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# UPCOMING

#### **Finest Fairy Tales**

Seaside Crimes



#### 2 NEW FAIRY TALES UPCOMING

#### FROM "RAPUNZEL" AND "SNOW WHITF" TO "PUSS IN BOOTS" AND "CINDERELLA". THESE VIBRANT **ADAPTATIONS ARE A TENTPOLE** ATTRACTION OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON

# **FINEST FAIRY TALES** BY ZOLTAN SPIRANDELLI, CÜNEYT KAYA, MATTHIAS STEURER, FRANK STOYE, FRAUKE THIELECKE, A.O.

#### They are among the most famous stories in the world: Grimm's and Andersen's fairv tales.

#### Latest Titles

A Princess Betrayed: In a remote mining town, Melisa disguises herself as a man and becomes entangled in a perilous conflict while trying to save Princess Sophia from her wicked uncle's schemes. Meanwhile, a mysterious mountain troll named Mehrich threatens the inhabitants, as lies and intrigues determine the fate of all in this world.

The Magic Flute: Farmhand Tamino, disguised as a prince, and his friend Papageno embark on a devious quest to rob villagers using a magical flute. Their path takes a dramatic turn when the Queen of the Night offers Tamino a deal: rescue her daughter, Princess Pamina, from the rebel Sarastro's fortress using the flute's power and retrieve a sacred amulet. In return, Tamino can marry the princess and escape his humble life. Little does he know, Papageno's doubts about the mission are well-founded.



#### GENRE

Family Entertainment Series, 56 × 60 min

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#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Sechs auf einen Streich

#### CAST

Suzanne von Borsody, Ken Duken, Hannelore Elsner, François Goeske, Karoline Herfurth, Hannelore Hoger, Henry Hübchen, Gottfried John

#### PRODUCED BY ARD Degeto

COUNTRY Germany

#### VFRSIONS

German [OV] with English subtitles, French & Spanish dub

#### DELIVERY DATE



#### **NEW EPISODES UPCOMING**



## **SEASIDE CRIMES BY ISMAIL SAHIN**

When homicide detective Tjark Wolf and police chief Femke Folkmer make a grisly discovery on the Friesian North Sea coast, they have no idea that this is just the start of their cooperation on a series of criminal cases, which will push them to their very limits - and even a step beyond.

*Episode 1: The Grave on the Beach* The fictitious town of Werlesiel is a tranquil spot on the Friesian coast. But the idyll is broken when a young woman disappears in a dense sea fog after a night out partying. Femke Folkmer, local police chief, does not believe that this is a regular missing persons case and starts looking into it. Soon after, Tjark Wolf arrives from the criminal investigation division (CID) in Wilhelmshaven to investigate the disappearance of the unknown woman.

Episode 2: A Deadly Trap While working a drugs case for the CID in Wilhelmshaven, Femke's and Tjark's colleague Ceylan Özer gets seriously injured, with her life hanging in the balance. Determined to catch the smugglers, Femke and Tjark chase down every lead and soon realise that in truth, a much bigger crime is underway here.



#### GENRE

Crime Series, 5 × 90 min

**ORIGINAL TITLE** Dünentod – Fin Nordseekrimi

CAST Hendrik Duryn, Pia-Micaela Barucki

PRODUCED BY MadeFor Film for RTI

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

DELIVERY DATE





#### Mountain Murders Season 5

Murder on the Inca Trail

The Palace Season 2

The Palace Season 1

Sacha

**Endangered Species** 

Trauma

Moah

Helvetica

**Recipes for Love and Murder** Season 2

Woman of the Dead Season 2

**Public Affairs** 

Your Honor

The Night in Question

Melchior – The Apothecary

Chameleon

Davos 1917

Fast

Dangerous Docks

**Buried Truth** 

SERIES

# **MOUNTAIN MURDERS** SEASON 5 BY TOM ZENKER, CARSTEN FIEBELER, JOHN DELBRIDGE, HEIDI KRANZ, A.O.



Chief Inspector Benedikt Beissl has been running his police station in Berchtesgaden pretty much on his own for many years, when all of a sudden the top brass decide to assign him a new colleague:

Jerry Paulsen is not only everything that Beissl is not, namely charming, talkative and open-hearted and as the son of an American GI, speaks English fluently. But all this bothers Beissl a lot less than the fact that lerry also happens to be going out with his beloved daughter Johanna – this guy is practically his son-in-law! With his winning ways, the "wannabe Obama" really gets on Beissl's wick. But when the pair are on a case, their private issues remain outside the door - well for the most part.

The stories of a mismatched pair of detectives and their family entanglements provide the perfect blend of incidental humor, family life and a varied array of criminal cases – all set against the imposing backdrop of the magnificent Alps. What else could you want in a successful police series?



#### GENRE

Crime 5 Seasons, 60 x 50 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Watzmann ermittelt

#### CAST

Andreas Giebel, Peter Marton, Ines Lutz, Nepo Fitz, Barbara Weinzierl, Kathrin von Steinburg, Leonie Bril

#### PRODUCED BY

Luckybird Pictures / ARD for Das Erste, RP

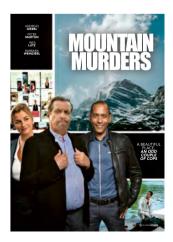
#### COUNTRY

Germany

#### VFRSION

German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DELIVERY DATE





# **MURDER ON THE INCA TRAIL BY NINA WOI FRUM**

Munich native Ursula Glück is shot and killed in her sleep during a dream honeymoon on the Inca Trail. Her husband, Jona Kepler, the sole witness, claims they were attacked by two men. Back in Munich, homicide detectives investigate, but suspicion falls on Kepler. With no motive or evidence, the truth remains elusive.

How do you solve a murder on the remote Inca Trail, with no witnesses, no weapon, and no evidence? Chief Inspector Rita Berg faces this challenge after Ursula Glück is killed during an alleged robbery. Her husband, Jona Kepler, claims innocence, but suspicion lingers. Despite a lack of motive, Berg keeps digging. Eighteen months later, in New York, she uncovers a life insurance policy worth a million dollars. The investigation picks up speed, leading her team to Peru, where conflicting accounts, a matching suspect, and another robbery deepen the mystery. After a three-year investigation, new evidence emerges, pointing to Kepler. The prosecution has no doubt anymore and hands the man over to the judiciary, though he continues to protest his innocence until the very end.

A murder with no witnesses, no weapon, and no evidence – Chief Inspector Rita Berg must solve the unsolvable on the remote Inca Trail.



#### GENRE

True Crime Mini-Series,  $4 \times 45$  min or  $2 \times 90$  min

#### ORIGINAL TITLE

Mord auf dem Inka-Pfad (AT)

#### CAST

Nina Gummich, Thomas Prenn, Amelie Kiefer, Florian Karlheim

#### PRODUCED BY

Westside Filmproduktion GmbH for ARD Degeto / BR

#### COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE Q2 2025





## **THE PALACE** SEASON 2 **BY ULI EDEL**

In the second season of "The Palace", set in 1990 Berlin, ballet director Regina Feldmann and a trio of up-and-coming young dancers face personal and professional turmoil as they navigate love, fears and ambitions while battling to save the theater and their world's chaotic transformation.

In "The Palace Season 2", post-Wall Berlin is a city in transition, and the legendary Palace theatre is threatened by dwindling audiences and the new directors plan to turn it into a casino. Ballet director Regina Feldmann faces a personal crisis when she falls in love with a younger man and becomes pregnant. Torn between her career and her feelings, Regina must take a decision that will turn not just her own life upside down. Meanwhile the company struggles to join forces, trying to save their stage and create a future together, at a time when everything seems possible and nothing is to last ...

"The Palace", directed by Uli Edel, was initially envisioned as a miniseries. However, the overwhelming audience response led to the decision to commission a second season of the acclaimed show.



#### GENRE

Historical Drama Series, 6 × 45 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Der Palast

#### CAST

Jeanette Hain, Benno Fürmann, Lukas Brandl, Lary Müller, Taynara Silva-Wolf, Ben Felipe, Marc Hosemann

PRODUCED BY MOOVIE GmbH, Constantin Film, ZDF

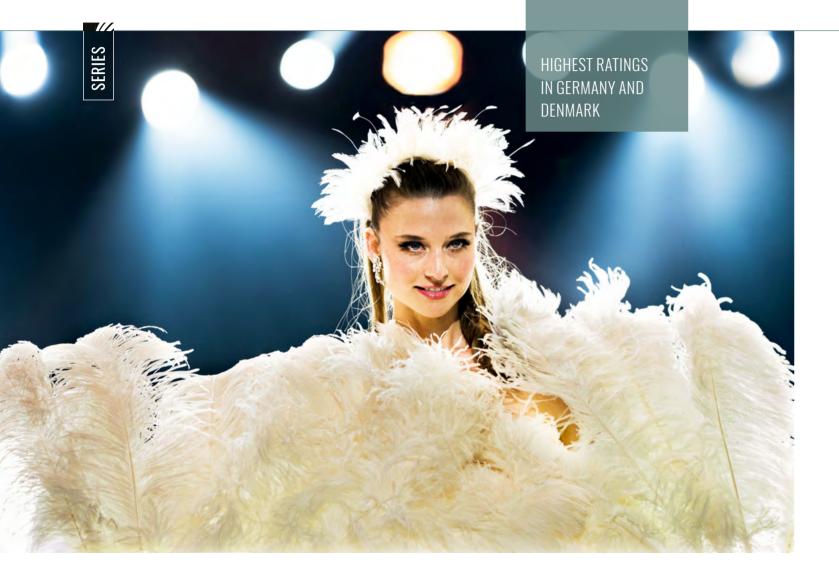
COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE Available



# **THE PALACE** SEASON 1



# Against the backdrop of Berlin's great revue theater, in a divided germany, two women are searching for their roots. A moving, exhilarating and life-affirming story.

East Berlin, 1988. To celebrate the 40th anniversary of the Republic, an extravagant birthday shwo is undergoing rehearsals at the Friedrichstadt-Palast. During these exciting hours, young dancer Christine suddenly comes face to face with her doppelganger: Marlene, a businesswoman from West Germany seated in the audience, who happens to be Christine's twin sister she knew nothing about. In this fateful moment, two worlds, which could not be more different, suddenly collide. To find out about their respective lives in the East and the West, the two sisters swap places, taking enormous risks and pushing their emotions to the limit yet still having great fun in this adventure of a lifetime ...

This lavish, highly entertaining tentpole production was shot at the world's biggest theater stage. "The Palace" is directed by Uli Edel ("The Baader Meinhof Complex") and stars Svenja Jung ("Deutschland 89"), Daniel Donskoy ("Victoria", "The Crown") and Heino Ferch ("Ku'Damm", "Downfall").



#### GENRE

Period Drama Mini Series, 6 × 45 min

# ORIGINAL TITLE

CAST Svenja Jung, Daniel Donskoy, Heino Ferch

PRODUCED BY Constantin Television for ZDF

COUNTRY Germany

VERSION German [OV] with English subtitles





SERIES

A GRIPPING DRAMA THAT UNRAVELS THE TRUTH BEHIND A BRUTAL CRIME

Anne Dupraz, a respected and feared prosecutor, is in custody for shooting a man, now between life and death. She admits her guilt but seems unable to explain her act. The situation is exceptional. As most of the prosecutors know Anne well, Carla Meier, a Swiss-German native who recently arrived in Geneva, was called in. The case is all the more murky because the man Anne shot was an underworld personality who frequented the world of nightlife and prostitution. To understand how Anne did not hesitate to sacrifice her career and her freedom to shoot this man, Carla will have to unravel the threads of the past. By questioning all the protagonists in this affair, while in police custody, Carla and her colleagues will gradually uncover the secret that Anne would have preferred to keep for herself forever. It is her story that the series will reveal. The story of a release: her own voice.



#### GENRE

Drama Mini Series, 6 × 52 min

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# ORIGINAL TITLE

CAST Sophie Broustal, Thibaut Evrard

PRODUCED BY RTS, Rita Productions

**COUNTRY** Suisse, France

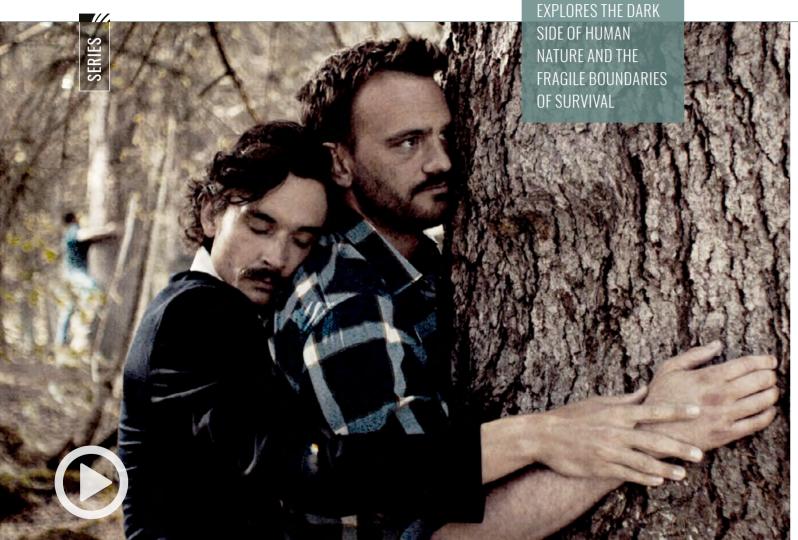
VERSION French [OV] with English subtitles





Overlooking Excelsior, a snow-free alpine resort, a glacier is on the verge of collapse. Down below, Tiffany (42), the resort's tourism manager, is spending the annual carnival weekend with her college friends for Solange's bachelorette party. Her boyfriend Victor (43), who has just changed careers to personal development guide, goes into the woods on his first training course for men seeking new forms of virility. Their couple is in crisis, crumbling almost as fast as the ice. When Solange disappears and Victor's training course is hijacked by his brother Virgile, the weekend takes a different turn, becoming an improbable 6-day treasure hunt in the mountain.





