



Isabelle Huppert to be Honored at AFI FEST 2016

Description

AFI FEST 2016 presented by Audi will honor acclaimed actress Isabelle Huppert with a Tribute and a Gala screening at the festival. The Tribute will celebrate her storied career and will include a conversation with the actress, followed by a Gala screening of Sony Pictures Classics' *ELLE* (directed by Paul Verhoeven) on Sunday, November 13.

In *ELLE*, Isabelle Huppert plays Michèle, who seems indestructible, bringing the same ruthless attitude to her love life as she does to her business as head of a leading video game company. But her life changes forever after an unknown assailant attacks her in her home. When she resolutely tracks the man down, they are both drawn into a curious and thrilling game – a game that may, at any moment, spiral out of control.

Among international film's most seasoned actresses, Isabelle Huppert has countless awards to her credit – with 15 César Award nominations, the most for any actress, and a win for *LA CÉRÈMONIE* (1995). Her other films include *VIOLETTE* (1978), *STORY OF WOMEN* (1988), *MADAME BOVARY* (1991), *THE PIANO TEACHER* (2001), *I HEART HUCKABEES* (2004), *WHITE MATERIAL* (2009), *AMOUR* (2012) and *THINGS TO COME* (2016). She has twice won Best Actress at the Cannes Film Festival, and is an Officer of both the National Order of Merit and the Legion of Honour.



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