

Bio – Caroline Goodall - Elspeth Beaumont

Born of Australian parents, Caroline has made over 30 feature films, including Oscar winning *Schindler's List*. After graduating with a BA Hons, in English Literature and Drama from Bristol University, Caroline played leading roles in the British Theatre (*RSC, Royal National Theatre, Royal Court Theatre*) and on TV before being chosen to star as Moira Banning opposite Robin Williams in Steven Spielberg's blockbuster *Hook* and again as Emilie Schindler in *Schindler's List*, the only actress Spielberg has worked with twice. This led to star roles in hits such as *Disclosure* opposite Michael Douglas, the villainess Krystal in *Cliffhanger*, Ridley Scott's *White Squall* with Jeff Bridges, Helen in *Princess Diaries 1 and 2* with Anne Hathaway, Julie Andrews. US studio films include *Chasing Liberty* with Mark Harmon, Mandy Moore; *My Life In Ruins* with Nia Vadarlos, Richard Dreyfuss; *The Cold Light Of Day* with Bruce Willis and Henry Cavill. Australian feature films include starring as Meg Moynihan in Richard *Hotel Sorrento* (Best Actress AFI nomination); Elyne Mitchell in *The Silver Brumby* with Russell Crowe; Doris in P.J Hogan's *Mental* with Tony Collette and Rebecca Gibney and Elsbeth Beaumont in the upcoming *The Dressmaker*, directed by Jocelyn Moorhouse and starring Kate Winslet, Judy Davis, Hugo Weaving and Liam Hemsworth. Australian TV: Charlie Cassidy in the ABC mini series *Cassidy* opposite Bill Hunter (AFI Best Actress Nomination); ABC mini series *The Great Air Race* as Amy Johnson; *Ring Of Scorpio* with Linda Cropper and Rebecca Gibney; *A Difficult Woman* (Logie Best Actress nomination). Independent film in Europe and UK includes Lars Von Trier's *Nymphomaniac 2*, with Charlotte Gainsbourg, Stellan Skarsgard,; Paul Haggis' *The Third Person* with Liam Neeson, James Franco; Katrine in the two-hander thriller *The Elevator*, with James Parks; Oliver Parker's *Dorian Gray* with Colin Firth, Ben Barnes; *The Thief Lord*, with Vanessa Redgrave and Aaron Taylor Johnson; *Haven* with Orlando Bloom; *The Secret Laughter of Women* with Colin Firth. Foreign language roles include Heather in *Opernbal* (German language); Liv in *Les Epees Des Diamants* (French language); Global TV: includes Duchess Cecily in Golden Globe nominated *The White Queen* (Starz/BBC); TNT's *The Mists of Avalon* (as Igraine); BBC's *The Sculptress* (Bafta Nom); ITV's *Trust; Me and Mrs Jones* and *Mrs Biggs* ; *Midsomer Murders; After The War; Poirot*. US Episodic TV: includes guest starring in *The Good Wife; Alias; CSI; The Commish; The Outer Limits; Quantum Leap*. . Her next film project is starring as Ms Rottenmaier in the remake of *Heidi* with Bill Nighy and Anna Friel, projected to start shooting in the Himalayas in June 2015.

Caroline is over the moon to be involved in *The Dressmaker* with its wonderful cast and crew and also to be working again with not only the Moorhouse/Hogan clan but with former colleagues such as Rebecca Gibney, Kerry Fox, Julia Blake, Amanda Woodhams, Hayley Magnus, Don McAlpine, Roger Ford, Jill Bilcock, Shane Thomas as well as many more.

As well as continued theatre work, numerous radio plays and audio books, Caroline has lent her voice to on screen campaigns for the charity Habitat For Humanity and Oscar winning documentary film maker Shaun Monson's upcoming documentary *Unity*. She is Global Ambassador for the charity Care Highway International.