#### GENRE

Adventure, Comedy, Drama Mini Series, 6 × 45 min

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ORIGINAL TITLE Espèce Menacée

CAST Vincent Veillon

PRODUCED BY RTS

COUNTRY Switzerland

VERSION French [OV] with English subtitles





While tracking a serial killer, Adam – a tough and admired cop – survives miraculously after having been shot in the head but suffers from an important memory loss. While recovering, he tries to find out who he is and who tried to kill him. When he discovers a young woman tied up and terrified in his basement, Adam faces the worst doubt: what if the serial killer he's been tracking for months was in fact himself?





GENRE

Crime, Thriller Mini Series, 6 × 52 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

TRAUMA

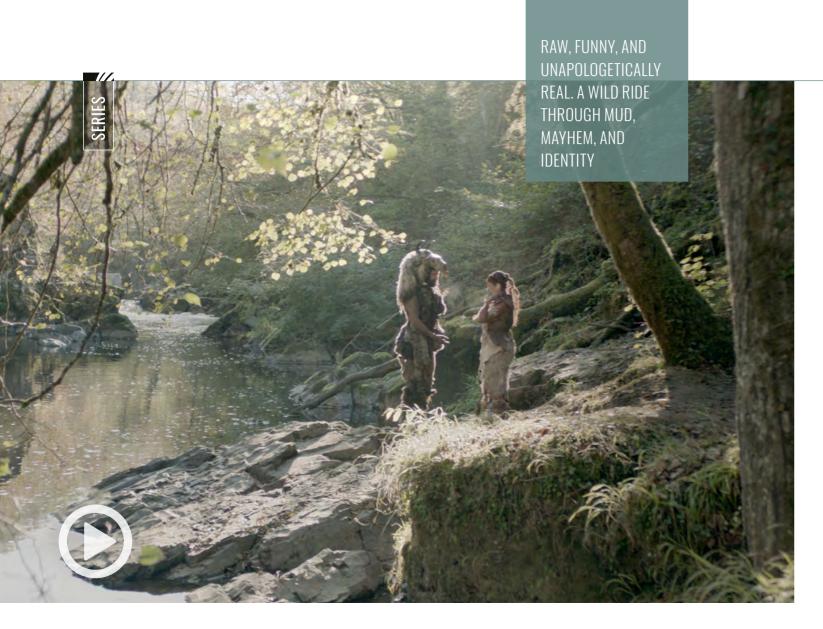
CAST Guillaume LABBE, Margot BANCILHON, Alysson Paradis,

PRODUCED BY Empreinte Digitale

COUNTRY France

VERSION French [OV] with English subtitles





#### **MOAH** by benjamin rocher

Moah. Different. A mother who cares a bit too much for him. An absent father. A boss who never listens to him. Jealous and mean colleagues. Zero future prospects. And this housing in a hazardous district. This pretty stranger who won't notice him. Dreadfully dangerous neighbors. In short: Moah's life is complicated. And the fact that it's happening 45 000 years ago doesn't make it any easier...



GENRE

Comedy, History Mini Series, 10 × 24 min

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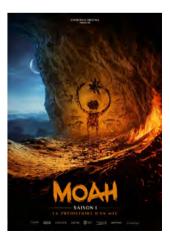
# ORIGINAL TITLE

CAST Tigran Mekhitarian

PRODUCED BY Empreinte Digitale, OCS Signatures

COUNTRY France

VERSION French [OV] with English subtitles





# HELVETICA By Romain graf

The new President of Switzerland, Kathy Kunz, is struggling to free a group of hostages being held in Yemen. She's prepared to do anything to achieve that goal. For even in the most placid country in the world, shady dealings are hatched behind closed doors and political ambitions fed on violence. That is until Tina, a cleaning lady at the Federal Palace, throws a monkey wrench into the intricate gears of the political machine. What if a lowly cleaning person were able to thwart a gigantic affair of state?



#### GENRE

Thriller Mini Series, 6 × 52 min

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# ORIGINAL TITLE

CAST Flonja Kodheli, Roland Vouilloz, Ursula Lardi

PRODUCED BY Rita Productions, Versus Production, RTS

COUNTRY Belgium, Switzerland

VERSION French [OV] with English + Italian Dub and subtitles, German Dub and subtitles

#### DELIVERY DATE





# **RECIPES FOR LOVE AND MURDER** SEASON 2 BY KAREN JEYNES AND THIERRY CASSUTO

Picking up only a few weeks after the end of Season 1, as a large fire engulfs the small town of Eden, a fateful chain of events is triggered, and Tannie Maria, Jessie and Khaya get dragged into a multiple murder investigation that unearths the small town's darkest secrets.

After the terrible events in the Swartberg Pass, and Maria's past turning up from Scotland, she's thoroughly rattled - based on Scottish law, the McClintocks do have a legal claim to at least half of her land, and she fears that she might find herself losing her childhood home. lessie is all loved up with Regardt but, honestly, a bit bored of life and slowly realises that she wants more. Hattie meanwhile is tired of Marius and all the town's complaints, and so she decides to run for mayor. The whole town turns out for a charity drive-in movie night. But the event is interrupted by cries of fire, and large parts of the town burnt down. When the smoke clears, local do-gooder Seventh Day Adventist Frank is found dead. As the town starts to mourn this tragedy, evidence emerges that he was murdered, and the fire was started to cover up this crime - with his wife Georgie as the prime suspect. She immediately turns to Tannie Maria and Jessie for help in uncovering what exactly happened to Frank.



#### GENRE

Light Crime Series, 8 × 50 min

#### ORIGINAL TITLE

Recipes for Love and Murder

#### CAST

Maria Doyle Kennedy, Tony Kgoroge, Kylie Fisher

#### PRODUCED BY

Both Worlds in association with M-Net, Acorn TV

#### COUNTRY South Africa

#### VERSION English [OV]

#### DFI IVFRY DATE





#### WOMAN OF THE DEAD SEASON 2 BY BERNHARD AICHNER

After her husband dies in a seemingly accidental road accident, small-town undertaker Brunhilde Blum uncovers the truth behind his death – a murder connected to dangerous people. As she grapples with her grief, Blum embarks on a perilous quest for revenge, confronting the darkest corners of her own soul.

For undertaker Brunhilde Blum, death is a part of everyday life. But when her husband, police officer Mark Thaler, is struck by a car and dies in front of her, her world is shattered. Struggling with the loss and the prospect of raising their teenage daughter Nela and young son Tim alone, Blum is determined to find out who was behind the hit-and-run. The investigation stalls, and the well-meaning condolences from Mark's colleagues and local figures offer little comfort. When Blum discovers a phone hidden in Mark's motorcycle case, she stumbles upon unsettling revelations. As she unravels the truth, Blum's journey for vengeance takes her down a perilous path, exposing hidden dangers and forcing her to confront the shadows within herself.

Bernhard Aichner, bestselling author of the novels, is thrilled with the scripts for Season 2, praising them for brilliantly continuing the story for TV audiences.



#### GENRE

Crime Series, 6 × 45 min (Season 1) 6 × 45 min (Season 2)

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#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Totenfrau

#### CAST

Anna Maria Mühe, Emilia Pieske, Michou Friesz, Gerhard Liebmann

#### PRODUCED BY

SquareOne Productions, Mona Film Produktion GmbH, Barry Films for ORF / Netflix

#### COUNTRY

Germany

#### VERSION

German [OV] with English subtitles, Spanish Dub and subtitles, French Dub and subtitles. Italian Dub and subtitles

#### DELIVERY DATE





# **PUBLIC AFFAIRS** BY WOLFGANG GROOS AND MATTHIAS KOSSMEHL

Max, an ambitious lobbyist in Berlin, sees his dominance challenged when determined Valerie arrives from Brussels, vying for success at a rival firm. As chemistry sparks between them, they engage in a strategic battle, each pursuing their own goals.

"Public Affairs" is a sharp, fast-paced screwball comedy set in modern-day Berlin's political scene, following two rival lobbyists, Max Lenter and Valerie Hazard. Max, a charming rising star with working-class roots, works for the top firm ABC & Partner, while Valerie, a shrewd diplomat's daughter, arrives from Brussels to compete for influence. As they clash over high-stakes cases, from environmental policy to pharmaceuticals, their witty, cutthroat rivalry unfolds. The show's central story revolves around Germany's controversial exit from lignite mining in Max's homeland, blending humor and intrigue as they navigate the absurdities of political lobbying.

"Public Affairs" offers a cheeky, fast-paced, and entertaining glimpse into the exciting lives of two lobbyists in Berlin. The series provides a surprising, emotional, and delightfully funny look behind the scenes of power, all in the style of classic screwball comedy, set in the political jungle of the capital.



#### GENRE

Political Dramedy Series, 8 × 45 min

#### ORIGINAL TITLE

Wo wir sind, ist oben

#### CAST

Helgi Schmid, Nilam Faroog, Ulrike Kriener, Jan-Gregor Kremp, Brix Schaumburg, Valerie Stoll, Johannes Allmayer, Barbara Philipp

PRODUCED BY Isarstraßen Film GmbH for ARD Degeto

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

DFI IVFRY DATE Available





# **YOUR HONOR** BY DAVID NAWRATH

#### An incorruptible judge has spent his career fighting organised crime. But the tables are turned when his son is found guilty of a hit-and-run.

For Judge Michael Jacobi his job is a vocation. Nonetheless, he opts to put himself above the law after his son Julian flees the scene of a car accident. The motorcyclist in the coma is known to Jacobi. He is the son of the infamous mob boss Radan Sailovic, whom Jacobi once put behind bars. The otherwise fearless judge knows precisely how much danger his son will be in if the Sailovics learn what happened. His attempt to cover up the car accident, with the help of his friend Franz, goes completely awry, however, and he soon comes under pressure from the investigations of Detective Kirchner. Meanwhile, Arija Sailovic, who does not believe that his brother's accident was simply an accident, attempts to take over the family business. This triggers a bloody gang war with shady factory owner Lindner, who is also a danger to Jacobi. The judge finds himself forced to betray all his principles – to save his son and his career.

"Your Honor" is a gripping three-part adaptation of the hit Israeli series "Kvodo", filmed against the stunning backdrops of Tyrol and Vienna.



#### GENRE

Drama / Crime Mini-Series, 6 × 45 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Euer Ehren

#### CAST

Sebastian Koch, Paula Beer, Ursula Strauss, Taddeo Kufus

#### PRODUCED BY

SquareOne Productions, Mona Film Produktion GmbH for ORF / ARD

#### COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE





#### **THE NIGHT IN QUESTION BY BETTINA OBERLI**

#### The young lawyer Clara goes beyond all moral limits to have her father, the famous singer Carsten, declared innocent of raping her best friend Leonie.

The case leaks to the press, becoming a scandal that puts Clara and her entire family in the spotlight. As Clara discovers her father's affair with her friend Leonie, doubts about Leonie's statement grow within her. Because Clara's father admits to having had an intimate relationship with Leonie, but denies any violence, a trial is set to take place, during which all parties involved will reconsider their positions ont the facts of this case. Leonie will ask herself if she really said no. Carsten will deal with whether he perceived the limits of the woman he loves. Clara will try everything to protect her family, but bit by bit she will see how the truths on which she has built her life slowly fall apart.

A family drama by the creators of "Spy City" about a rape accusation, where truths and certainties unravel in a case that's neither black nor white



#### GENRE

Drama Mini-Series, 6 × 45 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

37 Sekunden

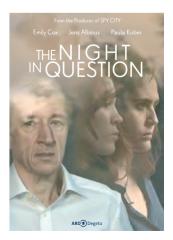
#### CAST

Emily Cox, Jens Albinus, Paula Kober, Marie-Lou Sellem

#### PRODUCED BY Odeon Fiction

COUNTRY Germany

VERSION German [OV] with English subtitles





BASED ON INDREK

# **MELCHIOR – THE APOTHECARY** BY ELMO NÜGANEN

#### A medieval crime thriller about a Tallinn pharmacist who has to uncover the secret behind a terrible wave of murders that threatens to wreck the entire Christian world.

Melchior Wakenstede is a clever and curious apothecary who, in addition to healing the sick, solves the mysteries that are upsetting his town. In a medieval world where people look for signs from God or the Devil, everything the Melchior accomplishes seems truly magical. Some even believe that Melchiors' detective skills speak with the dead! However, his "secret weapon" primarily lies in his keen ability to nitice treacherous details rather than in comprehending the scant information required before people reveal ...

"Melchior" is a medieval crime thriller, which is based on Indrek Hargla's series of best-selling crime novels full of secrets, adventure, and suspense. It have been translated into German, Hungarian, Russian, Finnish and French. Filmed in Tallinn, the modern-day capital of Estonia, which was part of the German cultural map for more than 600 years.



