

# Femme fatale



## J E A N N E M O R E A U

- ▶ **Born:** January 23, 1928, in Paris
- ▶ **1940s:** Trains for the stage at Paris Conservatoire
- ▶ **1948:** Joins prestigious Comédie-Française, swiftly becoming one of France's leading stage actresses
- ▶ **1958:** Gains world fame after starring role in **Louis Malle's** controversial ***Les Amants***
- ▶ **1962:** Magnetic performance in **François Truffaut's *Jules et Jim*** remains her most enduring role
- ▶ **1976:** Directing debut with ***Lumière***, for which she also writes script
- ▶ **1995:** Presides over jury of Cannes Film Festival for second time
- ▶ Numerous honours include BAFTA Fellowship, and top awards from Cannes, Berlin and Venice Festivals