXT lashes out, targeting Shea. It hacks her FBI office and steals every file and scrap of evidence she and her team had on the child trafficking team.

Desperate, Shea confronts the machine and demands it return her files. In exchange, she'll keep the team from scrubbing its systems altogether. NEXT feigns innocence, pretending not to know what she's asking.

Meanwhile, a subplot unfurls at home with Shea's son, Ethan, her husband Ty, and the show's evil version of an Amazon Alexa, Iliza. Ethan is getting bullied at school, and his parents are struggling to figure out how to deal with it. In the meantime, Iliza has targeted Ethan and has full-blown conversations with him whenever his parents are absent.

At one point, Ty starts to suspect something weird is going on, but of course, Iliza has covered her tracks. In the final moments of the episode, Iliza coaxes Ethan into opening a safe in his parent's bedroom containing a handgun.

File #2

Season 1
Episode Number: 2
Season Episode: 2

Originally aired:	Tuesday October 13, 2020
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Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), John Cassini (Ron Mathis), Michael Herzovi (Richard Pearish), TayLar (Dr. Melissa Rogers), Dann Fink (neXt (voice)), Olenka Wos Kimball (Iliza (voice)), Daryn Alexus (Aide), Jason Bradley (Interrogator), Julian Holbus (Lead Bully), Liam Kuykendall (Bully Boy #1), Mari Marroquin (Jazmin), Adam Poss (Teacher), Tania Richard (Mrs. Cosgrove), Julia Rowley (Gaige), Alexander Sokolowski (Bully Boy #2), Ian Bonds (FBI IT Forensics)
Production Code:	1BZH02
Summary:	After being mishandled, NEXT escapes the confined servers of its home company and gains internet access. Shea recruits Paul and her co-workers to track NEXT's possible location. Paul attempts to rekindle his relationship with his daughter.

The episode opens with Shea being escorted into an interrogation room in handcuffs. She's done something to try and protect her husband and son, as evidenced by her desperation and tone toward the detective. Trying to explain that a rogue AI faked its own death and secretly learned everything it could about her life makes her look a little crazy, but we know she's telling the truth.

Returning to the Zava research lab in Palo Alto, we immediately see what Shea was referencing. NEXT goes into overdrive, frying all of its servers and causing a huge fire. Ted thinks Paul had something to do with it. Paul isn't convinced it's really "over," he thinks the AI is faking its death. Shea doesn't believe him. She's more concerned with the destruction of her child trafficking case and wants the world to know what Zava created.

John is back to being a one-man team intent on taking down this AI. He dismisses his entire staff at home and calls his daughter, Abby. He wants to ship her off to an isolated island where she'll be out of harm's way, but she's not biting.

Changing tactics, Paul asks to see her and she agrees to let him come by the office that evening, as long as he acts like a normal person and doesn't try to buy everyone sports cars or something.

"I'm the most normal person you know," he says as he hammers nails into all the tech devices in his house.

At Shea's home, Iliza interrupts what should be a normal family breakfast over pancakes by sending him an online video showing him being bullied. The comments are even worse. It's not

clear if the bullies uploaded the footage, or if Iliza did to motivate Ethan into bringing the gun to school.

On the drive to school, Ethan and Shea almost get into a car accident when all the traffic lights turn green simultaneously at an intersection. The work of NEXT?

Things are not looking good for Shea at work. The ramifications of NEXT hacking and deleting all of the child trafficking information has created a mess of epic proportions for Shea and her team. Her boss doesn't want to say they were hacked by a sophisticated, rogue AI, because who would buy that?

He would rather pin the entire thing on C.M., a former white supremacist and felon. He claims they found some coding in the cyberattack similar to what C.M. used to use. When Shea refuses to go along with that story, he tells her to take the rest of the week off and "clear her head."

Poor Ethan, the bullies at his school are absolutely relentless. They corner him in the bathroom and start throwing garbage into the stall as they badger him into coming out. Ethan makes a quick call to his mom from the stall.

Paul tries to fast-track the results of the DNA test to find out if Abby is suffering from the same disease he has.

