

ATE DE JONG

Director, writer and producer

Ate de Jong was born in 1953. He studied at the Filmacademy of Amsterdam from 1970 to 1974. He also studied philosophy. From 1976 to 1986 he directed 6 feature films in The Netherlands including *A Flight of Rainbirds*, *Burning Love* and *Shadow of Victory*.

In 1986 Ate de Jong moved to Hollywood. His first directing assignment was an episode of *Miami Vice* (starring Don Johnson, Philip Michael Thomas, James Brown and Chris Rock) He directed two US feature films: *Highway to Hell* (starring Chad Lowe, Kristy Swanson, Gilbert Gottfried and Ben Stiller) and *Drop Dead Fred* (starring Rik Mayall, Phoebe Cates, Carrie Fisher, Marsha Mason and Bridget Fonda). Since 1994 he has been working out of London. Most notably he directed the European co-production *All Men Are Mortal* (starring Stephen Rea, Irene Jacob, Chiara Mastroianni and Marianne Saegebrecht) based on the book of Simone de Beauvoir and the sexy thriller *Fogbound* (starring Luke Perry and Ben Daniels). He produced international pictures *Left Luggage* (Isabella Rossellini and Maximilian Schell) and *The Discovery Of Heaven* (Stephen Fry).

As of 2008 Ate de Jong lives in Amsterdam again. He became Intendant at the Dutch Filmfund and acting director of The Binger Filmlab. From sept 2010 onwards Ate returned to producing and directing. He is currently setting up a new division in London: Raw Talent.

Credits as (writer/) director (selection):

Deadly Virtues: Love. Honour. Obey. (2013)

The Bombardment (2012)

PS: Ek Lief Jou (2010 South Africa)

Fogbound (2002) (UK-Holland)

Die Strassen von Berlin (1998) (TV MOW Germany)

Wenn der Präsident 2x Klingelt (1997) (TV MOW Germany)

Eine Kleine Nachtmerrrie (1996) (TV mini series Holland)

Wenn Ich Night Mehr Lebe (1996) (TV MOW Germany)

All Men are Mortal (1995) (UK-Hol-France)

Todliche Luegen (1993) (TV MOW Germany)

Drop Dead Fred (1991) (USA)

Highway to Hell (1989) (USA)

Miami Vice (1987) (US TV series)

Shadow of Victory (1986)

Burning Love (1983)

A Flight of Rainbirds (1981)

Known Faces, Mixed Feelings (1980)

The Inheritance (1978)

Blindspot (1977)

Every Day A Holliday (1976)

Credits as producer:

La Tristesse Riche (2010)

Summer Heat (2008)

Fogbound (2002)

The Discovery Of Heaven (2001)

Enigma (2000 – Associate Producer)

Left Luggage (1998)

