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## SIMON & SCHUSTER AND BRIAN GRAZER TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK WITH EBOOK DONATIONS TO LIBRARIES

April 7, 2015, New York, NY—Simon & Schuster and Brian Grazer announced today that they will donate one copy of the e-book edition of A CURIOUS MIND: *The Secret to a Bigger Life* by Mr. Grazer and Charles Fishman to school and public libraries for every copy of the book purchased in hardcover, audio or e-book between April 7 and April 18, up to 5,000 copies. The donation will be administered by OverDrive, the number one e-book platform for libraries, serving more than 33,000 school and public libraries around the world.

"People of all ages can expand their world – and possibly change the world – by exploring their curiosity. There's no better place to learn more about anything that interests you than a library," said Mr. Grazer.

In a separate statement, Jonathan Karp, President and Publisher of Simon & Schuster, said, "Libraries make knowledge accessible to everyone. We could not think of any better way to honor National Library Week than by sharing a book that celebrates the quest for knowledge with libraries across the country and around the world."

Brian Grazer is the producer of *A Beautiful Mind*, *Apollo 13*, *Splash*, *Arrested Development*, *24*, *8 Mile*, *Empire*, and *J. Edgar*, among others. His films and TV shows have been nominated for forty-three Academy Awards and 149 Emmys. In 2007, he was named one of *Time's* 100 Most Influential People in the World. A CURIOUS MIND, his first book, will be published by Simon & Schuster on April 7, 2015.

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