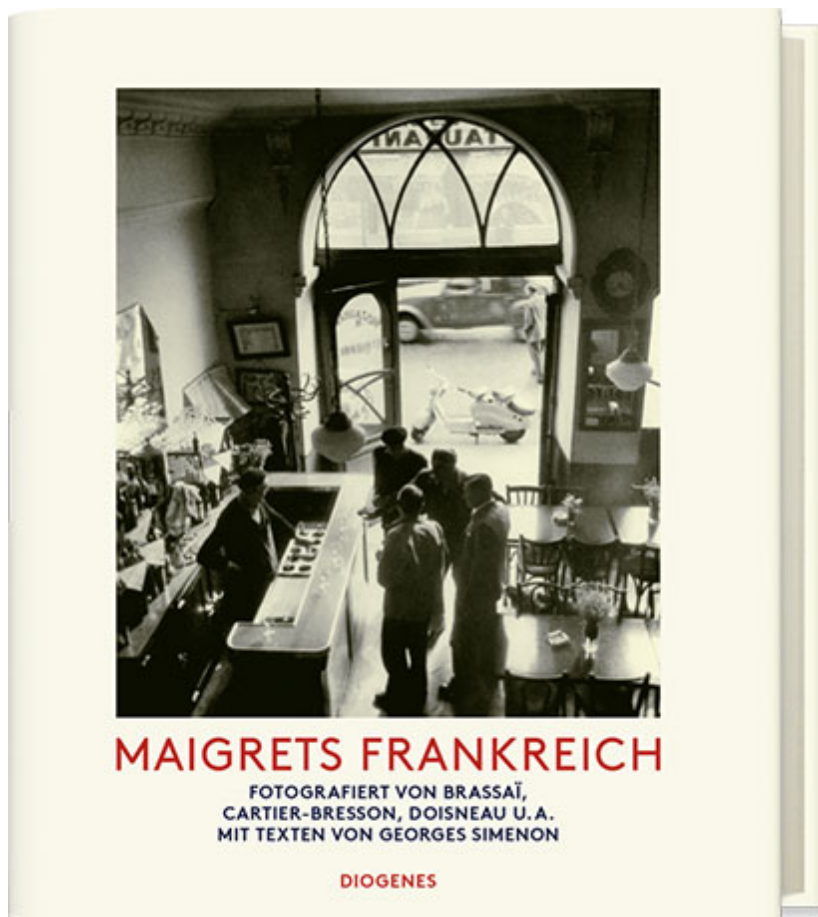


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Movie adaptations

2009: *Bellamy*

Director: Claude Chabrol
Screenplay: Claude Chabrol
Cast: Gérard Depardieu, Marie Bunel, Clovis Cornillac, Jacques Gamblin, Vahina Giocante

2007/2008: *Die Katze*

Director: Kaspar Heidelbach
Screenplay: Daniel Nocke
Cast: Götz George, Hannelore Hoger, Catrin Striebeck, Thomas Thieme

2007: *A Londoni férfi*

Director: Béla Tarr
Screenplay: Béla Tarr
Cast: Miroslav Krobot, Tilda Swinton, Ági Szirtes

2003: *Feux rouges*

Director: Cédric Kahn
Cast: Pieree Darroussin, Carol Bouquet

1998: *En plein coeur*

Director: Pierre Jolivet
Cast: Gérard Lanvin, Carole Bouquet, Virginie Ledoyen,

1998: *En plein coeur / Remake von 1958*

Director: Pierre Jolivet
Cast: Gerard Lanivin, Carole Bouquet, Virginie Ledoyen, Guillaume Canet

1997: *Maigret: L'improbable Monsieur Owen*

Director: Pierre Koralnik
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Arielle Dombasle, Bernard Haller

1996: *Long cours*

Director: Alain Tasma
Screenplay: André Grall
Cast: Hélène de Fougerolles, Benoît Magimel, Manuel de Blas

