

## Loving the international Chrolli blog

■ During a search, I stumbled upon an article that your magazine published about *Verbotene Liebe* and the story of Christian and Olli. The storyline has received even more worldwide attention in the past few months. There is also a new site that the producers of the show have put together: [www.chrolli.de](http://www.chrolli.de). It is a video blog. The two actors play their characters, Christian and Olli. They discuss the issues that have gone on during the week. It receives worldwide response, from Brazil to India to Australia, etc. It's heart-breaking to read how the Chrolli phenomenon has touched and changed so many lives. As far as I am aware, no other soap in the U.S. or abroad has ever created such blogs that allow fans to feel like a part of the show and feel closer to the characters. The producers of *VL*, Jo Weil and Thore Schölermann, need to be applauded for taking the characters to a global audience with such emotion and dedication.

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