

Czech Television presents a historic detective series

A promotional poster for the TV series 'The Crimes of Greater Prague'. It features three men in period-appropriate suits standing in front of a historical map of Prague. The man in the center is wearing a dark suit and has a mustache. The man on the left is wearing a grey suit and has a mustache. The man on the right is wearing a brown tweed suit and has a beard. The map in the background shows various districts and landmarks, with labels like 'VYSOČA', 'HRDLÓREZY', and 'RUBNA'.

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(ZLOČINY VELKÉ PRAHY)

A historic detective series from the 1920s. That was the decade when both the surrounding urban areas but also nearby villages, forests, factories and farms were made part of Greater Prague. Prague's new districts were less rich and glamorous than the centre and brought to the capital specific forms of crime, which began to be investigated by the Prague state police instead of local policemen. The serial's hero is Inspector Budík, an ambitious man who finds it hard to take when political pressure results in him being put in charge of the lowly mud-spattered suburbs and not the posh, bustling centre. The crime stories featured in the serial are inspired by real-life cases from the period.

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Directed by: Jaroslav Brabec

Screenplay by: Petr Zikmund, Jan Drbohlav, Zdeněk Zapletal, Ivan Hejna

Director of Photography: Pavel Berkovič

Editor: Filip Issa

Music: Jan Ponocný

Sound: Václav Vondráček

Costume Designer: Simona Rybáková

Art Designers: Václav Vohlídal, Jana Boháčková

Producer: Czech Television

Starring:

Jaroslav Plesl

Jiří Langmajer

Denis Šafařík

Lenka Vlasáková

Darija Pavlovičová

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