



Comedy writer

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AGENT DETAILS:



CREDITS:

YR	TYPE	PRODUCTION	COMPANY	PRODUCER	CREDIT	CH.
2024	Radio comedy	Noising Up (series 3, episodes 1,3)	The Comedy Unit	Iain Davidson	Sketch writer	BBC Radio Scotland
2024	Audio sitcom	<i>Sad Sunk Rock</i>	<i>Pilot coming soon from Big Finish Productions</i>		<i>Creator</i>	
2023	Radio comedy	Noising Up (series 2, episode 3)	The Comedy Unit	Iain Davidson	Sketch writer	BBC Radio Scotland
2023	<i>Script competition</i>	<i>Long-listed in the Short Com TV Sitcom Writing Competition.</i>				
2023	Radio comedy	DMs Are Open (series 2, episode 4)	BBC Studios	Rajiv Karia Caroline Barlow	Additional material	BBC Radio 4 Extra
2023	<i>Script competition</i>	<i>Long-listed to final 15 for the 'David Nobbs Memorial Trust' comedy script competition.</i>				
2023	<i>Script competition</i>	<i>Final 4 in the SitcomMission new script competition, after a live read-through at the Canal Cafe Theatre with the original script 'Please, Take A Seat'.</i>				
2023	Radio comedy	DMs Are Open (series 2, episode 1)	BBC Studios	Rajiv Karia Caroline Barlow	Sketch writer	BBC Radio 4 Extra
2022	Sitcom	Scot Squad series 8	The Comedy Unit BBC Scotland	Commissioned to write story ideas for the improvised comedy		
2022	<i>Script competition</i>	<i>Long-listed in the Short Com TV Sitcom Writing Competition.</i>				
2022	Radio comedy	Noising Up (series 1, episode 1)	The Comedy Unit	Iain Davidson	Sketch writer	BBC Radio Scotland
2022	Radio	DMs Are Open	BBC Studios	Sadia Azmat Rajiv	Additional material/	BBC Radio

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	comedy	(series 1, episode 3)		Karia	voice	4 Extra
2022	Children's animation	Editing and consultancy work for Hey Daisy Moon productions for x2 script bibles.				
2022	Script competition	Long-listed to final 18 for the 'David Nobbs Memorial Trust' comedy script competition.				
2021	Television sitcom	Scot Squad (Series 7, episodes 1 and 2)	The Comedy Unit BBC Scotland	Iain Davidson	Story material	BBC One Scotland/ Scotland channel
2021	Sitcom	Scot Squad series 7	The Comedy Unit BBC Scotland	Commissioned to write story ideas for the improvised comedy		
2021	Children's animation	One of 10 writers selected for a story conference on upcoming new children's animation comedy Via BBC Writersroom and CBBC led by Anthony Q. Farrell			Story conference	CBBC, Boat Rocker
2020	Children's gameshow	Swashbuckle (Series 8, episode 16)	BBC Children's	Rachel Bazeley Ashleigh Fallis	Episode sketch	CBBC
2020	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 16)	BBC Scotland	Chris Quilietti Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2020	Awards	'Sue and John' - NOMINATED (BBC Radio Scotland/BBC Writersroom) Produced by Angela Galvin		Celtic Media Festival 2020 Awards 'Best Radio Comedy'		
2020	Radio sketch show	Central FM Comedy Hour	Gusman Productions	Gus Beattie	Additional sketches	103.1 Central FM
2020	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 15)	BBC Scotland	Stephen Hollywood Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2020	Children's gameshow	Swashbuckle (Series 7, episodes 7 & 19)	BBC Children's	Rachel Bazeley Ashleigh Fallis	Episode sketches	CBBC
2019	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 14)	BBC Scotland	Stephen Hollywood Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Scotland radio + TV
2019	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 13)	BBC Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2019	Radio sitcom pilot	Sue and John	BBC Radio Scotland BBC Writersroom	Angela Galvin	Creator and writer	BBC Radio Scotland
2019	Television sitcom	Scot Squad (Series 5, episode 5)	The Comedy Unit BBC Scotland	Iain Davidson	Story material	BBC One Scotland

