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The Man Who Created James Bond: The Life, Work, And Loves of Ian Fleming



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The character of James Bond, 007, is a globally recognized icon in popular culture. Bond is the most famous fictional spy in history, and through cinema has become one of the best-known characters. Yet the man who created James Bond-- lan Fleming-- is less well known than his character. Ian Fleming's life is a fascinating and flamboyant one. His work in Naval Intelligence during World War II, provided much of the material and inspiration that would go into creating James Bond's adventures. Fleming's many love affairs with intelligent, beautiful, and sometimes tragic women would influence his creation of the "Bond women" in many of the novels and films. Fleming's love of travel led him to the Caribbean island of Jamaica, where all of the Bond novels were written each winter. This lecture, based on my new biography of Ian Fleming, will offer an in-depth adventure into the thrilling life, loves and work of one of the most intriguing novelists of the twentieth century.

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