

## **DEBORAH MOGGACH**

### **Current:**

**THE BEST EXOTIC MARIGOLD HOTEL** – wrote a stage adaptation of her novel, **THESE FOOLISH THINGS**, with UK tour to commence 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

**THE BLACK DRESS** – latest novel published July 2021. Optioned to Little Island Productions Ltd.

**GOODNIGHT DARLING** – delivered treatment and writing screenplay for Corestar Media PLC.

**THE CARER** - novel published in Summer 2019. Optioned to Noho Film & TV. Deborah is writing the television adaptation.

**BERNIE: THE GREAT ESCAPER** – commissioned to write the script for one-off programme about real-life D-Day veteran Bernard Jordan, for the BBC.

**SOMETHING TO HIDE:** Optioned to and in development with Origin Films (David Thompson) and BBC Films.

**HEARTBREAK HOTEL** – novel optioned to and in development with Monumental Films.

**IN THE DARK** optioned to and in development with Buccaneer Media and BBC.

### **Features**

**TULIP FEVER** – adaptation based on her novel of the same name for Ruby Films/The Weinstein Company, starring Christopher Waltz, Judi Dench and Tom Hollander. Opened in the U.S in Summer 2017, the UK in December 2018.

**THE BEST EXOTIC MARIGOLD HOTEL** – based on her novel **THESE FOOLISH THINGS**: Blueprint Pictures (Graham Broadbent). Directed by John Madden and starring Judi Dench, Maggie Smith, Tom Wilkinson, Bill Nighy and Dev Patel. UK Release: March 2012 – Number 1 at UK Box Office. A sequel, **THE SECOND BEST EXOTIC MARIGOLD HOTEL** released 2015.

**ROMEO V JULIET:** feature screenplay for Material Entertainment.

**PRIDE AND PREJUDICE** - adapted for Working Title Films/ Debra Hayward. Directed by Joe Wright. Cast includes Keira Knightly, Matthew McFadyen, Brenda Blethyn, Judi Dench and Donald Sutherland. Paul Webster producer. Opened in UK Sept '05. **BAFTA nomination for Best Adapted Screenplay**. Five other BAFTA nominations, including Best British Film. 3 Oscar Nominations.

### **Television Drama**

**THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK** - adapted for Darlow Smithson/BBC1 in five 30' episodes. TX. January 2009 BBC1

**FINAL DEMAND:** wrote 2 x 90' part drama commissioned by BBC / Jane Tranter. Producer Kate Harwood. Starred Tamsin Outhwaite. Novel published October 2001.

**LOVE IN A COLD CLIMATE & THE PURSUIT OF LOVE:** Adapted Nancy Mitford novels for BBC-1 (Jane Tranter) into a 2 x 75' serial. Producer Kate Harwood. Stars Alan Bates, Celia Imrie and Sheila Gish. TX: Feb 2001

**CLOSE RELATIONS:** Wrote five hour mini-series from own novel commissioned by BBC - producer Kate Harwood. Director Michael Whyte. Cast includes: Amanda Redman, Alice Krige, Keith Barron, Sheila Hancock and Kelly Hunter. TX: BBC-1 May/June 98.

**SEESAW:** Wrote three hour mini-series adaptation of own novel for Film and General Productions/STV for ITV Network. Producer Gillian Gordon, Director George Case. Cast includes David Suchet & Geraldine James. TX: March 98.

**GOGGLE EYES:** four part serial adapted from Anna Fine's novel for Friday Productions/BBC. Produced by Georgina Abrahams; executive produced by Caroline Oulton. Directed by Carol Wiseman. Transmitted Spring 93, starred Lesley Manville, Alun Armstrong & Honeysuckle Weeks. **Winner Writer's Guild Award Best Dramatised Serial.**

**STOLEN:** six part serial commissioned by St Pancras/London Weekend (producer Tara Prem/exec prod Nick Elliott). Transmitted early 1990. Cast included Art Malik, Cheryl Prime, and Nicholas le Prevost. Directed by Roger Bamford.

**TO HAVE AND TO HOLD:** eight part serial for LWT, produced by Susi Hush, exec prod Nick Elliott and directed by Mary McMurray and John Bruce, starred Amanda Redman and Brian Protheroe..

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**Stage:**

**DOUBLE TAKE:** Chichester Festival Theatre 1992

**Novels:**

You Must Be Sisters; Close to Home; A Quiet Drink; Hot Water Man; Porky; To Have and To Hold; Driving in the Dark; Smile and Other Stories; Stolen; The Stand-In; The Ex-Wives; Changing Babies; Seesaw; Close Relations; Tulip Fever; Final Demand; These Foolish Things; In the Dark, Something to Hide, Heartbreak Hotel, The Carer, The Black Dress.

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