1995: *Le crime de M. Stil*

Director: Claire Devers
Cast: Balibar Jeanne

1995: *Les vacances de Maigret*

Director: Pierre Joassin
Screenplay: Pierre Joassin
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Alain Doutey, Ronny Coutteure

1994: *Maigret et l'éclyse*

Director: Olivier Schatzky
Screenplay: Christian Rullier
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Jean Yanne, George Staquet



Born on 13 February 1903 in Liège / Belgium, Georges Simenon did not bother to finish his apprenticeship as a bookseller and instead began his career as a local reporter. Following a spell in Paris as the private secretary of a Marquis, he lived on his boat with which he went all the way to Lapland, writing a travel journal and the first Maigret novels in the process. An enormous zest for work and numerous changes of location characterised the next thirty years of his life. After that, he finally settled down on Lake Geneva where, having published 75 Maigret novels and more than 120 non-Maigret books, he decided that instead of novels he would now dictate extensive autobiographical works (such as the monumental ›Intimate Memoirs‹).

He died in Lausanne on 4 September 1989.

📺 Movie adaptations (cont'd)

1994: *Maigret et la tête d'un homme*

Director: Juraj Herz
Cast: Cremer Bruno, Benedict Jay, Berenson Marisa

1994: *Maigret et la vente à la bougie*

Director: Pierre Granier-Deferre
Cast: Cremer Bruno, Gélín Daniel, Chicot Etienne

1994: *Maigret se trompe*

Director: Joyce Bunuel
Cast: Cremer Bruno, Lebrun Danielle, Catillon Brigitte

1994: *Le passager clandestin*

Director: Agustin Villaronga
Cast: Callow Simon

1994: *Maigret et la vieille dame*

Director: David Delrieux

1993: *Maigret et les Témoins Récalcitrants*

Director: Michel Sibra
Cast: Bruno Cremer

1993: *Cécile est morte*

Director: Etienne Perrier
Screenplay: Christian Watton
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Annick Alane, Claude Piepler

1992: *L'inconnu dans la maison*

Director: Georges Launtner
Cast: Jean-Paul Belmondo, Renée Faure, Cristina Réali, Sébastien Tavel

1992: *Les gens d'en face*

Director: Jesus Garay

1992: *Die kopflose Leiche*

Director: Serge Leroy
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Aurore Clément

1992: *Crime impuni*

Director: Peter Gardos
Cast: Hernadi Vadim

1991: *La maison du juge*

Director: Bertrand Van Effenterre
Screenplay: Santiago Amigorena
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Michel Bouquet, Bruno Wolkowitch

1991: *Quartier nègre*

Director: Pierre Koralnik
Cast: Novembre, Babe, Roussillon

1991: *Maigret: Das Verhör*

Director: Claude Goretta
Cast: Bruno Cremer, Michel Lonsdale, Renée Faure

1991: *Maigret - die Nacht der Entscheidung*

Cast: Bruno Cremer, S. Melles, J. Leysen

 **Movie adaptations (cont'd)**

1991: Betty

Director: Claude Chabrol
Cast: Marie Trintignant, Stéphane Audran,
Christiane Minazzoli

1990: Das zweite Leben

Director: Carlo Rola
Cast: Glowna, Berben, Lundi, Brieger

1990: Der fremde Vetter

Director: Jacques Fansten
Cast: Shivak, Sadoyan, Frot

1990: Ein Feind fürs Leben

Director: Caroline Huppert
Cast: Blance, Liotard, Bertelot

1990: Ein anderer Liebhaber

Director: Xaver Schwarzenberger
Cast: Hackl, Thun

1989: Le Temps d'Anais

Director: Jacques Ertaud
Cast: Souza, Rivière, Berto

1989: Das Haus am Kanal

Director: Joseph Rusznak
Cast: May, Hoesl, Hernadi

1989: Das Fenster der Rouets

Director: Joseph Rusznak
Cast: Zöchler, Elsner

1989: Monsieur Hire

Director: Patrice Leconte
Screenplay: Patrice Leconte
Cast: André Wilms, Luc Thuillier und Michel
Blanc

1989: Striptease

Director: Michel Mitrnai
Cast: Millardet, Rimbaud

1987: Le Fils Cardinaud

Director: Gérard Mordillat
Cast: Jean-Pierre Bisson, Caroline Sihol

1987: Schwurgericht

1987: Der Mann aus London

Director: Jan Keja
Cast: Kamerman, Gieske

1987: Die grünen Fensterläden

Director: Dor. Milo
Cast: Mueller-Stahl, Kosmalla, Schell H.