#### GENRE

Medieval Crime Mini-Series, 3 × 90 minor 6 × 45 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Apteeker Melchior

#### CAST

Märten Metsavir, Alo Kõrve, Maarja Johanna Mäg

#### PRODUCED BY

Taska Film, Nafta Films, Apollo Film Production

#### COUNTRY Estonia

stonia

VERSION Estonian [OV] with English subtitles

#### DELIVERY DATE



#### YOUNG ADULT

# **CHAMELEON** BY SAFI GRAAUW AND MICHAEL ABAY

In the surprising comedy drama "Chameleon", the flamboyant wannabe-actor Chris and his three childhood friends want to make it in life and escape the deprived neighborhood they grew up in.

A lot of other kids chose the "get rich fast"-option of drug crime, but the four friends manage so far to stay on the right side of the law, although that becomes almost impossible when Chris' mother is fired and his family is in dire need of money. When they accidentally have a run-in with local gangster Murat which ends up with them owing the guy 10k, things heat up very fast. Will they be able to stay on the right track or will the gangster life turn out to be inescapable? What about their dreams?

"Chameleon" is offering a compelling exploration of socioeconomic struggles and the temptation of criminality in deprived neighborhoods, providing audiences with thought-provoking insights into the complexities of urban life.





#### GENRE

Comedy Series  $10 \times 30$  min

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#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Kameleon

#### CAST

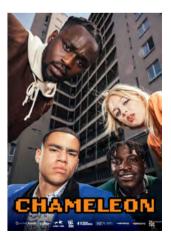
Noa Izaï Tambwe Kabati, Namzoya Abdulwahid, Tama Theophore Kabeya, Britt Hellinx

#### PRODUCED BY De Mensen for Streamz

COUNTRY Belgium

VFRSION Flemish with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE Available





# **DAVOS 1917** BY JAN-ERIC MACK, ANCA MIRUNA LAZARESCU, CHRISTIAN THEEDE

#### "Davos 1917" is a spy drama based on real events that occurred in the early days of the European Secret Services

The First World War is ravaging Europe. By contrast, Davos, the noble spa town in the Swiss Alps, seems like an oasis of peace. But behind the scenes, neutral Switzerland takes centre stage in a relentless battle between the secret agents of the world powers. The young nurse Johanna Gabathuler unexpectedly gets caught between the fronts of the spies: to win back her daughter, she gets involved in a deadly game with the German Secret Service – and suddenly becomes the tip of the scales in a risky plan that decides between war and peace.

"Davos 1917" is a major European big budget production by Contrast Film Zürich and Letterbox Filmproduktion Hamburg (producers of "Bad Banks"). The cinematically stunning and thrilling 6-part show is being co-produced by Amalia Film, Swiss television broadcaster SRF and the German production company ARD Degeto.



#### GENRE

Spy Drama Series, 6 × 45 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Davos 1917

#### CAST

Dominique Devenport, David Kross, Jeanette Hain, Max Herbrechter, Sunnyi Melles, Stipe Erceg

#### PRODUCED BY

Contrast Film Zürich, Letterbox Filmproduktion Hamburg, Amalia Film München, SRF / ARD / Degeto

#### COUNTRY

Switzerland / Germany

#### VERSION

German / Swiss German [OV] with English subtitles

#### **DELIVERY DATE**





# FAST BY SAARA CANTELL, JALMARI HELANDER, TEPPO AIRAKSINEN

"Fast" tells the case-by-case story of the Fugitive Active Search Team within the Finnish National Bureau of Investigation. The elite team's mission is to improve domestic safety by tracking down and arresting dangerous or skilful fugitives. For each case, the team has 48 hours to locate the target before their trace turns cold.

The unit's leader is Karita, a former homicide squad boss, whose efficiency is based on her ability to see the fugitives as individuals, not just as faceless criminals who are born evil. A fugitive's motive for escaping can be anything from revenge to fear – or love. Once the motive is identified, the fugitive can be found without endangering the safety of others. At least that is what Karita thinks. The chase becomes personal when Karita's closest friend and colleague Niklas disappears during a fugitive case and is presumed dead. Karita's mission is to find out what happened to him while trying to lead her team and live up to her superiors' expectations.

"Fast" is a spectacular and thrilling crime / action series, that brings together Finland's greatest talents.



#### GENRE

Crime. Action Series, 20 × 45 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Karkurit

#### CAST

Pirjo Lonka, Pelle Heikkilä, Deogracias Masomi, Matti Onnismaa, Anna Böhm

PRODUCED BY Yellow Film & TV

COUNTRY Finland

VERSION Finnish [OV] with English subtitles





#### **DANGEROUS DOCKS** BY CHRISTINE ROGOLL

#### The Duisburg waterpolice investigates at the port of Duisburg. The investigators solve each case with charm, criminalistic finesse and unusual methods.

Gerhard Jäger is transferred from the homicide squad to the Duisburg waterpolice. Together with his colleagues Arda Turan, a second-generation emigrant, Frank van Dijk, a native Dutchman, and Lena Preser, the secretary, they solve the cases. The team, led by Maria Kruppka, tackles instnaces of drug smuggling, manslaughter, theft and kidnapping – much to the chagrin of the incompetent Criminal Investigation Department officer Carsten Heinrich, who was very pleased by Jäger's transfer to the "duck police".

"Dangerous Docks" is an exciting light crime series, which takes place at the world's largest river port.



#### GENRE

Crime Series, 8 × 48 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE** WAPO Duisburg

CAST

YaseminCatinkaya, Markus John, Niklas Osterlohn, Karin Böhne, Romy Vreden

#### PRODUCED BY Warner Bros. ITVP Germany

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE Available





SERIES

THE FINAL SEASON OF THE EXCITING **CRIME SERIES IS NOW** AVAILABLE

#### **BURIED TRUTH BY PIERRE MONNARD**

A detective returns to her hometown to remember her brother who died in an accident along with several other children. After a murder in the city, she stays and begins to investigate.

A Swiss mountain village winds up in the international spotlight when the daughter of a rich Arab investor disappears just before groundbreaking a controversial new vacation resort. Local cop Rosa Wilder, who grew up in the village, has to solve the case. Working with Federal Agent Manfred Kägi, she unearths a dark secret which the village has been hiding for years – a secret that is more connected to her own history than she realises.

New prime time series akin to local screwball mysteries like "Lilyhammer" and "Fangar", combining off-beat locations and gripping psychological profiles.



#### GENRE

Crime / Thriller 4 Seasons, 24 × 60 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Wilder

#### CAST

Sarah Spale, Marcus Signer, Laszlo I. Kish, Julian Koechlin, Sabina Scheebeli, Pierre Siegenthaler, Samir Fuchs

#### PRODUCED BY Panimage & C-Films

COUNTRY Switzerland

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE Available





# **MOVIE CYCLE**

#### The Lady Diplomat

Silent Shore

#### Auris

Streets of Berlin

Modern Murder

**Border Patrol** 



# **THE LADY DIPLOMAT** BY ELMAR FISCHER, FRANZISKA MELETZKY, ROLAND SUSO RICHTER

The Lady Diplomat, a brave and uncoventional professional woman, travels the world far from the red carpets and banquets to save German citizens in crisis. She follows her own moral compass and bends the rules when she has to to get things done.

In Death of a Nun, German ambassador Karla Lorenz investigates the mysterious death of a young nun in a Vatican convent. When the victim is revealed to be Luisa Bartels, a nun who had planned to leave the order, Karla is drawn into a complex case. Confronted with uncooperative responses from the Mother Superior and Cardinal Köhlbauer, she teams up with Roman detective Motte to uncover the truth. As they delve deeper, they expose disturbing secrets and a web of historical secrecy and allegations of sexual abuse within the revered religious order.

*An exciting crime movie collection set in the world of high-stakes international diplomacy* and moral dilemmas, with a brave and unconventional heroine played by Natalia Wörner ("The Pillars of the Earth").



#### GENRE

Drama Movie Collection, 8 × 90 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Die Diplomatin

#### CAST

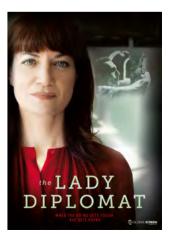
Natalia Wörner, Jannik Schümann, Thomas Sarbacher, Machel Mendl, Maren Kroymann, Michael Ihnow

#### PRODUCED BY UFA Fiction for Das Erste

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE Available





# **SILENT SHORE** BY JOHANNES GRIESER

**EP1 Copykiller:** When a series of ritualistic murders shocks the windswept dunes of Husum, young detective Ria Larsen must prove herself by solving a case that mirrors the crimes of a notorious serial killer—one who's still locked away in a psychiatric facility. As she navigates mounting pressure and a dangerous psychological game, Ria uncovers dark secrets that once destroyed her predecessor.

**EP2 The Viking:** After a man dressed as a Viking washes up dead on the shore, Ria Larsen returns from medical leave to find herself sidelined from the case. Defying orders, she launches her own investigation into a reclusive Viking reenactment community, exposing a world of rituals, revenge, and a young boy caught in the crossfire.

**EP3 The Marine Biologist:** When a body vanishes into the sea before a witness's eyes and later reappears under suspicious circumstances, Ria Larsen teams up with a mysterious marine biologist to unravel the case. As new bodies surface and personal ties are revealed, Ria must decide who to trust in a web of secrets, betrayal, and environmental extremism.



#### GENRE

Psychological Drama Series, 3 × 90 min



Die Toten am Meer

#### CAST

Karoline Schuch, Charlotte Schwab Christoph Letkowski, Ronald Kukulies Max Herbrechter, André Szymanski

#### PRODUCED BY

Movie for ARD Degeto/Das Erste

#### **COUNTRY** Germany

VERSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DELIVERY DATE





## **AURIS** BY GREGOR SCHNITZLER

#### Both RTL+ Originals tell a gripping story around the fascinating subject of forensic phonetics.

The Hegel Case: The famous forensic phonetician Matthias Hegel is a luminary in his field. Even the slightest deviation in the sound of a voice is enough for him to distinguish truth from lies and thus convict criminals. When Hegel confesses to a gruesome murder, truecrime podcaster Jula Ansorge believes there has been a mistake and does everything in her power to uncover the truth. But with her research she puts herself in mortal danger ...

*Frequency of Death:* When the young mother Cecile Dorm discovers that her baby has been kidnapped, she is horrified and immediately wants to call the police on 911 - but her husband, psychologist Jonathan Dorm, snatches the phone from her hand, overpowers his distraught wife and locks her in the attic of the house. The audio recording of the emergency call Cecile made is the only clue forensic phonetician Prof. Matthias Hegel and true-crime podcaster Jula Ansorge have in hand.



#### GENRE

Crime / Thriller Movie Collection, 2 × 90 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Auris: Der Fall Hegel / Auris: Die Frequenz des Todes

#### CAST

Janina Fautz, Juergen Maurer ("Vienna Blood"). Max Bretschneider. Ina Geraldine Guy, Petra Hartung, Hanna Hilsdorf, Kostja Ullmannn

#### PRODUCED BY

Ziegler Film for RTL

COUNTRY Germany

#### VERSION

German [OV] with English Subtitles





# **STREETS OF BERLIN** BY TORSTEN C. FISCHER, DROR ZAHAVI, NORBERT TER HALL, A.O.

Berlin is sexy, deadly and dangerous. The German capital is not only a party mecca, it tops in crime and murder as well. Inspectors Nina Rubin and Robert Karow are bigcity homicide cops and an uneven duo:

Nina is a hothead who tends to explode when confronted with individual injustice, while Robert is a cool, rational thinker with a healthy dose of mistrust for anyone and anything. Their murder cases lead them behind the scenes of glamorous Berlin, while a certain unsolved case hangs over it all, putting their partnership to the test: Robert was transferred from the narcotics department, where he has a shadowy history. Robert's former partner was found shot, and the murder weapon was found on Robert ...

A highly successful, gripping crime series set in vibrant Berlin, starring Mark Waschke ("Dark", "Generation War") as a brilliant logical investigator alongside Meret Becker ("Babylon Berlin", "Fabian") as his loyal colleague.



#### GENRE

Crime Series, 17 × 90 min

**ORIGINAL TITLE** Tatort Berlin – Team Waschke

CAST Mark Waschke, Meret Becker

PRODUCED BY Various for RBB / Das Erste

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles



# **MODERN MURDER** BY RICHARD HUBER, DROR ZAHAVI, GREGOR SCHNITZLER, THERESA VON ELTZ, A.O.

A DUO OF FEMALE **OVIE CYCL DETECTIVES WITH** THEIR FINGERS ON THE PULSE OF CRIME POLIZEI OLIZE!

The tension between two women, which stems from their different backgrounds and investigative styles, drives the cases forward and pushes them to their limits privately and professionally. But despite the turbulent circumstances and their often unconventional approaches, they always retain their sense of self, forming an unconventional, modern - and ultimately powerful - team.

When these two strong women clash with their conservative boss, it creates conflict but it also intensifies their determination, driving them even harder to pursue the truth and solve their cases. These cases are complex and contemporary – from online dating apps and the live murder of a social media influencer to a public witch hunt for paedophiles and they always unfold differently ...

A crime series with a strong female focus just perfect for fans of contemporary crime thrillers.



#### GENRE

Crime Series, 16 × 90 min

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#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Tatort Dresden

#### CAST

Karin Hanczewski, Cornelia Gröschel. Martin Brambach

#### PRODUCED BY

Made for Film fpr / W&B TV / MDR / Das Erste

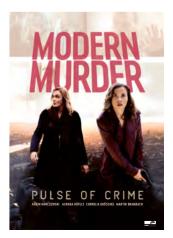
#### COUNTRY

Germany

#### VFRSION

German [OV] with English subtitles, French dub

#### DFI IVFRY DATE





# **BORDER PATROL** BY JAKOB ZIEMNICKI STEPHAN RICK EOIN MOORE MATTHIAS GLASNER

A German single mom and a Polish cop have to work together to solve the cases that straddle the Oder river – learning as much about themselves as about each other in the process.

