

# Henning Brümmer

director of photography - member of the German Society of Cinematographers (bvk)

The cinematographer Henning Brümmer is internationally known for his collaboration with Werner Herzog. Together they shot the documentary THE WHITE DIAMOND (New York Times: "Breathtakingly beautiful pictures") and the concert film and documentary THE KILLERS: UNSTAGED in New York.

After studying cinematography with Michael Ballhaus (ASC) in Hamburg, Henning Brümmer gained experience in productions crossing the genres, between feature film and documentary.

Together with Rudolph Herzog he shot and produced many films. The feature film THE PRESIDENT by Mohsen Makhmalbaf opened the program of the Venice Film Festival 2014. Their latest contribution LAST EXIT SPACE, produced and narrated by Werner Herzog, will premiere on discovery+.

Henning Brümmer also works as a lighting designer for TV shows and accompanies opera, theater or ballet recordings as a lighting cameraman at the leading houses worldwide, as well as international concert and theater recordings.

Henning Brümmer was nominated for the German Camera Prize in 2011 for his work on the documentary NOT THE DROP IN THE BUCKET.

## selected filmography

### **257 Billion**

documentary 2022  
director: Rudolph Herzog  
*in preroduction*

### **WERNER HERZOG - RADICAL DREAMER**

documentary 2021/22  
director: Thomas von Steinaecker  
*in postproduction*

### **LAST EXIT SPACE**

documentary 2021  
director: Rudolph Herzog

### **ALLES WAS MAN BRAUCHT**

documentary 2021  
director: Antje Hubert  
**Hofer Filmtage 2021**  
**Nordische Filmtage 2021**

### **GELD.MACHT.GESCHICHTE - Onassis**

documentary 2021  
director: Rudolph Herzog

### **VIRALER HUMOR**

documentary 2020  
director: Rudolph Herzog

**TRUTH AND LIES - religion**

documentary 2020  
director: Rudolph Herzog

**48h - KHATIA Buniatishvili and Zubin Mehta in Georgia**

documentary 2018  
director: Holger Preuße

**REVOLUTION OF SOUND. TANGERINE DREAM**

documentary 2017  
director: Margarete Kreuzer  
[Berlinale Panorama 2017](#)

**ABOUT:KATE**

TV comedy series 2013/14  
14x25min  
director: Janna Nandzik  
[nominated for Grimme Preis 2014](#)  
[Crossmedia Award 2014](#)

**A SHORT HISTORY OF NUCLEAR FOLLY**

documentary 2013  
director: Rudolph Herzog

**THE KILLERS - UNSTAGED**

documentary & music video 2012  
director: Werner Herzog

**NEMESIS**

feature 2010  
director: Nicole Mosleh  
starring Ulrich Mühe und Susanne Lothar  
[Hofer Filmtage 2010](#)

**NOT THE DROP IN THE BUCKET**

documentary 2010  
director: Chris Weiß  
[nominated for German Camera Award 2011](#)

**ENEMY ENGAGEMENT**

documentary 2010  
director: Heike Bachelier  
[Hofer Filmtage 2010](#)  
[Max Ophüls Preis 2011](#)

**TALES OF LOVE**

documentary 2009  
director: Florian Aigner  
[Achtung Berlin Festival 2010](#)

**SARAH ET LES MARMITONS**

documentary series 2008, 10x45min  
director: Enrique Sánchez Lansch

**THE PROMISE OF MUSIC**

documentary 2007  
director: Enrique Sánchez Lansch  
[Best Documentary Los Angeles Latino International Film Festival 2008](#)

**DEAD SILENCE**

documentary 2007  
director: Florian Aigner  
[nominated for First-Steps-Award „Best Documentary“ 2007](#)

**VE HAVE VAYS OF MAKING YOU LAUGH**

documentary 2005  
director: Rudolph Herzog

**THE WHITE DIAMOND**

documentary 2004  
director: Werner Herzog  
NYFCC Award Best Non-Fiction Film 2005  
Best Documentary Kopenhagen Dox 2005  
Sheffield Documentary Film Festival 2004  
Documentary Festival Amsterdam 2004  
Taiwan Int. Documentary Festival 2004  
Adelaide Filmfestival 2005  
Belfast Film Festival 2005  
San Francisco Int'l Film Festival 2005  
Filmforum New York  
Jerusalem International Filmfestival 2006

**THE HEIST**

documentary series 2004  
director: Rudolph Herzog

**TANZ DES SISYPHOS**

documentary 2003  
director: Bert Schmidt

## selected commercials

**MC DONALDS Happy Meal** director: Jan Hinrik Drevs

**LIDL - Du hast die Wahl** director: Jan Hinrik Drevs

**FERERO KINDERÜBERRASCHUNG - Neugier News** director: Jan Hinrik Drevs

**CHRIST - Für Herzensmenschen** director: Jan Becker

**PROTONET - How China Are you** director: Jan Hinrik Drevs  
Silver Cannes Lions 2015

**TARGOBANK - Echte Träume** director: Jan Hinrik Drevs

**TCHIBO - Kindergiewende** director: Jan Hinrik Drevs

**MARC O'POLO - The Casualist** director: Alex Marashian

**CINEMAXX - Mehr als Kino** director: Michael Giehmann

**SHELL - Mit Leidenschaft** director: Michael Giehmann

**NETREBKO&VILLAZON - La Bohème** director: Vincent Paterson

**ANNA NETREBKO - La Traviata** director: Vincent Paterson

**RHEINLAND-PFALZ - Wir machen's einfach** director: Henning Brümmer

## lightdesign

over **80 concert-, opera- and balletrecordings** as DoP

*including:*

Berlin Philharmonic, Vienna Philharmonic, LA Philharmonic, Anna Netrebko, Rollando Villazon, Renée Fleming, Jonas Kaufmann, Daniel Barenboim, Kirill Petrenko, Sir Simon Rattle, Claudio Abado, Kurt Masur, Gustavo Dudamel, John Neumeier etc.

*recorded worldwide at the leading houses in:*

Berlin, Hamburg, Leipzig, Dresden, Frankfurt, Munich, Stuttgart, Vienna, Salzburg, Milan, Luzern, Paris, London, Los Angeles, New York, St. Petersburg, Kiev, Tibilissi, Beijing, Shanghai etc.

*TV directors:*

Brian Large, Michael Beyer, Andy Sommer, Andreas Morell, Thomas Grimm, Henning Kasten, Volker Weicker etc.

over **60 TV shows** as light designer and DoP

Talkshow, Late Night, Comedy, Music entertainment