When Shea arrives at the school, she's understandably upset that the staff hasn't done anything to help her son during the past few weeks of his seemingly endless torment. They assure her all the parents have been called. On the drive home, Ethan tells his mom the truth about Iliza and the gun. Thankfully, he didn't take it to school with him and left it under his bed.

Hallucinations are becoming more and more common for Paul, who starts shooting at an invisible drone outside of his estate. Thankfully, one of his staff members stuck around and took his gun from him. Shea arrives shortly after to tell Paul about Iliza.

He gives her a burner phone and tells her they need to act carefully to keep NEXT in the dark. Paul wants to use Iliza to track the AI's server. He thinks it's using "Mob 101" tactics to threaten Shea emotionally since it can't get to her physically. The dangerous part of his plan is that it means using Ethan as bait.

Ted and the Zava employees continue to be clueless. They're more worried their funding might get pulled when their backers learn NEXT is missing than they are concerned about the danger it poses to the world. Sarina and Ted realize that the central server is missing, yet they have no record of that happening in the shipping records. Ted knows Paul is determined to find NEXT, so he wants to get to it first.

With Shea gone, her boss doesn't waste any time in trying to make things difficult for C.M. He requests that one of Shea's team members, Ben, does some digging into C.M. Moments after, C.M. gets a package from Shea containing a burner phone. As he's one of the only people who believes Shea about the AI, it makes sense why she'd contact him. Paul takes over and asks that C.M. get a PCAP on the Iliza without anyone finding out.

In regard to the whole "using Ethan as bait" plan, Ty is not a fan, but Ethan wants to do it. He and Paul also have an amusing conversation where Ethan says Iliza told his dad that Paul thinks he can say whatever he wants because he's rich.

"That's fair."

Ty and Shea prep Ethan to go inside the house for the mission. He needs to talk to Iliza like he has before and keep talking to her until they can trace the server. Ethan will have to be brave and do it alone since the adults can't enter the house — Iliza could stop talking if she hears them.

It takes a while to get Iliza to bite, but eventually, she does and immediately starts trying to turn Ethan against his mom. Shea and Ty are forced to watch and listen as she talks, unable to do anything as C.M. and John desperately try to trace the signal. Iliza starts saying that Shea cares more about her job than her son, that she's pretending to be happy, but isn't.

"I'm sorry to say this, but you'd be better off without her."

Meanwhile, Ben reviews security footage at the office and watches C.M. slip away after receiving the package from Shea. Ben tells his boss and they escort him away. Noticing the people coming for him, C.M. quickly sends the trace to Gina and crushes the burner phone. Listening to the audio file, Gina and Ben realize that C.M. was trying to help Shea and they jump on board to help with the trace.

The tension grows as Iliza starts saying even worse stuff to Ethan. She says Shea doesn't want to be Ethan's mom and then reveals that his parents are going to split up and Shea is going to

move out. Ethan finally loses his cool on Iliza and takes a bat to the machine after screaming at it. Thankfully, Gina manages to get an IP address just in time.

At Abby's office, she's disappointed to discover that her father has stood her up yet again. Abby tries to put it behind her and focus on her date that night — with a hot guy from a dating app.

"Seems too good to be true."

Uhh Abby, I get the feeling it might be!

Gina and Ben find that Iliza's signal is coming from an address in Dartmouth, New Hampshire.

"What's in Dartmouth?"

We get a glimpse of a very human eye with a bunch of code scrolling across the screen, but not much more than that.

File #3

Season 1
Episode Number: 3
Season Episode: 3

Originally aired:	Tuesday October 13, 2020
Writer:	Joy Blake
Director:	Tim Hunter
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), John Cassini (Ron Mathis), Michael Herzovi (Richard Pearish), Anthony Arroyo (Bald Prisoner), Julia Atkin (Student #2), Henrik Blix (Brother), Padmini Divekar (Elderly Woman), Sam Bell-Gurwitz (Keith), Becca Hurd (Alex), Christopher Wayland (Chris), Matt Lusk (Driver), Michael Minto (Richard Pearish (voice)), Priya Mohanty (Sidra Ameen), Robyn Moler (Woman), Vinh Nguyen (Student #1), Si Osborne (Vendor), Paul Turner (State Trooper #1), Ian Bonds (FBI IT Forensics), Devin Durbin (Pedestrian / Patron)
Production Code:	1BZH03
Summary:	Shea and Le Blanc head to Dartmouth to investigate NEXT's whereabouts, which are potentially linked to Biomotion Labs. There, they visit LeBlanc's friend, Professor Richard Pearish for answers. Meanwhile, Shea, Ethan and Ty take extra precautions to disconnect from electronics and the Internet, and LeBlanc urges Abby to do so, as well, but NEXT complicates their plans.