In the German-Polish police station in Swiecko by Frankfurt on the Oder, the successful odd couple Adam Raczek and Olga Lenski handle the investigations that involve Polish and German sides. Olga is a single mom, juggling her family life and police career with difficulty sometimes. Adam has Polish roots, but is at home on both sides of the border, and has a hard time dealing with his partner's chaotic private life sometimes. Despite the geographic proximity, there's a lot that divides the cops on both sides of the border, as they keep finding out in the course of their international cases ...

Crime knows no borders. Neither does a good detective show. The odd couple detectives are perfectly cast with Maria Simon ("Goodbye, Lenin!") and Lucas Gregorowicz ("Soul Kitchen", "Lammbock", "Our Mothers", "Our Fathers") in the leads.



#### GENRE

Crime / Drama Series, 12 × 90 min

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#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Polizeiruf 110 – Lenski und Raczek

#### CAST

Maria Simon, Lucas Gregorowicz, Robert Gonera, Klaudiusz Kaufmann

#### PRODUCED BY

DOKfilm Fernsehproduktion, Real Film Berlin, 23 / 5 Filmproduktion for RBB

#### COUNTRY

Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles

#### DFI IVFRY DATE





# KIDS AND FAMILY

Fritzi and Sophie – A Borderless Friendship

3 HZ

Zenith

Mister Paper Season 1 + Season 2



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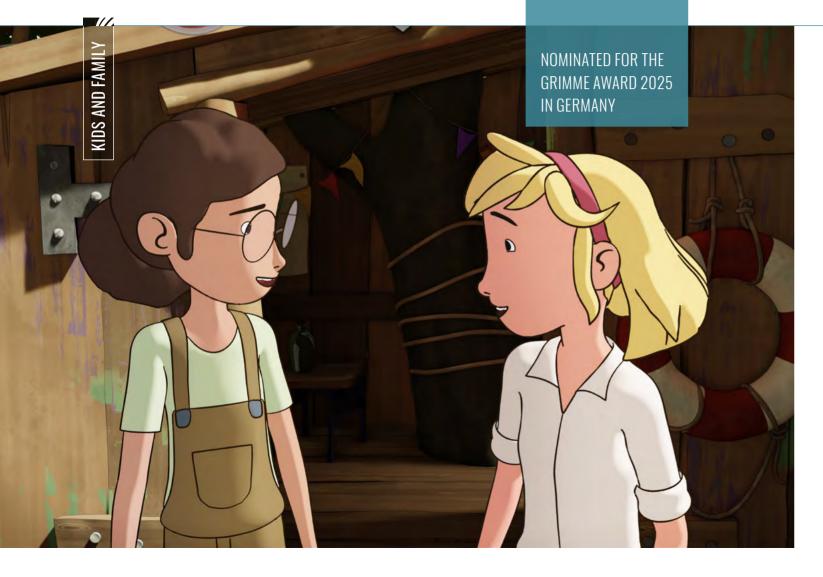
#### FRITZI AND SOPHIE – A BORDERLESS FRIENDSHIP BY RALF KUKULA. MATTHIAS BRUHN. THOMAS MEYER-HERMANN

Fritzi (12) and Sophie (12) are inseparable friends – until Sophie has to secretly flee to the West with her mother. However, Fritzi refuses to accept that she will never see Sophie again.

GDR, Leipzig 1989: Germany is still divided into East and West. Friends Fritzi (12) and Sophie (12) don't really care – until Sophie's mother secretly flees with her daughter to the West. There, Sophie struggles with prejudice against "people from the GDR" and, above all, with homesickness. Fritzi's attempt to bring Sophie at least her dog Sputnik fails at the heavily guarded border. Fritzi realises that only the growing desire for freedom in her country can bring her closer to her goal.

In a captivating narrative set against the backdrop of 1989 divided Germany, "Fritzi and Sophie – A borderless Friendship" intertwines themes of unwavering friendship, resilience in the face of adversity, and the historical significance of the fall of the Berlin Wall, offering audiences a poignant exploration of childhood bonds and the pursuit of freedom.





GENRE Family Entertainment Series 8 × 22 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Fritzi und Sophie – eine grenzenlose Freundschaft

#### PRODUCED BY

Balance Film, TrickStudio Lutterbeck, Studio FILM BILDER in co-production with ARD, MDR, WDR, SWR

#### COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German with English subtitles

#### **DELIVERY DATE**





# **3 HZ BY SANDER BRANTS**

2023. The sun is shining over Roegerhout. It seems to be a carefree summer, until Felix and his friends make an incredible discovery: the walkman no longer listens to the past, but to the future!

In season 3 of "3Hz", the walkman tunes into the future! Felix and his friends discover that in 2043, all the inhabitants of Roegerhout will be dispossessed and their entire village, including the swimming well, will disappear. All to make way for a brand new, green power plant. With the help of the walkman, the friends find out that the power plant will not be built on top of Roegerhout by chance, but serves to hide a big secret ... In 2023, will they succeed in unravelling that secret to prevent the destruction of their village?

This adventurous mystery series for kids and teens from International Emmy Kids Award-winning production company De Mensen (Nighthawks) takes the viewers on an exciting journey.



#### GENRE

Adventure / Mystery Series, 39 × 25 min

#### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

3 HZ

#### CAST

Junes Callaert, Arthur Hermans, Maja Azila, Cécile Enthoven, Stan Van Samang, Ann Tuts

#### PRODUCED BY

De Mensen nv for VRT Ketnet

#### COUNTRY Belgium

VERSION Flemish [OV] with English subtitles

#### **DELIVERY DATE**





# ZENITH **BY MAURICE TROUWBORST, TOMAS KAAN**

### We follow the headstrong Zoë (13), who, together with her family has moved to the village of Berg en Bos.

Nervous about her first day at school, she meets Max (13), who claims that there was once a robot factory called Zenith in the hills outside the village. He is convinced that humanoid robots still exist and that they live in secret in the village. Zoë does not believe a word of it until she discovers that her favorite new schoolfriend Olivia (13) is in fact a robot.

"Zenith" is a comical and exciting youth series, bringing up-to-date entertainment to the whole family: a hacker girl, a namby-pampy warrior of 10 years and two overstrained parents have to fight their way back to a normal family life.



### GENRE

Drama Series, 15 × 25 min

### ORIGINAL TITLE

Zenith

### CAST

Guido Pollemans, Hadewych Minis, Philip van Loosbroek, Eefje Paddenburg, Teunje Weenink

### PRODUCED BY

Lemming Film in co-production with VPRO

COUNTRY

Netherlands

### VERSION

Dutch [OV] with English and German subtitles, French dub

### **DELIVERY DATE**





**KIDS AND FAMILY** 

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# **MISTER PAPER** SEASON 1 + SEASON 2 **BY STEVEN DE BEUL. BEN TESSEUR**

Mister Paper cuts and sticks together the world that he wants. He lives in a paper house surrounded by paper nature. His companion is a cat.

Life is simply perfect for Mister Paper as he cuts and sticks his world together. With his scissors he can create anything he needs. He lives in a paper house in the middle of paper nature, with a cat for company. But with his scissors and his childlike imagination, he is never alone. He cuts out a cow, to have some milk for the cat. And when the cat doesn't want to play, he cuts out a dog to take for a walk. When sometimes his creations have a mind of their own, Mister Paper has to get creative again to deal with their waywardness. But with the help – or sometimes in spite – of his cat, our paper hero makes sure that everything turns out all right at the end of each episode.

An award-winning cut-out series with delightfully playful adventures that will inspire creativity and imagination in young viewers worldwide.



### GENRE Cut-out Animation Series, 2 seasons á 26 × 5 min

**ORIGINAL TITLE** Meneer Papier

PRODUCED BY A Private View / Mockingbird Production for VRT Ketnet

COUNTRY Belgium, Netherlands, Germany

VERSION Flemish with English subtitles





FACTUAL

### The Hunted

Munich '72

The Conference – Documentary

Chaplin: Spirit of the Tramp



A GRIPPING DOCUMENTARY WITH INTERVIEWS OF JAN **ULLRICH, LANCE** ARMSTRONG, IVAN BASSO, RICHARD VIRENOUE, BJARNE **RIJS. EUFEMIANO** FUENTES AND MANY MORE

# THE HUNTED BY SEBASTIAN DEHNHARDT

"The Hunted" documents the personal journey of Germany's only Tour de France winner Jan Ullrich. For the first time, he speaks candidly about his greatest triumph, about the doping scandal that ended his career, and about his dark descent into drug abuse.

In "Jan Ullrich – The Hunted" this exceptional athlete speaks for the first time about his own journey. This four-part documentary takes an exclusive and critical look at his career, his successes, and his dizzying fall from grace. In the late 1990s, Ullrich sparked huge enthusiasm for cycling in Germany. Then Germany's only Tour de France winner took a wrong turn: doping, alcohol, and criminal offenses. Together with Jan Ullrich, the viewers travel to the most important locations in his life: from his early life to the scene of his great triumph in Paris and then onto the setting for his most difficult personal defeats - with commentary from Ullrich himself, his former cycling rival Lance Armstrong, his friends, his colleagues and his family.

For the first time, Jan Ullrich shares his personal journey, providing viewers with an exclusive and intimate look into the highs and lows of his remarkable career.



### GFNRF

Documentary Series  $4 \times 45$  min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Jan Ullrich – Der Gejagte

### CAST

Jan Ullrich Lance Armstrong Fufemiano Fuentes

### PRODUCED BY

Constantin Dokumentation for Amazon Prime Germany

### COUNTRY

Germany

VERSION German with English subtitles

### **DELIVERY DATE**





# **MUNICH '72** BY ROMAN SHUMUNOV

"Munich '72" will relive the 5th of September 1972, minute-by-minute. A group of Palestinian terrorists invade the Olympic Village and abduct members of the Israeli Olympic Team. The ensuing political debacle resulted in a notoriously botched rescue operation that ultimately ended with all 11 hostages' deaths.

"Munich '72" is a three part documentary series that examines the events of September 5<sup>th</sup>, 1972 with all the hindsight that 50 years provides. Using dramatic recreations of the events to bring them to life, the series features the Palestinian, Israeli and German perspectives. Featuring in depth interviews with former Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak, Ex-Mossad Boss Zvi Zamir and Iraeli Olympians Esther Roth Chamorro, Sholmit Nir and Gad Tsobari the series examines all angles of the fateful day.

"Munich '72" is a blend of documentary and fiction, supported by newly declassified protocols and directed by Roman Shumunov ("Berenshtein – The Last Partisan"). The documentary will present a close-up and dramatic representation of one of the most infamous terror strikes of the 20<sup>th</sup> century.



### GFNRF

Documentary / Political Drama Series,  $1 \times 100$  min,  $3 \times 45$  min

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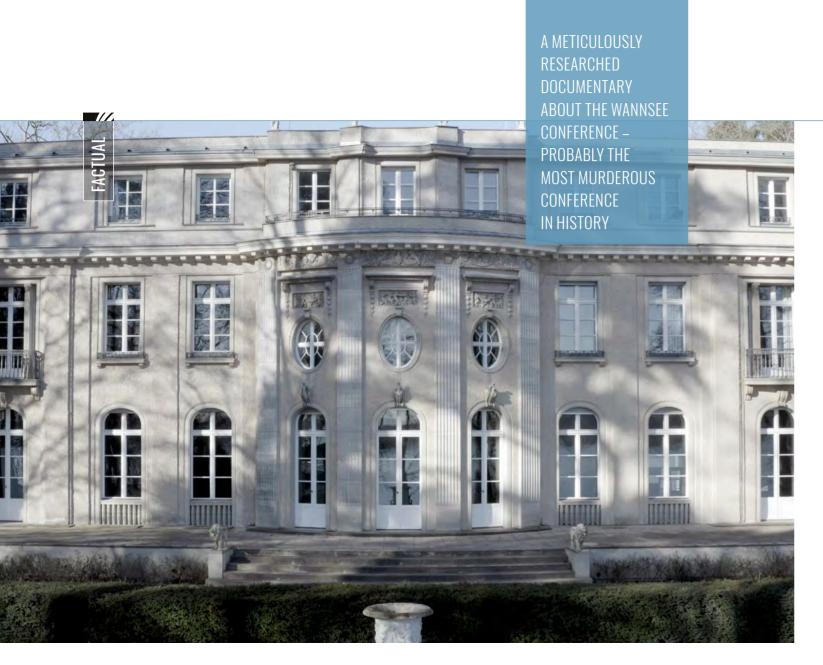
**ORIGINAL TITLE** Munich '72

PRODUCED BY sipur studios, Global Screen for HOT8

COUNTRY Israel, Germany

VERSION Hebrew [OV], English [OV], English subtitles





# **THE CONFERENCE** – DOCUMENTARY BY IÖRG MÜLLNFR

### It was probably the most murderous conference in human history. The subject: plans to murder 11 million Jews in Europe.

