



## Cast

Anna Haywood Matilda Ridgway
The Hostess Cate Wolfe
First Guest Gertraud Ingeborg

Crew

Writer & Director Shane Danielsen

Producers Vanessa Humphrey

Raquelle David

Executive Producers Kristina Ceyton

Sam Jennings
Troy Lum
Andrew Mason
John Collee
Rachel Okine

Director of Photography Anna Howard A.C.S.

Editor Simon Njoo

Production Designer Bethany Ryan Sound Designer William Ward

Sound Designer William Ward Costume Designer Anna Cahill Hair & Make-up Artist Eliane Quintana

## SHANE DANIELSEN writer & director

Shane Danielsen studied Law and English Literature at the University of Sydney and after graduating worked as a features writer for *The Sydney Morning Herald* newspaper for more than a decade. In June 2001 he was appointed Artistic Director of the Edinburgh International Film Festival, and oversaw five editions of this event before departing in September 2006 to pursue a career as a screenwriter. His first feature, *Errors of the Human Body*, co-written with and directed by Eron Sheean, premiered in 2012; his second, *The World Made Straight*, opened in January 2015 in the United States. He currently has a further six feature scripts in development in Australia, the US and the UK, in addition to his own directorial feature debut, *Vatersache*, to be produced by Kristina Ceyton and Sam Jennings of Causeway Films. He is represented by ICM Partners.

## VANESSA HUMPHREY producer

In 2005, Vanessa was awarded a B.A. with Distinction in International Studies from the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology (RMIT). She then spent several years working and studying in Seoul, South Korea, before returning to Europe to complete a Master's degree in International Conflict Analysis at the Brussels School of International Studies. Since returning to Australia Vanessa has worked for a Washington DC-based think-tank focusing on political-military analysis, and in 2013 was an organising committee member for the North Korean Film Festival. She recently completed a Diploma of Languages (Korean Studies) from the University of Sydney. She has interest in developing both fiction and non-fiction projects, with a particular focus on co-productions within the Asia-Pacific region. *The Guests* marks her debut as a producer.

## RAQUELLE DAVID producer

A former journalist, Raquelle has produced the award-winning short crime thriller *The Robbery* (Busan, 2011), the supernatural thriller *Shelter* (Flickerfest, Palm Springs, 2014), and the science-fiction drama *Reg Makes Contact*. She has worked in television at The Seven Network, Screen New South Wales and various independent production companies including Goalpost Pictures alongside producer Rosemary Blight (*The Sapphires*), and Rhombus Media in Toronto Canada, a placement supported by Screen Australia's Talent Escalator program. She is currently developing a diverse slate of feature films, including the Australia-Canada co-production musical *The Drowsy Chaperone*, directed by Fred Schepisi and starring Geoffrey Rush. Her first feature film, *A Guide to Dating at the End of the World*, is currently in post-production.

The baby Austin Heppner

Emma Knibbs

Second Guest David Kowalski

Radio Voice Paul Koff

The Guests Sandra Bridekirk

Adam Cross

Barbara Rosa Danielsen

Eric Danielsen

Raquelle David

Levi Gardner

Dana Heatley Amanda Hemmings

Vanessa Humphrey

Elisabeth Knowles

Natan Kowalski

Eila Martiskin

Dirk Nagel

Olga Olshanky

Marcela Ordonez

Kevin Plumb

Paul Pottinger

Jon Roberts

Sharon Scouller

Deidre Stein

Michael Wrenn

Brennan Wrenn

Production Manager Michelle Nagy

First Assistant Director Scott Lovelock

Gaffer Ken Pettigrew

Key Grips Carl Mullin

Iason Weekes

Focus Puller Christian Luxton

Steadicam Operator Matthew Temple

Grips Jeff Eastman

Rowan Peacock

Steve Edwards

Lionel Tozer

Second Camera Ben Hunt

Joanna Cameron

Sound Recordist Dan Clarke

Re-recording Mixer Robert MacKenzie

Foley Artist Blair Slater

Colourist Christine Trodd

Assistant Editor Trent Mitchell

Online Editor James Cowie

Second Assistant Director Adam Dostalek

Third Assistant Director Harry Windsor

Script Supervisor Marnie Cooper

Staging Assistant Leon Vasington

Title Graphics Fiona Robinson

Wardrobe Mistress Aphrodite Kondos

Make-up & Hair Assistant Pam Damiel

Unit Nurse Rosemary Humphrey

Stills Photographer John Platt

Legal Services Stephen Boyle

Runners Jules Dalla Palma

Cameron Dantone

Unit Co-ordinators James Peniata

Shawn Spina

Caterer Sheldon Bailey, Global Bites

Unit Assistants Erica Danielsen

Natasha Henry

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'Interior View, 2014' (2014) by Peter Boggs.

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artist & Dominic Maunsell Gallery, Paddington

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at the Pepper residence, Randwick.

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Filmed and post-produced in New South Wales, Australia.

Duration 10 minutes 31 seconds

Shoot Gauge

Finish Gauge DCP/H.264/Apple Pro Res

Sound Format 5.1/Stereo Ratio 1:1.85

Language English

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