Bill Buckhurst

Director

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Bill Buckhurst is an award-winning theatre and film director based in the UK.

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THEATRE

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2026	I CAN DIE TOO	Pitlochry Festival Theatre / Lovechild Productions	Director Written by Frances Ruffelle, Sally George and Alan Cumming
2025	IF/THEN	Adam Blanshay / Savoy Theatre	Director of staged concert
2025	101 DALMATIANS - APOLLO 2025	Runaway Entertainment	Director of transfer
2024-25	SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL - NETHERLANDS	Jamie Wilson Productions	Director
2024-25	SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL - GERMANY & AUSTRIA	ShowSlot Touring / Jamie Wilson Productions	Director of major reworking/revival
2024	101 DALMATIANS - UK & IRELAND TOUR	Runaway Entertainment	Director
2024-25	SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL - AUSTRALIA	Crossroads Live / Jamie Wilson Productions	Director of major reworking/revival
2022-24	SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL - UK & IRELAND TOUR	Jamie Wilson Productions	Director
2024	SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL - DOMINION THEATRE	Jamie Wilson Productions	Director Starring Ruth Jones & Beverley Knight

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2022-24	THE TIME TRAVELLER'S WIFE	Storyhouse Chester / Apollo Theatre West End / Colin Ingram Ltd	Director of major new musical, based on the 2009 film NOMINATED for 3x WhatsOnStage Awards 2024,including Best New Musical
2020 -	SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL	Jamie Wilson Productions	Director of major reworking/revival 2022 Eventim Apollo with Jennifer Saunders & Beverley Knight Olivier Award Nomination for Best Musical Revival
2019	GHOST QUARTET	Boulevard Theatre	Winner of the Off West End Award for Director of a Musical
2019	ASSASSINS	Watermill/ Nottingham Playhouse	
2018	SWEET CHARITY	Nottingham Playhouse	
2018	MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING	Storyhouse Live/Grosvenor Park	
2018	THE SELFISH GIANT	Vaudeville Theatre/Royal Theatre Northampton	A new folk opera by Guy Chambers
2017	BABETTE'S FEAST	The Print Room	Adapted by Glyn Maxwell from the novel by Karen Blixen
2017	SWEENEY TODD	Barrow Street Theatre, NYC	WINNER: Outstanding Revival - Lucille Lortel Awards 2017 WINNER: Best Musical Revival - Off Broadway Alliance Awards 2017 NOMINATED: 4 Drama Desk Awards including Outstanding Director of a Musical NOMINATED: Outstanding Revival – Drama League Awards 2017 NOMINATED: Outstanding Revival – Outer Critics Circle Awards 2017
2016	SLEEPING BEAUTY	Watermill Theatre	Written by Rufus Norris
2016	OMEROS	Shakespeare's Globe/St Lucia Jazz Festival	Revival of 2015 production
2016	TWELFTH NIGHT	Shakespeare's Globe	
2016	THE LAST DAYS OF DOLWYN	National Theatre/Moving Stories	By Emlyn Williams, adapted by Matthew Woodyatt
2015	OMEROS	Shakespeare's Globe/Sam Wanamaker Playhouse	Revival of 2014 production
2015	BARBARIANS	Tooting Arts Club	Revival of 2012 production staged at Central St Martins, Charing Cross Road
2015	SWEENEY TODD	Tooting Arts Club	Transfer (and two subsequent extensions) to West End, by Special Arrangement with Cameron Mackintosh
2015	OTHELLO	Shakespeare's Globe	

2014	SWEENEY TODD	Tooting Arts Club	WINNER: Best Musical Production – Off West End Awards 2015 NOMINATED: Best Director – Off West End Awards 2015 NOMINATED: 4 awards including Best Director of a Musical & Best Revival of a Musical – Broadway World UK Awards 2015
2014	KING LEAR	Shakespeare's Globe/International Tour	NOMINATED: 4 awards including Best Visiting Production – Helen Hayes Awards 2015
2014	OMEROS	Shakespeare's Globe/Sam Wanamaker Playhouse	Also writer of the adaptation of the Derek Walcott poem
2014	HAMLET	Shakespeare's Globe/World Tour	Production visited 197 countries over 2 years WINNER: Renee Stepham Award for Best Presentation of Touring Theatre – UK Theatre Awards 2014 WINNER: International Award – The Stage Awards 2015
2014	THE MERCHANT OF VENICE	Shakespeare's Globe	
2013	A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	Tooting Arts Club	
2013	KING LEAR	Shakespeare's Globe	
2012	HAMLET	Shakespeare's Globe/International Tour	NOMINATED: 4 awards including Best Visiting Production – Helen Hayes Awards 2013
2012	BARBARIANS	Tooting Arts Club	NOMINATED: Best Director – Off West End Awards 2012
2011	TINDERBOX	Tooting Arts Club	Written by Lucy Kirkwood

TELEVISION

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2022-24	HOLLYOAKS	Lime Pictures/Channel 4	Directed 10 episodes of the Lime Pictures/Ch 4 flagship continuing drama.

FEATURE FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2018	POND LIFE	Open Palm Films	Starring Daisy Edgar Jones & Esme Creed Miles NOMINATED: 4 Long List Nominations including Douglas Hickox Award for Best Debut Director & Best British Film – BIFAs 2018

SHORT FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2016	RICHARD II	Shakespeare's Globe	Part of “The Complete Walk” Starring James Norton
2016	THE COMEDY OF ERRORS	Shakespeare's Globe	Part of “The Complete Walk” Starring Omid Djalili & Phil Davis
2016	KING LEAR	Shakespeare's Globe	Part of “The Complete Walk” Starring Kenneth Cranham