For 21-year-old Margot Friedländer, who had been doing forced labor near the Wannsee villa since 1940, a painful new chapter began after the conference's consequences. In 1943, she and her brother Ralph tried to escape. Margot hid from the Gestapo for months until her arrest in 1944, after which she was sent to the Theresienstadt ghetto. She was the only family member to survive the Holocaust. For the documentary, Margot returned to the "Villa am Wannsee", where the conference took place 80 years earlier. "An invitation to a meeting on the 'Final Solution of the Jewish Question', followed by breakfast", she reflects in the interview. "I will never understand how such a thing could happen." The documentary also features historians like Barbara Schieb, Prof. Peter Klein, and Prof. Götz Aly, who have extensively studied and analyzed the Holocaust.



### GENRE

Documentary Movie, 45 min

### ORIGINAL TITLE

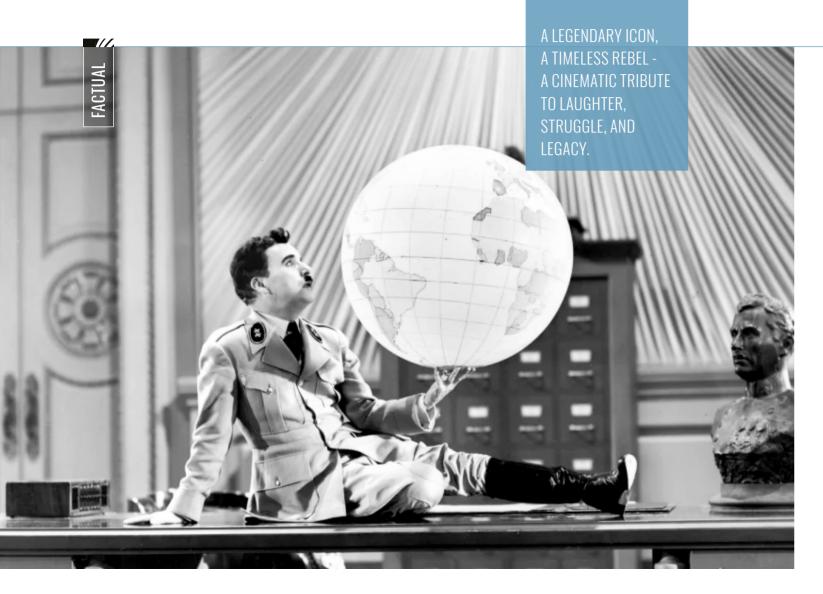
Die Wannseekonferenz – Die Dokumentation

CAST Margot Friedländer

PRODUCED BY Constantin Film, Global Screen

COUNTRY Germany

VERSION German with English subtitles



# CHAPLIN: SPIRIT OF THE TRAMP

# Seeking to better understand a sometimes distant patriarch, Michael J Chaplin uncovers the Romany Gypsy roots of his cinema-legend father.

Charlie Chaplin's family embark on a revealing journey into the gypsy heritage that inspired the creation of his infamous and beloved character the tramp. Featuring exclusive interviews and unprecedented access to the Chaplin estate, the film is a revealing exploration of Chaplin's Romany heritage constructed from intimate interviews, film extracts, home movies and contributions from renowned contemporary Roma artists.



### GENRE Documentary Movie, 86 min

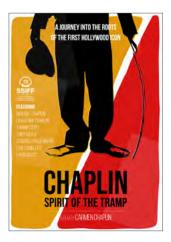
ORIGINAL TITLE Chaplin | Espíritu Gitano

CAST Carmen Chaplin

PRODUCED BY Kwanon Films, London

**COUNTRY** Spain, United Kingdom, Netherlands

VERSION English, Spanish, French with English subtitles





MOVIES

Deadly Shadows

She Says. He Says.

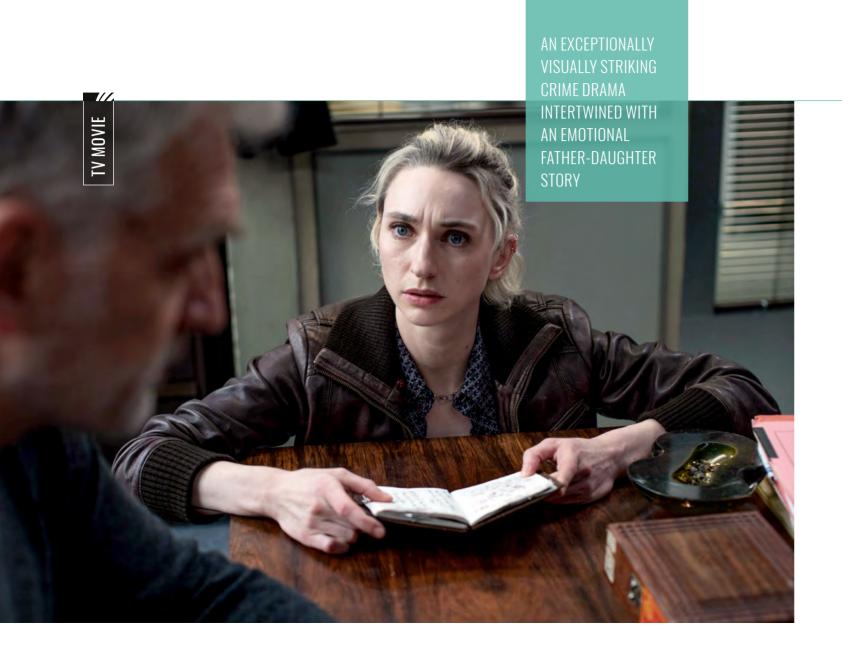
Kidnapped – Facing the Darkness

The Conference

A Crazy Day

Another Love

Playdate



# **DEADLY SHADOWS** BY ALEXANDER DIERBACH

In "Deadly Shadows", Berlin LKA investigator Philip Nabrow must solve the murder of two police officers while working with his daughter Elisa for the first time, all while grappling with a secret he desperately wants to keep from her.

When two police officers are mysteriously murdered in Berlin, investigator Philip Nabrow faces an intense challenge as he leads the case. Despite their lack of connections, Nabrow's team explores various theories—racketeering, homophobia, organized crime—but hits dead ends. The investigation takes a new turn when the focus shifts to a boxing club, revealing rampant drug dealing. Nabrow's daughter Elisa, from the drug squad, is brought into the case, creating tension between them as Nabrow struggles to keep a personal secret hidden. As the case grows more complex, Nabrow finds himself not only investigating but also becoming a target.

In "Deadly Shadows", set in the gritty streets of Berlin, investigator Philip Nabrow teams up with his daughter Elisa for the first time to solve the murder of two police officers.



### GENRE

Crime TV-Movie. 90 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Tödliche Schatten

### CAST

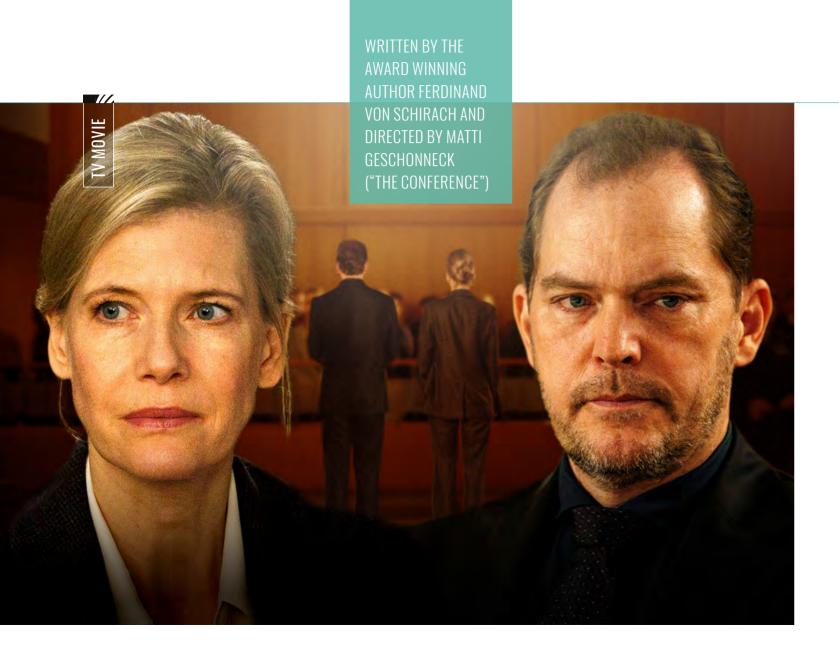
Walter Sittler, Hannah Ehrlichmann, Uwe Preuss, Charlotte Irene Thompson

PRODUCED BY Hager Moss Film for ARD Degeto

### COUNTRY Germany

VERSION German [OV] with English subtitles





# SHE SAYS. HE SAYS. BY MATTI GESCHONNECK

A rape case is being heard at the Berlin District Court, a legal and human dilemma of immense explosive power. The future of two people and the fundamental values of our society are at stake.

It is a high-profile case: well-known TV presenter Katharina Schlüter and industrialist Christian Thiede have been having a secret affair for years, and are now sitting opposite each other in court. On the witness stand, Schlüter describes how the initially consensual sex in Thiede's apartment turned into rape. But is evidence such as traces of semen on the dress she wore that day enough? Experts and witnesses are heard, and an unexpected twist in the case does not make it any easier for the court to decide on credibility and truth.

A unique courtroom drama by bestselling author Ferdinand von Schirach and directed by Matti Geschonneck ("The Conference"). Through precise observation and listening, delicate questions and dilemmas are revealed, focusing on common values: Truth, justice and dignity.



### GENRE

Drama TV Movie 105 min

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### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Sie sagt. Er sagt.

### CAST

Ina Weisse, Godehard Giese, Johanna Gastdorf, Henriette Confurius, Matthias Brandt, Florian Barholomäi

### PRODUCED BY Moovie GmbH for ZDF

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German (OV) with English subtitles

### DFI IVFRY DATE







### In March '81, Johannes Erlemann (11) is kidnapped and imprisoned in a tiny dungeon. While his wealthy father is in custody, Johannes' mother Gabi desperately fights for her son's life.

It's the 1970s and Jochem Erlemann is the most charming rascal of the German business world. Even though his business practices are a thorn in the side of the state, the public prosecutor's office cannot put a stop to his game. On the contrary: Jochem even goes as far as to invite his "enemies" to the wild parties that he and his wife Gaby throw at the home they share with their boys, 11-year-old Johannes and his brother Andreas. The boys want for nothing until fate intervenes. The older boy Andreas is diagnosed with a rare form of cancer. Then in December 1980, Jochem Erlemann is arrested and held on remand. When Johannes is then kidnapped, it falls to his mother Gaby to raise the ransom of 3 million German marks, and deal with the shrewd kidnappers and distrustful police. After a two-week ordeal and a dramatic ransom handover, the young boy is freed and, in the courtroom, finds the strength to look the culprits in the eye.

With the real-life Johannes Erlemann on hand to advise, Oscar<sup>®</sup>-nominated director Marc Rothemund was entrusted with the task of telling an authentic story.



GENRE Drama | TV Movie 106 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Entführt – 14 Tage Überleben

### CAST

Cecilion "Cito" Andresen, Sonja Gerhardt, Torben Liebrecht, Jakob Speidel, Klaus Steinbacher

### PRODUCED BY Construction Film for RTL

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German (OV) with English subtitles

### **DFI IVFRY DATE**





TV MOVIE



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# **THE CONFERENCE** BY MATTI GESCHONNECK

### A historically accurate, haunting drama about a meeting that was part of planning the Holocaust.

On the morning of 20<sup>th</sup> January 1942, in a villa on the lakefront of the Wannsee in Berlin, leading members of the Nazi regime came together. They had been invited by Reinhard Heydrich to a meeting followed by breakfast. The sole topic on the agenda that morning was what the Nazis called the Final Solution to the Jewish Question: the organisation of the systematic mass murder of millions of Jews across Europe.

The film follows the protocol of this meeting. It was shot at the original location at Wannsee Lake in Berlin and produced by Constantin Film for the 80<sup>th</sup> commemoration day of the conference. It stars some of the most well-known German-speaking actors in the lead roles: Philipp Hochmair ("The Experiment"), Johannes Allmayer ("Colonia Dignidad"), Maximilian Brückner ("Cherryblossoms"), Thomas Loibl ("Toni Erdmann") and Rafael Stachowiak ("Undine").



### GENRE

Historical Drama TV-Movie 108 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Die Wannseekonferenz

### CAST

Philipp Hochmair, Johannes Allmayer, Maximillian Brückner, Matthias Bundschuh, Fabian Busch, Jakob Diehl, Lilli Fichtner, Godehard Giese, Peter Jordan

### PRODUCED BY

Constantin Film

COUNTRY Germany

VERSION German [OV] with English subtitles





EXTRAORDINARY CHARACTERS IN A HEARTWARMING AND FUNNY STORY

Chaos can be a good thing - it can even bring you love! Not that either Philipp or Frederike are thinking along these lines when they randomly meet. The two single parents are just trying to think straight and calm their heart rates after a bomb disposal operation blows up their tightly scheduled plans for the day:

Philipp is trying to get to a property viewing on time, so he can find a new home for himself and seven-year-old Miriam. Frederike's situation is even more urgent, as she must vacate her apartment with her son Fritz and is therefore searching for a kitchen she can use. She is a chef and has the opportunity to land her dream job, but she must prepare a sample menu for her prospective boss that evening. On the spur of the moment Philipp and Frederike decide to help each other out. What starts as crisis management soon develops into something a little more romantic.