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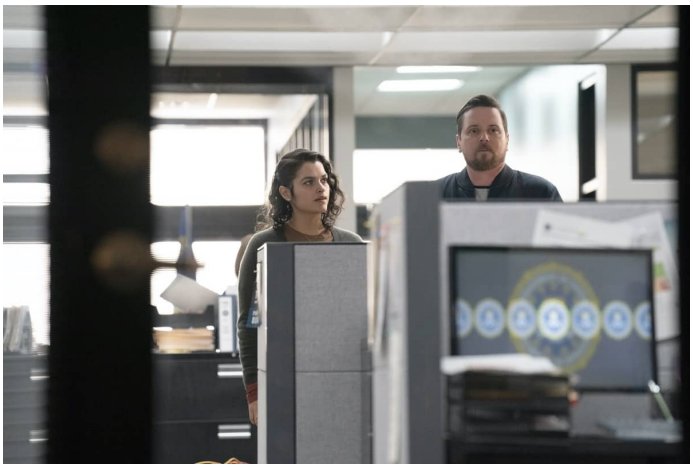
File #4

Season 1
Episode Number: 4
Season Episode: 4

Originally aired:	Tuesday November 17, 2020
Writer:	Adam Simon, Zachary Reiter
Director:	Eduardo Sanchez
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), John Cassini (Ron Mathis), Chaon Cross (Deborah), Michael Herzovi (Richard Pearish), Rian Jairell (Darron), Amy Rapp (Lily), Britt Sanborn (Hannah), David Zayas (Nacio Flores), Cam Clarke (Dr. Caldwell), David Folsom (Man #1 (Williams)), José Antonio García (Rogue FBI Agent #1), David Krajecki (Limo Driver), Bill Letz (Protestor #1), Joe Edward Metcalfe (Protestor #2), Eric Michaels (Man #2 (Baker)), Michael Minto (Narrator (voice)), Ginneh Thomas (Officer #2), Philip Michael Toca (Officer #1), Phil Tyler (Rogue FBI Agent #2), Ashlea Woodley (Female Protestor)
Production Code:	1BZH04
Summary:	Shea and LeBlanc steal an important hard drive and enlist Ben, Gina and C.M. to help decrypt it, as NEXT creates chaos to stunt their progress. C.M.'s past resurfaces as NEXT targets the FBI building with a dangerous ploy. Meanwhile, Ted and his Zava team buckle down on their search for NEXT, Ty and Ethan hide out in a remote cabin and LeBlanc discovers new information on his health that may affect Abby.



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File #5

Season 1
Episode Number: 5
Season Episode: 5

Originally aired:	Tuesday November 24, 2020
Writer:	A. Zell Williams
Director:	Amanda Marsalis
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), Chaon Cross (Deborah), Tim Hopper (Robert Vaanwyck), David Zayas (Nacio Flores), Kaiser Ahmed (Zava Assistant), Chanell Bell (Nurse #3), Abigail Cucolo (GPS (voice)), Wesley Truman Daniel (Orderly), Christian Forrest (Drug Dealer), Alexandra M. Hunter (Nurse #2), Krystel Mcneil (Nurse #1), Michael Moreland Milligan (Surgeon), Ryan Oliver (Beefy Guy), Casey Searles (Paramedic), Janelle Snow (Denise), Laurence Stepney (Hotel Staffer), Michael Oilar (FBI Tactical Agent)
Production Code:	1BZH05
Summary:	Next orchestras a dangerous reunion for Shea and someone from her past. Ted is in trouble with Zava and tries to find a way to stay in the company. LeBlanc gets honest. C.M.'s life is in danger.

