

Dominique OTHENIN-GIRARD

Film director - Stage director

Dominique Othenin-Girard is an author, stage director and film director. He has over 27 productions to his credit, in Switzerland, France, Germany, Italy and the United States. His career started in 1985 with the film "After Darkness" and the television film "Piège à flics" (Cop trap) directed for TSR and TF1, which won him the Sept d'Or for detective thrillers. In Los Angeles, he shot three horror films, including "Halloween 5" and "La Malédiction IV" (The Curse IV). His work has been praised by Stephen King. Dominique Othenin-Girard has always sought new challenges in different countries, trying out several genres. In France, he directed the family drama "Sandra, c'est la vie," (Sandra, that's life) the story of a child with Down's syndrome. In Germany he is known for his television films, which have attracted previously unknown numbers of viewers on Saturday nights. After that, he focused on history, shooting "The Crusaders" in Italy and "Henry Dunant: Red on the Cross" in Switzerland, a TV movie about the founder of the Red Cross, distributed in 47 countries. In 2010, Dominique Girard Othenin-staged "Dufour, le Général qui a sauvé la Suisse" (Dufour, the General who saved Switzerland) the third episode of "Les Suisses" (The Swiss). In 2012, he co-directed alongside the Chinese director Ge Xiaohong, the filming of Khloros concert at the Forbidden City Concert for Arte Live Web in partnership with CCTV.

1984 "After Darkness" / 1985 "Piège à flics" (Cop Trap) / 1987 "The Hospice" / 1988 "Night Angel" / 1989 "Halloween 5" / 1991 "Omen 4" / 1992 "Sandra, c'est la vie" (Sandra, that's life) / 1993 "Double Or Nothing" / "The Best Is Yet To Come" / "Private Lesson II" / 1994 "Beyond Desire" / 1995 "Mörderische Zwillinge" / 1996 "Venus Murder" / "Adrenaline" / 1997 "Marie, Die Heilige Hure" / 1998 "A Change Of Heart" / 1999 "Florian" / "Love Conquers All" / 2001 "The Crusaders" / 2005 "1200°– Der Todestunnel" / "Le cuisinier de l'inattendu" (The Chef of the Unexpected) (documentary) / 2006 "Henry Dunant: Red on the Cross" / 2008 "Dirty Money, Undercover".