### GENRE

Romantic Comedy TV-Movie 89 min

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**ORIGINAL TITLE** Ein Wahnsinnstag

CAST Mina Tander, Ulrich Brandhoff

PRODUCED BY Ester.Reglin.Film for ARD

COUNTRY Germany

VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles





FAHRRADSTADT SPÜRER

# **ANOTHER LOVE BY MICHAELA KEZELE**

Physiotherapist Julika is a young, attractive mother of two sweet children - and a widow. Two years ago, her husband Michi died in an accident. Julika still misses him sorely, even regularly leaves him a voicemail. Nevertheless, she rushes headlong into an affair with the easy-going bicycle city guide Konstantin. Suddenly life is full of lightness again, full of magic and adventure. But is this really love?

Can there be a new great love for Julika after her great love Michi? For her loving but sometimes overbearing parents-in-law Georg and Christa the case is clear: The affair with Konstantin can only be an "animalistic" aberration. After Michi's death, the family is very attached to each other, and even live together in the same house. But with Konstantin, the whole family structure is thrown into disarray. How sure can Julika be of Konstantin, who until now has never really wanted to commit himself?

"Another Love" is a real love film about great love, past love and future love.



### GENRE

Romantic Comedy TV-Movie 88 min

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### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Eine Liebe später

### CAST

Lucie Heinze, Golo Euler, Miroslav Nemec, Lilly Forgách

### PRODUCED BY Hager Moss Film for ARD / DAS ERSTE

### COUNTRY Germany

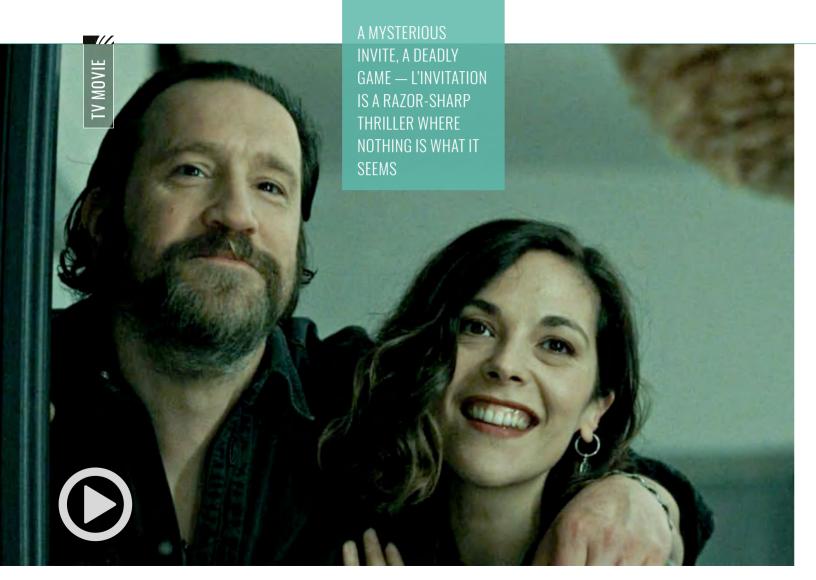
VFRSION German [OV] with English subtitles





Playdate tells the psychosis of a couple like any other. Leaving Paris behind them, Nicolas and Sophie, accompanied by their little boy Maxime, settle in the province with the desire for a new start. Eager to integrate, they quickly get to know their neighbors, a very ordinary family. At least on the surface...





### GENRE

Thriller 100' or EP01: 40' & EP02: 60'

### ORIGINAL TITLE

L'INVITATION

### CAST

Margot Bancilhon, Guillaume Gouix, Alysson Paradis, Hubert Delattreh

### PRODUCED BY Empreinte Digitale, OCS, Playtime

### COUNTRY France

VERSION French [OV] with English subtitles





Park Avenue

**Home Education** 

Grand Maison: Paris

Weddings and Wokes: A Family Dilemma

**Falling Into Place** 

You're Not Me

A Beautiful Imperfection

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Lost Transport

Christiane F. – 4K remastered

The Undertaker – The Movie

My Fairy Troublemaker

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Niko - Beyond The Northern Lights

Niko Movie Collection

Curious Tobi and the Treasure Hunt to the Flying Rivers

The Flying Classroom

The Christmas Family Movie Collection

FEATURE FILM

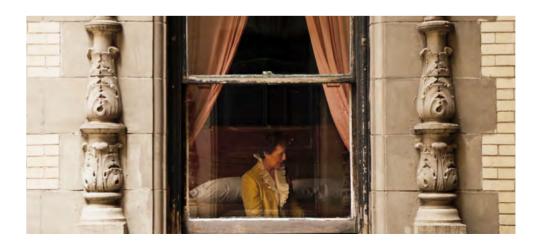


### **PARK AVENUE BY GABY DELLAL**

After years trapped in a stifling life wrangling cattle in the wilds of Canada, Charlotte escapes her controlling husband in a beat-up 1968 Ford Bronco. Her journey leads her back to New York, where she seeks refuge at her childhood home on Park Avenue. There, her estranged mother, Kit, greets her with sharp wit and a blunt question: "Am I dying?"

Over the course of six tumultuous weeks, Charlotte, fiery and irreverent, clashes and connects with Kit, a master of secrets and lies. Together, they navigate old wounds, shared history, and unspoken truths. As Charlotte reconnects with Anders, the building's doorman and her former love, she is drawn back into the world she left behind at 18. Set against the vibrant backdrop of New York's Upper East Side and its colorful, intertwined residents, "Park Avenue" delves into the intricate and messy bond between a mother and daughter.

Starring BAFTA Award winner and three-time Emmy nominee Fiona Shaw ("Killing Eve", "Fleabag", "True Detective: Season 4"), Katherine Waterston ("Babylon", "Mid90s"), and BAFTA and Independent Spirit Award nominee Chaske Spencer ("The English", "The Twilight Saga"), "Park Avenue" promises a poignant and compelling exploration of family, identity, and redemption.





### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Park Avenue

### CAST

Fiona Shaw, Chaske Spencer, Katherine Waterston

### PRODUCED BY

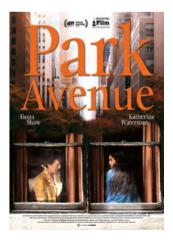
Rimsky Productions, Washington Square Filmss

### COUNTRY

UK, USA

### VFRSION English [OV]

### DFI IVFRY DATE





Rachel is a teenage girl who has spent her entire life isolated in a house deep in the woods. Her family follows mysterious cults, and Rachel's education has been strictly based on their principles. When her father, Philip, passes away, Rachel is forbidden from any contact with the outside world by her mother, Carol, who keeps the corpse in the house. Only occasional trips into the woods for rituals in the hopes of reviving Philip's lifeless body are allowed. However, as word of Philip's disappearance spreads outside, suspicion arises.







### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Home Education

CAST Julia Ormond, Lydia Page, Rocco Fasano

PRODUCED BY Indiana Production

COUNTRY Italy, UK, Germany

VERSION English

DELIVERY DATE







### **GRAND MAISON: PARIS** BY AYUKO TSUKAHARA

Famous Japanese chef Obana (Takuya Kimura) opens a new restaurant in Paris in the guest for his elusive third Michelin star. But Obana finds life as an outsider in the city of lights very difficult, and even has trouble sourcing ingredients. His pride and ambition causes tension with his team, including his headstrong patissier Yuan (Ok Taecyeon), and loyal sous chef Rinko (Kyoka Suzuki). When his menu for a gala dinner proves a disaster, Obana promises his former mentor that if he doesn't get three Michelin stars he will guit the restaurant and leave Paris. Can he pull it off?





### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Grande Maison: Paris

### CAST

Takuya Kimura (Blade of the Immortal), Ok Taecyeon, Kyōka Suzuki

### PRODUCED BY

Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc (TBS)

### COUNTRY

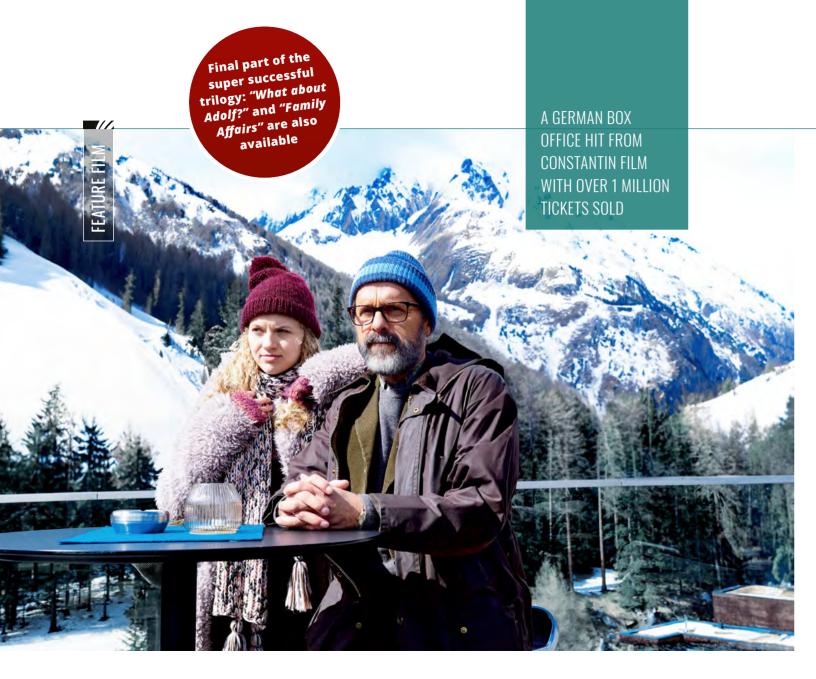
Japan, France

### VFRSION

Japanese with English Subtitels

### DELIVERY DATE





# WEDDINGS AND WOKES: A FAMILY DILEMMA BY SÖNKE WORTMANN

When Anna and Thomas invite their eccentric family to the Tyrolean Alps for their wedding, tensions rise as secrets, unresolved issues, and chaotic family dynamics threaten to derail the big day. From unexpected careers to overprotective parenting, nothing is as it seems, and the planned wedding is far from guaranteed.

Anna and Thomas are about to marry and have invited their family to the Tyrolean Alps. Stephan grumbles in the ski lift, reflecting on the lives of the Böttchers, Wittmanns, Bergers, and Königs: Anna unexpectedly found success as an actress, while Thomas is on the verge of joining a real estate company's board – if he passes his mandatory sensitivity training. His wife Elisabeth still teaches but secretly supplements their income with Bitcoin trading. René, married to Dorothea and a father of twins, has become an overprotective helicopter dad. Stephan was recently dismissed from his university professor position due to an incident. Meanwhile, their teenage children, Cajus and Antigone, bring additional chaos. The wedding, and much more, is now in jeopardy.





### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Der Spitzname

### CAST

Iris Berben, Christoph Maria Herbst, Florian David Fitz, Justus von Dohnányi

### PRODUCED BY

Constantin Film

### COUNTRY Germany, Austria

VERSION German [OV], English [ST]





### **FALLING INTO PLACE BY AYLIN TEZEL**

Kira and Ian, two 30-somethings, meet all too briefly over a winter weekend on the Isle of Skye and form a sudden, deep, and surprising bond. Back in London, they try to move on with their separate lives – but both have to stop running from themselves before they are ready to truly meet.

"Falling Into Place" is written and directed by Aylin Tezel, one of Germany's most prolific young actresses. Like all great love stories, it is not just about the love between two individuals, but also about the dreams and anxieties of a generation.

Aylin Tezel ("7500", "Unbroken") and Chris Fulton ("Outlaw King", "Bridgerton") head up a cast including Alexandra Dowling ("Game of Thrones"), Samuel Anderson ("Gunpowder Milkshake"), Layo-Christina Akinlude ("The End of the F\*\*\*ing World"), Kathryn Howden ("Malevolent"), Michael Carter ("The Illusionist") and Rory Fleck-Byrne ("This is Going to Hurt"). DoP Julian Krubasik ("We Are Next of Kin", "Dig Deeper: The Disappearance of Birgit Meier") was behind the camera. Grammy nominated composer (on Hopkins ("Monsters") and Ben Lukas Boysen ("The Collini *Case'') created the score music. And Des Hamilton ("Jojo Rabbit") was responsible for the casting.* 



### GENRE

Indie Love Drama 113 min

### ORIGINAL TITLE

Falling Into Place

### CAST

Aylin Tezel, Chris Fulton, Alexandra Dowling, Rory Fleck Byrne, Samuel Anderson

### PRODUCED BY

Weydemann Bros. in co-production with Compact Pictures

### COUNTRY

Germany, UK

### VERSION

English

### DFI IVFRY DATE





# **YOU'RE NOT ME** BY MARISA CRESPO AND MOISÉS ROMERA

### We are all replaceable ...

Aitana returns home for Christmas, the first time after three years, to find that her parents have replaced her with an unknown woman who is being treated like their daughter. She discovers a disturbing and bloody truth ...

Nominated for the Goya, preselected for the Oscar<sup>©</sup> and the winner of the Méliès d'Argent for Best European Short Film for "9 Steps". "You're Not Me" is their debut feature. A dark elevated genre thriller with elements of satire, focusing on several of the authors' obsessions: family relationships and social differences. "You're Not Me" addresses universal issues and tries to surprise and make irreverent and even uncomfortable criticism so that the story stays uppermost in the audience's mind.



