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PRESS RELEASE

TM International sells RUBY RED to Carmen Films in Russia and adds the feature film GAMING INSTINCT to its world sales line-up

- **RUBY RED based on Kerstin Gier's bestselling novel has been sold to Carmen Films, Russia**
- **GAMING INSTINCT based on the award winning and bestselling novel by Juli Zeh is a new addition to the line-up**

Munich, November 03, 2012 – The addition of RUBY RED and GAMING INSTINCT to TM International's line-up marks the first foray of the young company into the international distribution of theatrical feature films. The announcement of the first all-rights deal for RUBY RED with Carmen Films in Russia proves to be a successful start in this new area of business.

Translated into 27 languages, 93 weeks on the bestseller lists, a hit in the USA and the UK, and with over one million copies sold, Kerstin Gier's bestselling novel RUBY RED marks the overwhelmingly successful launch of the Ruby Red Trilogy, which also comprises "Sapphire Blue" and "Emerald Green." In this opulent screen adaptation by Katharina Schöde and Felix Fuchssteiner (who also directs), Gier's imaginative take on time-travel proves how compelling this mix of suspense, action-adventure, romance, mystery and history can be. Starring up-and-coming talents Maria Ehrich ("Inga Lindström") as Gwen and Jannis Niewöhner ("Freche Mädchen 2") as Gideon, the feature film also stars young talents Kostja Ullmann ("Das Wunder von Berlin") and Josefine Preuss ("Rubbeldiekatz") alongside well-known actors Veronica Ferres, Katharina Thalbach, Axel Milberg, and others.

RUBY RED is currently in post-production and will be released in Germany on March 14th 2013 by TMG's theatrical distribution arm Concorde Filmverleih.

In RUBY RED sixteen-year-old London teen Gwen becomes a pawn in a sinister conspiracy when she realizes that she can time-travel. With the help of a dashing young man and fellow time-traveller, she sets out to learn the truth about a secret society with a mysterious agenda.

The second addition to the theatrical line-up of TM International is the feature film adaptation of Juli Zeh's bestselling and award winning novel GAMING INSTINCT.

With wide-open eyes and unstoppable momentum, the characters of GAMING INSTINCT run head-first into a tangled drama of cruelty and manipulation, attraction and love. Adapted to the screen by Kathrin Richter and Jürgen Schlagenhof, Juli Zeh's novel has already sold half a million copies in Germany and has been published in over ten countries, including France and Spain. The film stars up-and-comers Michelle Barthel (Grimme Award, FIPA D'OR, "Best International Actress" in Biarritz for her role in "Keine Angst") and Jannik Schümann (Christian Petzold's award winning Oscar® contender "Barbara") in the lead roles. The director is Gregor Schnitzler, who has made a name for himself with his screen adaptations of bestseller novels ("Soloalbum," "Die Wolke").

GAMING INSTINCT is currently in production and will be released in Germany by Concorde Filmverleih in October 2013.

In GAMING INSTINCT, Alev, 18, sees life as a game with no limits. The high school's new alpha-male-mystery-man is idolized by everyone except brainy abrasive 15-year-old Ada.



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Showering her with the attention she's always craved, he convinces her to seduce a teacher in a perfidious game of destruction ...

About TM International

TM International is the world sales arm of Tele München Group (TMG). The media group has been successfully operating in the entertainment market for more than 40 years and its activities include among others the production, acquisition and distribution of feature films, TV productions and classical music programmes.

TM International distributes all in-house productions in the theatrical and television segment, such as the latest feature film productions RUBY RED ("Rubinrot") and GAMING INSTINCT ("Spieltrieb"), both based on bestselling novels, the USD 25 million event-miniseries MOBY DICK starring Academy Award® winner William Hurt and Academy Award® nominee Ethan Hawke, the international CBS hit-series FLASHPOINT and THORNE, the series-adaptation of Mark Billingham's bestselling books. TM International also offers an extensive feature film catalogue ranging from TERMINATOR, BASIC INSTINCT and RAMBO I-III to HARD RAIN, WONDER BOYS and PRIMARY COLORS.

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