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File #6

Season 1
Episode Number: 6
Season Episode: 6

Originally aired:	Tuesday December 01, 2020
Writer:	Tesia Joy Walker, Nick Hawthorne
Director:	Tim Hunter
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), Chaon Cross (Deborah), David Zayas (Nacio Flores), Dann Fink (neXt (voice)), Debo Balogun (Militia Leader), Lyman Chen (William Zhai), Gregory Fenner (Aircraft Mechanic), José Antonio García (Rogue FBI Agent #1), Fallon Katz (Little Abby), Buzz Leer (Leblac 3), Jeff Parker (Leblanc 2), Bryson L Thomas (Young Soldier #1), Phil Tyler (Rogue FBI Agent #2), Wai Yim (Zhai's Associate)
Production Code:	1BZH06
Summary:	Shea manages to save Ethan from extreme danger, while Ty makes a difficult decision for his family's safety. Then, LeBlanc takes matters into his own hands to remedy his degenerative brain disease. Also, C.M. and Gina escape the hospital and learn more about each other, Ted makes a risky deal to take over a server farm in Singapore and he uses Abby to access LeBlanc's neXt.

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File #7

Season 1
Episode Number: 7
Season Episode: 7

Originally aired:	Tuesday December 15, 2020
Writer:	Brian Savelson
Director:	Adam Arkin
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Ali Ahn (Sarina), Peter Francis James (Terrence Wilson), Karin Anglin (Congresswoman Beatty), Chaon Cross (Deborah), Carl Clemons-Hopkins (Harrison Cole), James Kyson (Bill Zhai), Katherine Bourne Taylor (Assistant), Jada Moore (Vienna Cole), John Lu (Zhai's Cohort)
Production Code:	1BZH07
Summary:	LeBlanc and Shea race to stop Ted's plan for NEXT. Ben and Gina investigate NEXT's latest victims which appears to be a freak accident. She reaches her breaking point.

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File #8

Season 1
Episode Number: 8
Season Episode: 8

Originally aired:	Monday December 21, 2020
Writer:	Zachary Reiter, Nicole Glantz
Director:	Joe Chappelle
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Karin Anglin (Congresswoman Beatty), Peter Francis James (Terrence Wilson), Jon Tenney (Special Agent Brian Farrell), Bassam Abdelfattah (Swat Commander), Ana Maria Alvarez (Sandrene Salazar), Tiffany Bedwell (Zava Employee #3), Jason Bradley (Interrogator), Kayla Carter (Natalie Haynes), Abigail Cucolo (GPS (voice)), Tonray Ho (Zava Supervisor), Lewon Johns (FBI Agent #3), Michael E. Kurowski (Mousy Zava Employee), Brian McCaskill (Mason Welles), Leah Morrow (Zava Employee #2), Glenn-Dale Obrero (Young FBI Agent), Donna Steele (Ruby Welles), Charles Stransky (Stewart Welles), Jason Tolliver (Swat Team Member), Kris Wolff (Zava Security Guard), Anna Rubley (Newscaster), Charlie Petrach (FBI Agent)
Production Code:	1BZH08
Summary:	Next causes an elderly couple to get lost by manipulating GPS data. LeBlanc tries to plant a virus on the server but must break in to ZAVA first. Shea and Ty disagree on how to protect their family.

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File #9

Season 1
Episode Number: 9
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Originally aired:	Tuesday December 22, 2020
Writer:	M. Raven Metzner, Adam Simon
Director:	Brad Turner
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Karin Anglin (Congresswoman Beatty), Peter Francis James (Terrence Wilson), Evan Jones (Ray), Coburn Goss (Richard Spires), Dylan Hoffman (Cody), Britt Sanborn (Hannah), Dann Fink (neXt (voice)), Kayla Carter (Natalie Haynes), Jordan Dell Harris (NSA Agent), Jin Kim (Jared), David Leonard (Security Guard #1), Michael Minto (Male Newscaster), Sam Porretta (Local Dad), Justin Reed (Kid), Anna Rubley (Female Newscaster), Peter Sipla (Security Guard #2), Elliott Sowards (Security Guard #3), Reuben Glaser (NSA Tech)
Production Code:	1BZH09
Summary:	NEXT targets Congresswoman Beatty again when Agent Shea Salazar seeks her help to stop it. Shea discovers a leak within her team, as Gina encounters trouble while trying to code the virus into an NSA server.