### GENRE

Thriller, Elevated Genre 98 min

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**ORIGINAL TITLE** 

Tú No Eres Yo

### CAST

Roser Tapias, Jorge Motos, Pilar Almería, Álvardo Báguena, Pilar Martínez, Alfred Picó

### PRODUCED BY

Proyecta Films & Media in co-production with Amor Y Lujo

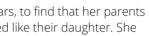
### COUNTRY

Spain

### VERSION

Spanish with English subtitles

### DELIVERY DATE







# A BEAUTIFUL IMPERFECTION

# The passionate story of the life and love of Lucia, the famous veiled courtesan who broke Casanova's heart ...

"A Beautiful Imperfection" tells the empowering story of Lucia, Giacomo Casanova's only great love, who leaves Italy for Amsterdam after her face has been disfigured by smallpox. Sixteen years later, they meet again when she has reinvented herself as a veiled courtesan now known by the name of Galathée. Without revealing her true identity or showing her face, Lucia and Giacomo become lovers once again. Will Lucia dare to reveal herself and turn her weakness into her strength so that she can be truly free in the eyes of her great love?

Michiel van Erp ("Open Seas", "Stromboli", and the award-winning series "Ramses") directed the English-language romantic drama. He created a modern version with a strong female character, set against the stunning backdrop of Venice. "A Beautiful Imperfection" is based on the historical novel "In Lucia's Eyes" by Arthur Japin, which has been published in over 20 languages and sold more than a million copies worldwide. Jonah Hauer-King ("The Little Mermaid") is cast in the role of Giacomo Casanova and Dar Zuzovsky ("Hostages"), his first and greatest love, as the courtesan Galathée.





### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

A Beautiful Imperfection

### CAST

Jonah Hauer-King, Dar Zuzovsky, Sam Hazeldine, Ruth Becquart, Maarten Heijmans, Josh Guilding

### **PRODUCED BY**

Kaap Holland Film (Maarten Swart) in co-production with Eyeworks Film & TV Drama, Italy's Kino Produzioni

### COUNTRY

Netherlands, Italy

### VERSION

English (French subtitles available)

### DELIVERY DATE



### **OPENED #1 IN FINLAND**



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# **MY SAILOR, MY LOVE** BY KLAUS HÄRÖ

"It's never too late to love"

### A widower falls in love with his home aid. His middle-aged daughter does not approve the relationship. She feels like she's loosing a father she never had.

Klaus Härö is one of the most successful Finnish filmmakers. One of his latest films "The Fencer" (2015) was nominated for a Golden Globe Award and shortlisted for an Oscar<sup>®</sup>. His first feature film "Elina" won the Crystal Bear in Berlin 2003 and Ingmar Bergman prize in Sweden 2004. He has directed six feature films. Four of them have been Finnish national entries for Oscars<sup>®</sup>.

James Cosmo plays the lead role of a retired seafaring captain. Cosmo has starred at films like "Braveheart", "The Chronicles of Narnia" and in the TV-series "Game of Thrones". His counterpart is played by Bríd Brennan. She won IFTA and the TONY AWARD for 'Best Actress' for portrayal of Agnes in "Dancing at Lughnasa". Catherine Walker recently worked with Ridley Scott on "House of Gucci" and gave a stunning performance in the cult feature film "A Dark Song".



### GENRE

Drama Feature Film, 95 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

My Sailor, My Love

### CAST

James Cosmo, Bríd Brennan, Catherine Walker

### PRODUCED BY

Making Movies (Finland), Samson Films (Ireland), Umedia (Belgium)

### COUNTRY

Finland, Ireland

### VERSION English

### DFI IVFRY DATE





# **STELLA. A LIFE.** by kilian riedhof

# Tortured and threatened with deportation, the young German Jew Stella is forced into a fateful tragedy: She begins to track down fellow Jews in hiding.

Stella, a young German Jew, grows up in Berlin during the rule of the Nazi regime. She dreams of a career as a jazz singer, despite all the repressive measures. After she is forced to go into hiding with her parents in February 1943, her life turns into a culpable tragedy. Through a betrayal, she is caught by the Gestapo, tortured and becomes a "grabber": to save herself and her parents from deportation to Auschwitz, Stella begins to systematically betray other Jews. From September 1943 until the end of the war, Stella Goldschlag delivered hundreds of fellow Jews to the Gestapo.

The special relevance of Stella Goldschlag's story for today's audience lies in the complexity of the protagonist and the hopelessness of her situation: "Stella. A Life.' is a breathtakingly modern story. Her main character could be one of us: she is young, self-confident and in love with herself. This woman is a perpetrator – but also a victim. She forces us into the dilemma of betrayal. How would we have decided?" says director and writer Kilian Riedhof.





### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Stella – Ein Leben

### CAST

Paula Beer, Jannis Niewöhner, Katja Riemann, Lukas Miko, Bekim Latifi, Joel Basman, Damian Hardung, Gerdy Zint

### PRODUCED BY

LETTERBOX Filmproduktion GmbH

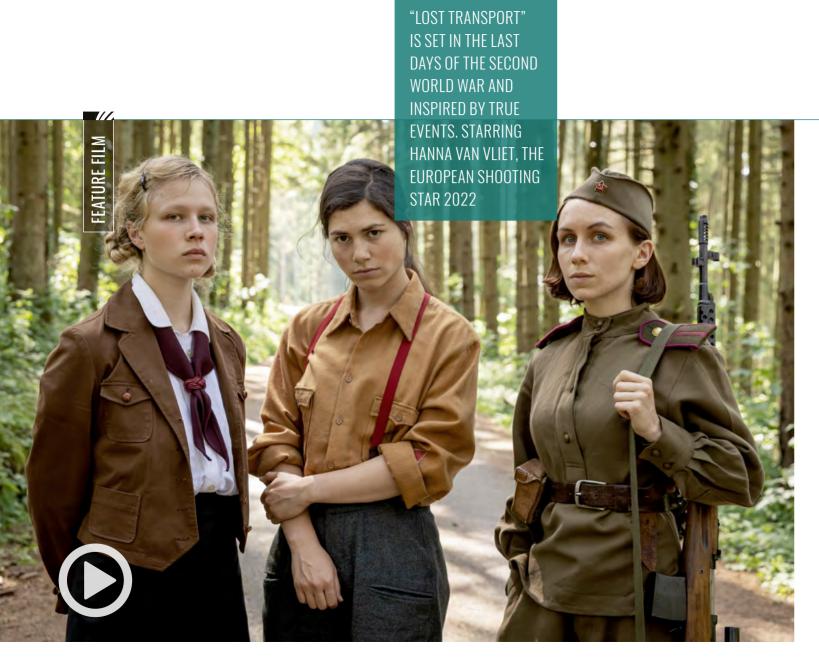
### COUNTRY

Germany

VERSION German with English subtitles

### DELIVERY DATE





### LOST TRANSPORT **BY SASKIA DIESING**

In the final days of the turmoil of World War II with German soldiers abandoning a deportation train to the fate of advancing Russian troops, the chance encounter between the distrustful German girl Winnie, the courageous Dutch Jew Simone and the fearless Russian sniper Vera leads to an unexpected friendship.

In the spring of 1945, a deportation train carrying over 2,000 lewish concentration camp prisoners is stranded in East Germany. The German train leaders flee from the Red Army, which has already occupied the nearby village of Tröbitz. The people on the train are left to fend for themselves and rely on help from the village. But between deep mistrust, despair and a desire for revenge, a friendship grows unexpectedly between the German girl Winnie (Anna Bachmann), the Dutch Jew Simone (Hanna van Vliet) and the Russian sniper Vera.

In the ruins of war, three strong female protagonists have to break away from their survival strategies, overcome their resentment, anger and mistrust in order to see the others as human beings again and meet them with compassion. From a female perspective, Saskia Diesing links real events about flight, deportation and occupation.



### GENRE

Drama Feature Film, 98 min

### ORIGINAL TITLE

Lost Transport

### CAST

Hanna van Vliet, Eugénie Anselin, Anna Bachmann, Bram Suijker, André Jung

### PRODUCED BY

KeyFilm in co-production with Amour Fou Luxembourg and Coin Film

### COUNTRY

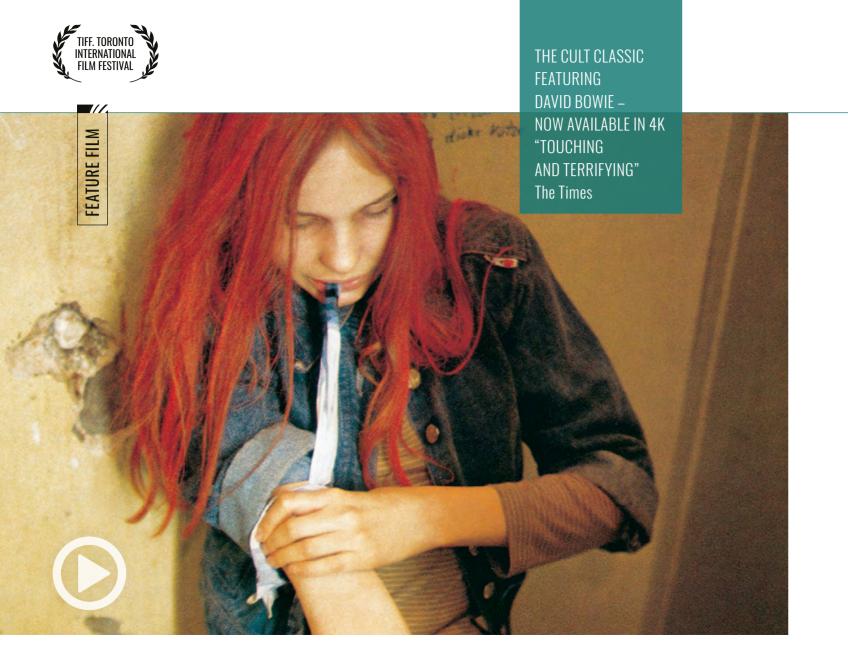
Netherlands

### VFRSION

Dutch [OV], German [OV] with English subtitles

### DFI IVFRY DATE





# **CHRISTIANE F.** – 4K REMASTERED **BY ULI EDEL**

### At 12, it was angel dust. At 13, it was heroin. Then she hit the streets.

When 13-year old Christiane is introduced to the disco scene in late 1970s Berlin, her life changes utterly. Her new friends take LSD and heroin and soon she too becomes an addict. In the mornings, she goes to school and in the afternoons she is a child prostitute, turning tricks for her next hit. Instead of freedom, heroin only brings ruin and death, and takes some of her closest friends ...

The cult classic, telling the true story of Christiane F.'s descent into heroin addiction and prostitution, is now available in a fully restored 4K version. Produced by Bernd Eichinger ("Downfall") and Hans Weth ("The Noah's Ark Principle"), and directed by Uli Edel ("The Baader Meinhof Complex"), the movie masterfully captures the hopes and fears of a lost generation of Berlin youth, set against the backdrop of the disco scene of the late 1970s. The heartbreaking movie features a special appearance by David Bowie, and the soundtrack is peppered with some of his biggest hits.



### GENRE

Drama Feature Film, 124 min

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### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Christiane F. Wir Kinder vom Bahnhof Zoo

### CAST

Natja Brunckhorst, Thomas Haustein, Reiner Wölk. Christiane Reichelt and with David Bowie

### PRODUCED BY

Solaris Film in coproduction with Maran Film and Popular Film

### COUNTRY

Germany

### VERSION

German with subtitles in many languages; English dub

### DFI IVFRY DATE





# **THE UNDERTAKER** – THE MOVIE **BY MARKUS FISCHER**

After years apart, the gang is reunited at an old hotel in the Engadin for Erika Bürgisser's 70<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations. The festivities quickly turn sour when a man is murdered in the hotel. Cue another illegal investigation!

Ex-undertaker, Luc Conrad, in his new life as a restaurateur on Costa Rica, arrives to celebrate his 70<sup>th</sup> birthday with Erika. His undertaker companions Fabio, Anna-Maria and Doerig are also attending the celebration in an old run-down hotel in the Engadine. But when the old hotel director dies a mysterious death, everything takes its course.

"Inspired by movies like 'Murder on the Orient Express', 'The Grand Budapest Hotel' or even Wilder's 'The Apartment', I want to create a place of suspense where people meet, caught up in the criminal history of a hotel with surprising twists and a mysterious family tradition." Markus Müller Director



GENRE Crime / Comedy TV-Movie. 96 min

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### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Der Bestatter

### CAST

Mike Müller, Barbara Terpoorten, Samuel Streiff, Reto Stalder, Sulv Röthlisberger, Martin Ostermeier

### PRODUCED BY

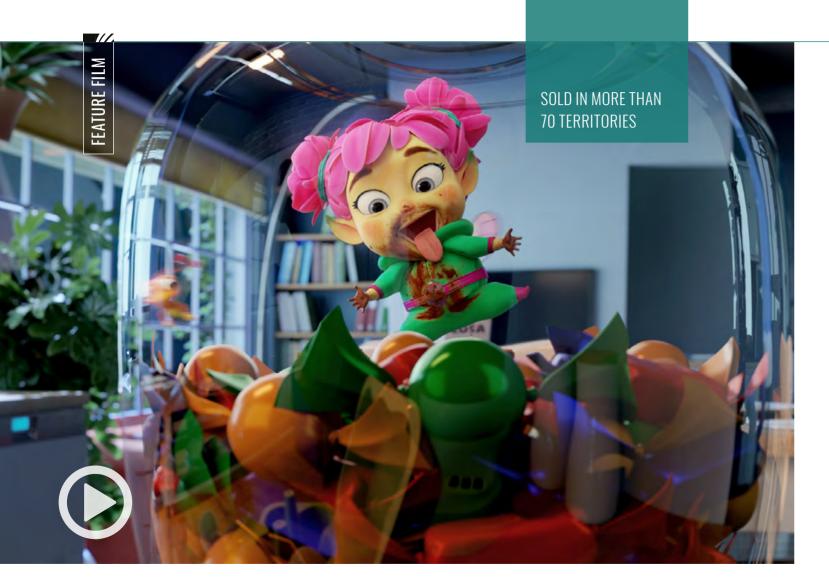
Snakefilm GmbH, Pamy GmbH Mediaproductions for SRF

COUNTRY Switzerland

VERSION German with English subtitles

### DFI IVFRY DATE





# **MY FAIRY TROUBLEMAKER** BY CAROLINE ORIGER

Violetta, a curious and cheeky fairy, smuggles herself into the human world. By chance, she meets twelve-year-old Maxie, who feels lost in the city and whose biggest wish is to return to the countryside. The two brave heroines strike a secret deal. But things turn upside down and they find themselves in a thrilling race against time and in an adventure bigger than life.