			BBC Writersroom			
2019	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 12)	BBC Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Scotland radio + TV
2019	Children's	BBC Children's Podcast Pilot	BBC Scotland BBC Writersroom	Commissioned to write a 10 minute podcast pilot script for BBC Children's.		
2018	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (TV pilot)	BBC Scotland	Laura Mackay, Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Two Scotland
2018	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 11)	BBC Radio Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2018	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 10)	BBC Radio Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2018	Sitcom	Scot Squad series 5	The Comedy Unit BBC Scotland BBC Writersroom	Commissioned to write story ideas		
2018	Writing Program	BBC Writersroom Scotland 'Scottish Voices' Comedy Writers Group 2018-2019		Selected to take part in group for sessions and opportunities at BBC Scotland for the BBC Writersroom		
2018	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 9)	BBC Radio Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2017	Writing Program	Nickelodeon Writing Program (FINALIST – international)		Into the final 2 for a position on the Nickelodeon Writing Program 17/18		
2017	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 8)	BBC Radio Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2017	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 7)	BBC Radio Scotland	Laura Mackay Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2017	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 6)	BBC Radio Scotland	Paul Carlin Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2016	Topical quiz	Breaking The News (Series 5)	BBC Radio Scotland	Paul Carlin Dave Flynn	Additional material	BBC Radio Scotland
2010	Television sketch show	School Of Comedy (Series 2)	Leftbank Pictures	Jenna Jones	Sketch writer	E4 Channel 4
2009	Television sketch show	School Of Comedy (Series 1)	Leftbank Pictures	Jenna Jones	Sketch writer	E4 Channel 4

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2008	Television sketch show	School Of Comedy ('Comedy Lab' pilot)	Leftbank Pictures	Alex Hardcastle	Sketch writer	Channel 4
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ABOUT ME:

I'm a Glasgow-based comedy and children's writer, originally from south west England, with experience of writing narrative scripts, story ideas, topical gags, television and radio sketches. I've also written for children's television and online. I have worked with script editors, written to briefs and to tight deadlines, as well as edited and consulted on animation bibles.

I've also been a finalist and long-listed in a number of script competitions. In 2017 I made the final of the Nickelodeon Writing Program (International), while in 2018 I was chosen to be part of the BBC Writersroom's inaugural 'Scottish Voices' group and later the CBBC 'New Voices' 2020 initiative. The BBC Writersroom Scotland 'Scottish Voices' 2018-2019 group aimed at developing the next generation of new writers and you can read about it here:

www.bbc.co.uk/blogs/writersroom/entries/817adecb-63a7-42ee-89ac-e59ecdd9c6e9

In 2019 my first radio sitcom pilot, 'Sue and John', aired on BBC Radio Scotland, and you can read about the process here: www.bbc.co.uk/blogs/writersroom/entries/2e7e7613-3ef3-4acd-a619-c61baf90751d

It was later announced in March 2020 that 'Sue and John' had been nominated for a Celtic Media Festival Award for 'Best Radio Comedy': www.celticmediafestival.co.uk/view-entry/5192

Sad Sunk Rock. Coming 2024 from Big Finish.

<https://www.bigfinish.com/news/v/galton-simpson-comedy-award-winners-revealed>

I also made the longlist of the 2022 Short Com TV Sitcom Writing Competition' with my script 'Deadheads'. I then made the 2023 longlist with my script 'Some Boomers'.

<https://www.shortcom.org/longlist-2022> <https://www.shortcom.org/tv-sitcom-competition-2023>

In 2022 I made the longlist of 18 of the 'David Nobbs Memorial Trust' new comedy script competition. I also made the 2023 longlist of 16 in the prestigious competition open to writers who have already had writing credits: www.davidnobbsmemorialtrust.org.uk/news

In 2023 I then made the final 6 of the SitcomMission, with a live read-through at the Canal Cafe Theatre, before making it through to the 'industry final' at The Museum of Comedy: www.comedy.co.uk/pro/news/7373/sitcom-mission-2023-longlist/

You can also read an interview I did with the brilliant writer Chris Douch here: www.thecomedyloser.com/2021/09/12/032-tom-worsley