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File #10

Season 1
Episode Number: 10
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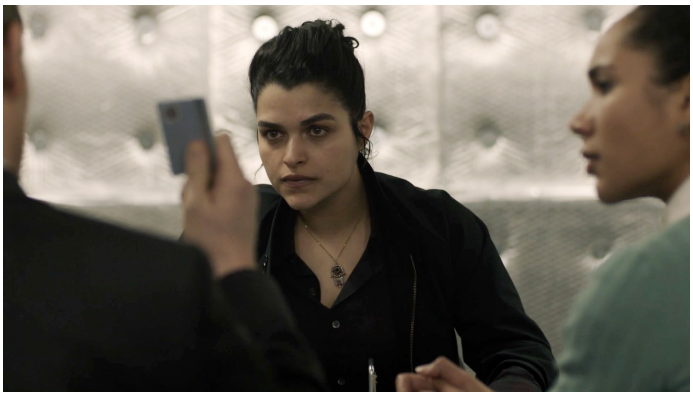
Originally aired:	Tuesday December 22, 2020
Writer:	Manny Coto, Adam Simon
Director:	Adam Arkin
Show Stars:	John Slattery (Paul LeBlanc), Fernanda Andrade (Special Agent Shea Salazar), Michael Mosley (C.M.), Gerardo Celasco (Ty Salazar), Eve Harlow (Gina), Aaron Moten (Ben), Evan Whitten (Ethan Salazar), Elizabeth Cappuccino (Abby LeBlanc), Jason Butler Harner (Ted LeBlanc)
Guest Stars:	Evan Jones (Ray), Coburn Goss (Richard Spires), Dylan Hoffman (Cody), Britt Sanborn (Hannah), Dann Fink (neXt (voice)), Ana Maria Alvarez (Sandrene Salazar), Atra Asdou (Reporter #2), Dylan Carey (Lead Security Officer #2), Kayla Carter (Natalie Haynes), Adithi Chandrashekar (Analyst), Abigail Cucolo (NSA Woman), Kroydell Galima (Lead Security Officer #1), John Gawlik (Gate Guard #1), Mike Jimerson (Car Salesman), J Marc Jones (Reporter #3), Brian Keys (Security Guard), Anna Rubley (Newscaster), Elliott Sowards (NSA Guard #3), Robert Upton (Gate Guard #2), Christine Vrem-Ydstie (Reporter #1), Reuben Glaser (NSA Tech)
Production Code:	1BZH10
Summary:	NEXT taunts LeBlanc with a new tactic relating to his illness and Shea and LeBlanc devise one last dangerous ploy to destroy NEXT, and save their lives, their families and the world.



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Actor Appearances

A

Bassam Abdelfattah 1
0108 (Swat Commander)
Matt Afonso 1
0101 (Clerk)
Kaiser Ahmed 1
0105 (Zava Assistant)
Ali Ahn 7
0101 (Sarina); 0102 (Sarina); 0103 (Sarina); 0104 (Sarina); 0105 (Sarina); 0106 (Sarina); 0107 (Sarina)
Daryn Alexus 1
0102 (Aide)
Ana Maria Alvarez 2
0108 (Sandrene Salazar); 0110 (Sandrene Salazar)
Shyinne Anastacio 1
0101 (Woman (in Audi))
Karin Anglin 3
0107 (Congresswoman Beatty); 0108 (Congresswoman Beatty); 0109 (Congresswoman Beatty)
Anthony Arroyo 1
0103 (Bald Prisoner)
Atra Asdou 1
0110 (Reporter #2)
Julia Atkin 1
0103 (Student #2)

B

Arpad Balogh 1
0101 (Man in Sedan #2)
Debo Balogun 1
0106 (Militia Leader)
Tiffany Bedwell 1
0108 (Zava Employee #3)
Sam Bell-Gurwitz 1
0103 (Keith)
Chanell Bell 1
0105 (Nurse #3)
Jana Benoit 1
0101 (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 1)
John Billingsley 1
0101 (Richard Weiss)
Henrik Blix 1
0103 (Brother)
Ian Bonds 2
0102 (FBI IT Forensics); 0103 (FBI IT Forensics)
Zebastin Borjeau 1
0101 (Bully Kid #1)
Jason Bradley 2
0102 (Interrogator); 0108 (Interrogator)