1987: Le rapport du gendarm

Director: Claude Goretta
Cast: Maurice Auffer, Jean-Pierre Bagot, Pierre
Banderet

1987: Der reiche Mann

Director: Jan Keja
Cast: Van den Berghe, Von Alcmær

 **Movie adaptations (cont'd)**

1985: Sonntag

Director: Stanislav Barbaras
Cast: Hans-Georg Panczak, Lisa Kreuzer,
Mascia Musy, MacColl, Meineke

1983: Es gibt noch Haselnusssträucher

Director: Jasny Vojtech
Cast: Rühmann Heinz, itm Luitgard

1982: Le fantôme du chapelier

Director: Claude Chabrol
Cast: Serrault Michel, Aznavour Charles

1982: Die Komplizen

Director: Stanislav Barbaras
Cast: Lamprecht Günter, Amm Claudia, Raag
Kurt

1982: L'étoile du Nord

Director: Pierre Granier-Deferre
Screenplay: Jean Aurenche
Cast: Simone Signoret, Philippe Noiret

1981: L'Enterrement de Monsieur Bouvet

Director: Guy-André Lefranc
Screenplay: Guy-André Lefranc
Cast: Pierre Risch, Jacqueline Doyen, Fred
Personne

1974: L'horloger de Saint-Paul

Director: Bertrand Tavernier
Cast: Philippe Noiret, Jean Rochefort, Sylvain
Rougerie

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Director: Bertrand Tavernier
Cast: Philippe Noiret, Jean Rochefort, Jacques
Denis

1973: Nur ein Hauch von Glück

Director: Pierre Granier-Deferre
Cast: Romy Schneider, Jean-Louis Trintignant

1971: Le chat

Director: Pierre Granier-Deferre
Cast: Gabin Jean, Signoret Simone, Cordy
Annie, Jacques Rispal, Nicolel Desailly

1966: Maigret et l'espion

Director: Alfred Weidenmann
Screenplay: Herbert Reinecker
Cast: Heinz Rühmann, Françoise Prevost,
Günther Stoll

1962: L'ainé des Ferchaux

Director: Jean-Pierre Melville
Cast: Vanel, Belmondo

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Director: Jean-Pierre Melville
Cast: Belmondo, Vanel

1960: Le baron de l'écluse

Director: Jean Delannoy
Screenplay: Jean Delannoy
Cast: Jean Gabin, Micheline Presle, Jean
Desailly

 **Movie adaptations (cont'd)**

1960: La mort de Belle

Director: Eduard Molinaro
Cast: Desailly, Stewart

1959: Maigret et l'affaire Saint-Fiacre

Director: Jean Delannoy
Cast: Jean Gabin, Michel Auclair, Robert Hirsch

1958: En cas de malheur

Director: Claude Autant-Lara
Screenplay: Jean Aurenche
Cast: Jean Gabin, Edwige Feuillère, Brigitte Bardot

1958: Maigret tend un piège

Director: Jean Delannoy
Screenplay: Jean Delannoy
Cast: Jean Gabin, Jeanne Boitel, Annie Girardot

1956: Le sang à la tête

Director: Gilles Grangier
Cast: Gabin

1952: The Man Who Watched Trains

Director: Harold French
Cast: Rains, Lom

Praise

Georges Simenon

»A truly wonderful writer, marvelously readable – lucid, simple, absolutely in tune with that world he creates.« – Muriel Spark

»A writer who, more than any other crime novelist, combined a high literary reputation with popular appeal.« – P.D. James