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## ATHINA RACHEL TSANGARI

**CAPSULE COLLECTION 2012** 

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Seven young women. A mansion perched on a Cycladic rock. A series of lessons on discipline, desire, dissent and disappeance—forever. A Greek Gothic mystery film.

The Capsule (2012), a fantasy film written in collaboration with celebrated Polish painter Aleksandra Waliszewska and shot on the island of Hydra, was commissioned by the DESTE Foundation for Contemporary Art as both a short film and an installation. It premiered at dOCUMENTA(13) in Kassel, followed by screenings at the Locarno, Toronto and Sundance film festivals.

## ABOUT ATHINA RACHEL TSANGARI

Athina Rachel Tsangari (b. 1966 Myrini, Thessaly) is a Greek filmmaker and projections designer widely considered a principal instigator of the Greek New Wave. Her films reside in MoMA's permanent film collection and have garnered several best film awards worldwide. She co-founded Haos Film, a filmmakers' collective and post-production studio operating over the last ten years in Athens. Among her credits as a producer are three films by Yorgos Lanthimos—*Kinetta* (2005), *Dogtooth* (2009) as an associate producer, and *Alps* (2011). Athina Rachel Tsangari lives wherever love and cinema take her.

## THE CAPSULE (2012)

Conceived and directed by Athina Rachel Tsangari. Written by Athina Rachel Tsangari & Aleksandra Waliszewska.

Featuring: Ariana Labed, Isolda Dychauk, Clemence Posey, Evangelia Randou, Aurora Marion, Deniz Gamze Erguven, Sofia Dona

Fashion Design by: Sandra Backlund, Bordelle by Alexandra Papoa, Ying Gao, Mark Jacobs for Louis Vuitton, Cat Potter, Athina Rachel Tsangari & Vassilia Rozana, Isabelle Vigier

**Executive Producer: Dakis Joannou** 

Produced by: Maria Hatzakou, Kyriacos Karseras, A R Tsangari (Haos Film)

Director of Photography: Thimios Bakatakis

Art Direction: Athina Rachel Tsangari

**Editing: Matt Johnson** 

Animation & Visual Effects: Zina Papadopoulou & Peros Papadopoulos (Oval Image)

Animation artwork: Aleksandra Waliszewska

Sound: Design: Leandros Ntounis Costume Supervisor: Vassilia Roazana

Make-up: Evi Zafiropoulou

Hair: Daniel Babek



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