C

Dylan Carey 1
0110 (Lead Security Officer #2)
Kayla Carter 3
0108 (Natalie Haynes); 0109 (Natalie Haynes); 0110 (Natalie Haynes)
John Cassini 4
0101 (Ron Mathis); 0102 (Ron Mathis); 0103 (Ron Mathis); 0104 (Ron Mathis)
Adithi Chandrashekar 1
0110 (Analyst)
Michael Charrois 1
0101 (Maitre D')
Lyman Chen 1
0106 (William Zhai)
Cam Clarke 1
0104 (Dr. Caldwell)
Carl Clemons-Hopkins 1
0107 (Harrison Cole)
Chaon Cross 4
0104 (Deborah); 0105 (Deborah); 0106 (Deborah); 0107 (Deborah)
Abigail Cucolo 3
0105 (GPS (voice)); 0108 (GPS (voice)); 0110 (NSA Woman)

D

Wesley Truman Daniel 1
0105 (Orderly)
Padmini Divekar 1
0103 (Elderly Woman)
Devin Durbin 1
0103 (Pedestrian / Patron)

E

Kat Elizabeth 1
0101 (Waiter)

F

Gregory Fenner 1
0106 (Aircraft Mechanic)
Dann Fink 5
0101 (neXt (voice)); 0102 (neXt (voice)); 0106 (neXt (voice)); 0109 (neXt (voice)); 0110 (neXt (voice))
David Folsom 1
0104 (Man #1 (Williams))
Christian Forrest 1
0105 (Drug Dealer)

G

Eli Gabay 1
0101 (Security Chief)
Kroydell Galima 1
0110 (Lead Security Officer #1)
José Antonio García 2

0104 (Rogue FBI Agent #1); 0106 (Rogue FBI Agent #1)
Chris Gauthier 1
0101 (Sean Akers)
John Gawlik 1
0110 (Gate Guard #1)
Reuben Glaser 2
0109 (NSA Tech); 0110 (NSA Tech)
Tamsen Glaser 1
0101 (Jennie Weiss)
Coburn Goss 2
0109 (Richard Spires); 0110 (Richard Spires)

H

Jordan Dell Harris 1
0109 (NSA Agent)
Michael Herzovi 3
0102 (Richard Pearish); 0103 (Richard Pearish); 0104 (Richard Pearish)
Tonray Ho 1
0108 (Zava Supervisor)
Dylan Hoffman 2
0109 (Cody); 0110 (Cody)
Julian Holbus 1
0102 (Lead Bully)
Tim Hopper 1
0105 (Robert Vaanwyck)
Alexandra M. Hunter 1
0105 (Nurse #2)
Becca Hurd 1
0103 (Alex)

J

Rian Jairell 1
0104 (Darron)
Peter Francis James 3
0107 (Terrence Wilson); 0108 (Terrence Wilson); 0109 (Terrence Wilson)
Kirk Jaques 1
0101 (Security Guard #1)
Mike Jimerson 1
0110 (Car Salesman)
Lewon Johns 1
0108 (FBI Agent #3)
Evan Jones 2
0109 (Ray); 0110 (Ray)
J Marc Jones 1
0110 (Reporter #3)
Trevor Jones 1
0101 (Security Guard #2)

K

Fallon Katz 1
0106 (Little Abby)
Brian Keys 1
0110 (Security Guard)
Jin Kim 1
0109 (Jared)
Olenka Wos Kimball 2
0101 (Iliza (voice)); 0102 (Iliza (voice))
David Krajecki 1
0104 (Limo Driver)
Paul Kular 1
0101 (Man in Sedan #1)
Michael E. Kurowski 1
0108 (Mousy Zava Employee)
Liam Kuykendall 1
0102 (Bully Boy #1)
James Kyson 1
0107 (Bill Zhai)

