

## Short biography Jobst Christian Oetzmann

Jobst Christian Oetzmann was born in 1961 in Hannover. From 1985 to 1991, he studied at the University of Television and Film (HFF, Hochschule für Fernsehen und Film) in Munich. Jobst Christian Oetzmann has been working as a freelance director and writer for cinema and television.

Since 2005, he has been active in association politics for Bundesverband Regie (BVR). From 2005 to 2011, he was a member of the Board of Directors of BVR, where he played a key role in driving forward the association's modernisation and negotiation of broadcasting fees. From 2009 to 2016, he was responsible for representing the interests of fiction directors on the Administrative Council of VG Bild-Kunst. Since 2014, he has also been a member of the awards committee of the German Federal Film Board (FFA, Filmförderungsanstalt).

Since July 2016, he has been a member of the honorary Executive Board of VG Bild-Kunst.