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Director Oliver Stone photographed on the rooftop of the Conrad Hotel in Battery Park, Manhattan. New York, 15.09.2016. William Oliver Stone (born September 15, 1946) is an American film director, screenwriter, and producer. Stone won an Academy Award for Best Adapted Screenplay as writer of Midnight Express (1978). He also wrote the acclaimed gangster movie Scarface (1983). As a director, Stone achieved prominence as director/writer of the war drama Platoon (1986), for which Stone won the Academy Award for Best Director; the film was awarded Best Picture. Platoon was the first in a trilogy of films based on the Vietnam War, in which Stone served as an infantry soldier. He continued the series with Born on the Fourth of July (1989),Äîfor which Stone won his second Best Director Oscar,Äîand Heaven & Earth (1993). Stone's other notable works include the Salvadoran Civil War-based drama Salvador (1986); the financial drama Wall Street (1987) and its 2010 sequel Money Never Sleeps; the Jim Morrison biopic The Doors (1991); and a trilogy of films based on the American Presidency,ÄîJFK (1991), Nixon (1995) and W. (2008). Many of Stone's films primarily focus on controversial American political issues during the late 20th century, and as such that they were considered contentious at the times of their releases. Photograph: © Dan Callister, PacificCoastNews/insight media /DUKAS *** Local Caption *** 02538266	
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