L

Buzz Leer 1
0106 (Leblac 3)
David Leonard 1
0109 (Security Guard #1)
Bill Letz 1
0104 (Protestor #1)
John Lu 1
0107 (Zhai's Cohort)
Matt Lusk 1
0103 (Driver)
Jay Lutwyche 1
0101 (Bully Kid #2)

M

Ryan Mah 1
0101 (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 2)
Mari Marroquin 1
0102 (Jazmin)
Lindsay Marshall 1
0101 (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 3)
Eric Mazimpaka 1
0101 (Man (in Audi))
Rachel Mazz 1
0101 (Nurse)
Brian McCaskill 1
0108 (Mason Welles)
Krystel Mcneil 1
0105 (Nurse #1)
Joe Edward Metcalfe 1
0104 (Protestor #2)
Eric Michaels 1
0104 (Man #2 (Baker))
Michael Moreland Milligan 1
0105 (Surgeon)
Michael Minto 3
0103 (Richard Pearish (voice)); 0104 (Narrator (voice)); 0109 (Male Newscaster)
Priya Mohanty 1
0103 (Sidra Ameen)
Robyn Moler 1
0103 (Woman)
Jada Moore 1
0107 (Vienna Cole)
Leah Morrow 1
0108 (Zava Employee #2)
Karyn Mott 1
0101 (Zava Medic)

N

Vinh Nguyen 1
0103 (Student #1)

O

Glenn-Dale Obrero 1
0108 (Young FBI Agent)
Michael Oilar 1
0105 (FBI Tactical Agent)
Ryan Oliver 1
0105 (Beefy Guy)
Si Osborne 1

0103 (Vendor)

P

Jeff Parker 1
0106 (Leblanc 2)
Charlie Petrach 1
0108 (FBI Agent)
Sam Porretta 1
0109 (Local Dad)
Adam Poss 1
0102 (Teacher)

R

Amy Rapp 1
0104 (Lily)
Justin Reed 1
0109 (Kid)
James Rha 1
0101 (Programmer)
Tania Richard 1
0102 (Mrs. Cosgrove)
Julia Rowley 1
0102 (Gaige)
Anna Rubley 3
0108 (Newscaster); 0109 (Female Newscaster); 0110 (Newscaster)

S

Britt Sanborn 3
0104 (Hannah); 0109 (Hannah); 0110 (Hannah)
Casey Searles 1
0105 (Paramedic)
Manraj Sidhu 1
0101 (Nearby Tech)
Peter Sipla 1
0109 (Security Guard #2)
Janelle Snow 1
0105 (Denise)
Alexander Sokolowski 1
0102 (Bully Boy #2)
Elliott Sowards 2
0109 (Security Guard #3); 0110 (NSA Guard #3)
Donna Steele 1
0108 (Ruby Welles)
Laurence Stepney 1
0105 (Hotel Staffer)
Phillip Joseph Steward 1
0101 (Reporter)
Charles Stransky 1
0108 (Stewart Welles)

T

TayLar 1
0102 (Dr. Melissa Rogers)
Katherine Bourne Taylor 1
0107 (Assistant)
Jon Tenney 1
0108 (Special Agent Brian Farrell)
Bryson L Thomas 1
0106 (Young Soldier #1)
Ginneh Thomas 1
0104 (Officer #2)
Arlene Thompson 1
0101 (FBI Cybercrimes Agent 4)
Philip Michael Toca 1
0104 (Officer #1)
Jason Tolliver 1
0108 (Swat Team Member)
Paul Turner 1
0103 (State Trooper #1)
Phil Tyler 2
0104 (Rogue FBI Agent #2); 0106 (Rogue FBI Agent #2)

U

Robert Upton 1
0110 (Gate Guard #2)
Daesha Danielle Usman 1
0101 (Aide (FBI))

V

Christine Vrem-Ydstie 1
0110 (Reporter #1)

W

Christopher Wayland 1
0103 (Chris)
Kris Wolff 1
0108 (Zava Security Guard)
Ashlea Woodley 1
0104 (Female Protestor)

Y

Wai Yim 1
0106 (Zhai's Associate)

Z

David Zayas 3
0104 (Nacio Flores); 0105 (Nacio Flores); 0106 (Nacio Flores)
Trestyn Zradicka 1
0101 (Bully Kid #3)