"My Fairy Troublemaker" is a suspenseful, charming and high-end 3D animated feature film, produced by Fabrique d'Images Luxembourg, ("Ooops! Noah is Gone ..." and "Luis and the Aliens"), Ella Filmproduktion and SERU Animation. The screenplay is full of action, humour, magic and heart, making us laugh about our little weaknesses and showing that, with a real friend, everything is possible. Great entertainment for the whole family!





### GENRE

Family Entertainment / Animation Feature Film, 85 min



ORIGINAL TITLE Meine Chaosfee und Ich

PRODUCED BY Fabrique d'Images Luxembourg, Ella Filmproduktion, SERU Animation

**COUNTRY** Luxembourg, Germany

VERSION English





### THE AMAZING MAURICE **BY TOBY GENKEL**

Maurice, a streetwise tomcat, has come up with the perfect money-making scam. The family entertainment film is inspired by the Grimm Brothers' fairytale about the Pied Piper of Hamelin – the cat and a young pipe player named Keith lead a band of rats from town to town faking rat invasions! It works perfectly - until their cheat is uncovered.

This incredibly lively, unique and entertaining animated feature film is based on one of Sir Terry Pratchett's highly popular "Discworld" novels that have sold more than 90 million books worldwide. One of the highest-grossing screenwriters of all time, Oscar®-nominated Terry Rossio, whose extensive credits include "Shrek", "Aladdin", and "Pirates of the Caribbean", has penned the screenplay. Carter Goodrich, who worked on "Ratatouille", "The Groods", "Despicable Me", is onboard for the character design. The stellar voice cast is led by Emilia Clarke, Hugh Laurie, David Thewlis, Himesh Patel and Gemma Arterton. Toby Genkel ("Ooops! Noah is Gone ...") is directing this international co-production. Sky Cinema released the film in UK in December 2022.





### GENRE

Family Entertainment / Animation Feature Film, 85 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

The Amazing Maurice

### **VOICE CAST**

Emilia Clarke, Hugh Laurie, David Thewlis, Himesh Patel, Gemma Arterton, Joe Sugg, Boby Brydon, David Tennant

### PRODUCED BY

Ulysses Filmproduktion, Cantilever Media

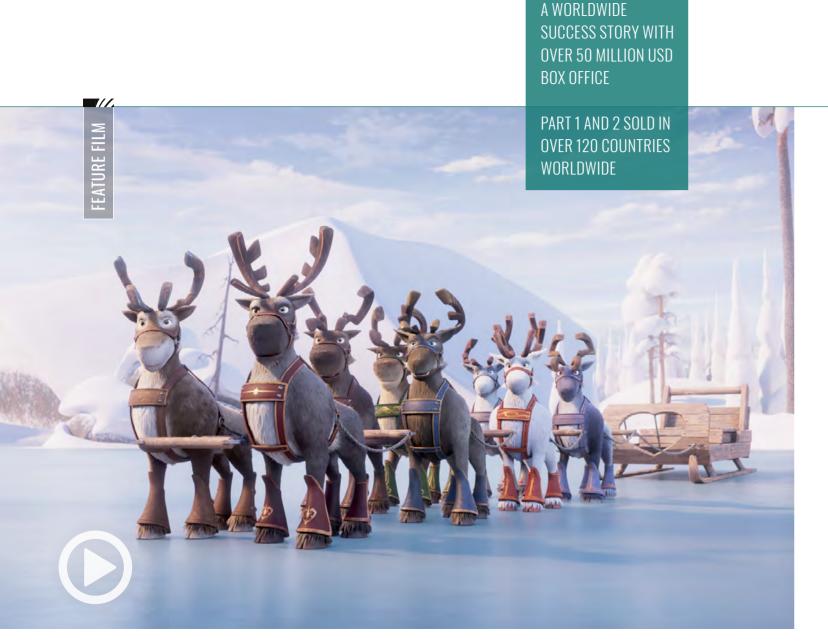
### COUNTRY Germany, UK

### VERSION

English

### DFI IVFRY DATE





# NIKO – BEYOND THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

BY KARI JUUSONEN

### When his lifelong dream of joining Santa's Flying Forces hangs in the balance, a young Reindeer must find his own path in time to save Christmas.

In his new adventure, the flying reindeer boy Niko's biggest dream is to become a member of Santa's Flying Forces. But he gets challenged by the super talented reindeer girl Stella who shatters that dream. Niko has to decide between trust and loyalty.

After the global success of previous Niko movies sold to over 120 countries, the creative team from Animaker, Ulysses Films ("The Amazing Maurice"), Moetion Films ("Ooops! Noah is gone ...") and A. Film Production ("Luis and the Aliens") have joined together and are working on this heartwarming holiday adventure "Niko – Beyond the Northern Lights" again under the direction of Kari Juusonen with co-director Jørgen Lerdam.

Part one, "Niko & the Way to the Stars" / "The Flight Before Christmas" and the sequel "Niko – Little Brother, Big Trouble" were international box office hits.



GENRE

Family Adventure, Animation app. 85 min.

ORIGINAL TITLE NIKO – Beyond the Northern Lights

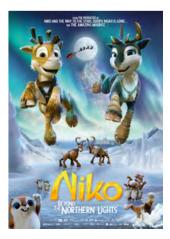
### PRODUCED BY Anima Vitae, Cinemaker,

Ulysses Films, Moetion Films, A.Film Production

COUNTRY Finland, Germany, Ireland, Denmark

VERSION English

DELIVERY DATE Summer 2024





# **NIKO** MOVIE COLLECTION BY MICHAEL HEGNER, KARI JUUSONEN, JØRGEN LERDAM

Young reindeer Niko is being raised by his single mother, but he knows his Dad is a member of Santa's legendary Flying Forces – the coolest reindeers around! He has never met his Daddy, though, and everybody laughs at his attempts to fly, since he keeps on falling down.

When a herd of hungry wolves, led by the evil Black Wolf, attacks the reindeer herd, Niko feels responsible and heads off on a desperate, dangerous mission through icy blizzards and across wild terrain to find his father. Accompanied by Julius, a clumsy flying squirrel, who has nurtured the boy since he was a baby, they save the life of sassy young singing weasel Wilma. Reluctantly grateful, Wilma shows Niko and Julius the way to Santa's Workshop. On his journey, Niko discovers an evil plan to destroy the famous flying squadron, and replace it with the evil Black Wolf and his gang. Not only Niko's Dad is in grave danger, but Christmas itself ...

This fun-filled fairy-tale for the whole family about reindeer Niko and his friends was released successfully all over the world.



### GENRE

Family Adventure Feature Films, 2 × 90 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Niko & The Way to the Stars Niko 2 – Little Brother, Big Trouble

### PRODUCED BY

Anima Vitae, Cinemaker, Ulysses Film, Tidal Films, A.Film Production

### COUNTRY Germany

### VERSION English



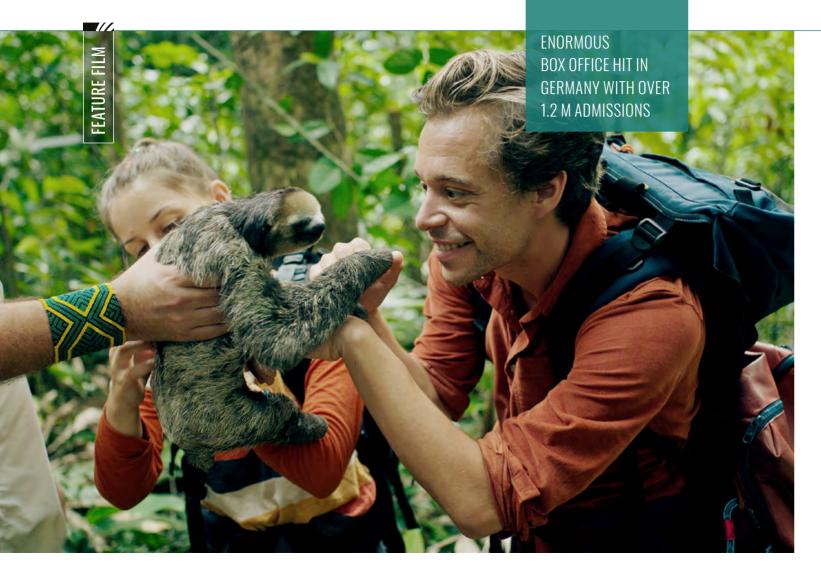
# **CURIOUS TOBI AND THE TREASURE** HUNT TO THE FLYING RIVERS BY JOHANNES HONSELL

Curious Tobi receives a mysterious, locked treasure chest. Only one person has the key: Marina – Tobi's best friend from childhood. But where is she? The search for her kickstarts a great adventure that takes Tobi all around the world to the most stunning places.

The journey takes him to Vietnam to the largest cave in the world, into the famous Ha Long Bay with its thousands of limestone islets, across the stormy South China Sea, to nomads in the Mongolian steppes and on to the Indigenous peoples of the Amazon rainforest in Brazil. Always with one goal in mind: solving the riddle of the treasure chest and finding the mysterious flying rivers.

"Curious Tobi and the Treasure Hunt to the Flying Rivers" is a stunning adventure film that'll make the whole family gasp, think, and laugh. Shot at unique locations, the film not only impresses with its powerful images and its extremely entertaining storyline but also addresses urgent ecological issues of our time.





### GENRE

Family Entertainment 92 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Checker Tobi und die Reise zu den fliegenden Flüssen

### CAST

Tobi Krell, Marina M. Blanke, Klaas Heufer-Umlauf

### PRODUCED BY

Megaherz in co-production with Bayerischer Rundfunk

COUNTRY Germany

VERSION German with English subtitles

### DFI IVFRY DATE





### **THE FLYING CLASSROOM** BY CAROLINA HELLSGÅRD

Martina wins a scholarship to attend a prestigious boarding school in the Alps. Upon arrival, she instantly becomes embroiled in the bitter feud between the boarders and the "day pupils". Martina finds herself torn between academic aspirations, family responsibilities, and loyalty to newfound friends.

A thrilling and entertaining adventure with a heartwarming plot full of action and gripping twists and turns that makes use of a delightful sense of humor to show how vital friendship, justice and team spirit are.

The big-screen adaptation of Erich Kästner's best-selling children's and young adult's book is directed by the Swedish filmmaker Carolina Hellsgård ("Sunburned", "Ever After", "Wanja") who has added a contemporary point of view and female protagonists to the well-known story. "The Flying Classroom" stars Tom Schilling ("Fabian – Going to the Dogs"; "Oh, Boy!"), Trystan Pütter ("Toni Erdmann"; "Into the Beat"), and Hannah Herzsprung ("Four Minutes"; "The Reader").



### GENRE

Family Entertainment 90 min

### ORIGINAL TITLE

Das fliegende Klassenzimmer

### CAST

Tom Schilling, Trystan Pütter, Hannah Herzsprung, Leni Deschner, Lovena Börschman Ziegler, Morten Völlger, Wanja Valentin Kube

### PRODUCED BY

UFA Fiction in co-production with Leonine Studios

### COUNTRY

Germany

### VERSION

German with English subtitles

### DELIVERY DATE



# **THE CHRISTMAS FAMILY** MOVIE COLLECTION BY CARSTEN RUDOLF

Twelve-year-old Hugo still believes in elves, but is teased by his peers, so he decides to force himself to grow up. But when his family goes on a Christmas holiday, he discovers that elves live in the hotel. Can Hugo be persuaded to go on another elf adventure to help elf girl Snow to return to her home? Magic, just one last time ...

Hugo tries to suppress it and fights an inner battle not to help the elf girl Snow, who has lost her elf parents and lives alone with her siblings. Snow can't make the reindeer fly because she never learned magic. But Hugo is done with elf adventures – or is he?

Helpfulness or coolness? Of course, our grown-up hero Hugo (Pelle Krusbæk from Thomas Vinterberg's Oscar<sup>®</sup>-nominated "The Hunt") chooses the right way in this enchanting third installment of the successful "The Christmas Family" movies. The magical and exciting adventure fires the imagination, brims with humour and fun. A tentpole attraction for the holiday season.





### GENRE

Family Entertainment Feature Films, 3 × 99 min

### **ORIGINAL TITLE**

Familien Jul og Nissehotellet

### CAST

Pelle Falk Krusbæk, Flora Augusta, Alexander W. Schøler, Arthur Wadstrøm

### PRODUCED BY Pixy Film

COUNTRY Denmark

VERSION Danish [OV] with English subtitles



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