

JESPER CHRISTENSEN | BIOGRAPHY

Born 1948 in Copenhagen. Lived there ever since. Did 25 years of theatre, like Alceste in the Misanthrope, Richard in Richard III (solo), Faust in Faust. Astrov in Vanja, a lot of worried men,- stopped doing it in 1998. Since then only worried men on film. (I love men, we're so stupid.) Worked on more than 100 films by Per Fly, Sam Mendes, Lars von Trier, Marc Forster, John Madden, Lone Scherfig, Sydney Pollack, Jan Troell, and others. Since 2000 lives with Tove Bornhoeft, a wonderful Danish theatre manager/director/actress. Two grown up daughters. No animals now. Dogs, pigs, chickens, cats, birds, horses, fish, rabbits, - all gone now.

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FEATURE | TELEVISION

- 2022 | **Munch** | feature film | Director: Henrik Martin Dahlsbakken | Nordisk Film
- 2020 | **Lille sommerfugl** | feature film | Director: Søren Kragh-Jacobsen | Snowglobe Films | ensemble lead
- 2020 | **Into the Darkness** | feature film | Director: Anders Refn | Space Rocket Nation | Odin's Eye Entertainment | lead
- 2017 | **AST - A Sexual Thriller** | feature film | Director: Joel Colburn | Kristún Entertainment
- 2017 | **Before the Frost** | feature film | Director: Michael Noer | Nordisk Film | lead
- 2016 | **Ditte & Louise** | TV series | Director: Niclas Bendixen | DR Fiction | DR | 3 episodes
- 2016 | **Inbetween Worlds** | TV movie | Director: Feo Aladag | Independent Artists Filmproduktion | ZDF | Nomination: Grimme Award
- 2015 | **James Bond 007 - "Spectre" (Bond)** | feature film | Director: Sam Mendes | Eon Productions | Columbia
- 2016 | **The King's Choice** | feature film | Director: Erik Poppe | Film Väst | Beta Cinema | lead, Berlin International Film Festival: Panorama Special
- 2015 | **Me & Kaminski** | feature film | Director: Wolfgang Becker | X-Filme | X-Filme | lead
- 2013-2014 | **The Legacy (OT: Arvingerne)** | TV series | Director: Jesper Christensen, Pernilla August, among others | DR | DR | series regular
- 2013 | **Nymphomaniac** | feature film | Director: Lars von Trier | Zentropa Entertainments
- 2013 | **Sisters** | feature film | Director: Anne Wild | Dreamtool Entertainment | ensemble lead
- 2013 | **The Last Sentence** | feature film | Director: Jan Troell | Film i Väst | lead, Chicago Film Festival
- 2011 | **The Debt** | feature film | Director: John Madden | Miramax
- 2011 | **Melancholia** | feature film | Director: Lars von Trier | Zentropa
- 2011 | **Verschollen am Kap** | TV movie | Director: Andreas Senn | TV60 Film | ZDF | 2 parts
- 2010 | **A Family** | feature film | Director: Pernille Fischer Christensen | Zentropa Film | ensemble lead, Berlin International Film Festival: won FIPRESCI Prize, nom. Golden Berlin Bear
- 2009 | **Original** | feature film | Director: Brondsted & Tublin
- 2009 | **Storm** | feature film | Director: Hans-Christian Schmid | Berlin International Film Festival: 3x won, nom. Golden Berlin Bear, German Film Awards: 3x won, 2x nom.; German Film Critics Association Awards: 1x won, 3x nom.
- 2008 | **Quantum of Solace (Bond 22)** | feature film | Director: Marc Forster
- 2008 | **One Shot** | feature film | Director: Linda Vendel
- 2008 | **The Young Victoria** | feature film | Director: Jean-Marc Vallée
- 2008 | **Flame & Citron** | feature film | Director: Ole Christian Madsen
- 2008 | **Maria Larsson's Everlasting Moment** | feature film | Director: Jan Troell | nom. Golden Globe Award
- 2007 | **Forestillinger** | TV series | Director: Per Fly
- 2006 | **James Bond 007 - "Casino Royale" (Bond 21)** | feature film | Director: Martin Campbell
- 2006 | **Shaking Dreamland** | feature film | Director: Martina Nagel
- 2005 | **Manslaughter** | feature film | Director: Per Fly
- 2005 | **The Interpreter** | feature film | Director: Sydney Pollack
- 2005 | **Revelations** | TV series | Director: Lili Zanuck, among others
- 2003 | **Make Believe** | feature film | Director: Kjiell Grede
- 2003 | **Baby** | feature film | Director: Linda Wendel
- 2003 | **Arven** | feature film | Director: Per Fly
- 2002 | **Okay** | feature film | Director: Jesper W. Nielsen
- 2002 | **Minor Mishaps** | feature film | Director: Annette K. Olesen
- 2001 | **Italian for Beginners** | feature film | Director: Lone Scherfig
- 2001 | **Uprising** | feature film | Director: Jon Avnet
- 2000 | **The Bench** | feature film | Director: Per Fly
- 1999 | **In China They Eat Dogs** | feature film | Director: Lasse Spang Olsen
- 1997 | **Barbara** | feature film | Director: Nils Malmros
- 1996 | **The White Lioness** | feature film | Director: Per Berglund
- 1996 | **Hamsun** | feature film | Director: Jan Troell

1995 | **White Lies** | feature film | Director: Mats Aréhn
1992 | **Sofie** | feature film | Director: Liv Ullmann
1990 | **Good Evening, Mr. Wallenberg** | feature film | Director: Kjell Grede
1988 | **Skyggen af Emma** | feature film | Director: Soren Kragh Jacobsen
1987 | **Hip hip hurrah!** | feature film | Director: Kjell Grede
1980 | **It's a World Full of Children** | feature film | Director: Aase Schmidt
1978 | **Winterborn** | feature film | Director: Astrid H. Jensen
1977 | **Havoc** | feature film | Director: Ole Roos
1976 | **Ein Kapitel für sich** | mini series | Director: Eberhard Fechner
1976 | **Tadelloesser & Wolff** | mini series | Director: Eberhard Fechner

AWARDS

Chicago Film Festival: Best Actor für BEFORE THE FROST

European Film Award: 2x nominated

Bodil Award: 5x won, 3x nominated

Robert Festival: 4x won, 3x nominated

Guldbagge Awards 2009: won 'Best Supporting Actor' for EVERLASTING MOMENTS

Lübeck Nordic Film Days 2000: 'Prize of the Ecumenical Jury for his acting performance (special award)' for THE BENCH

Jesper Christensen

PERSONAL DATA

Languages: Danish (mother tongue), English, German (fluent), French (basic knowledge)

Place of Birth: Denmark

Residence: Copenhagen

Year of Birth: 1948

Height: 1.80m (5' 10.9")