

Joseph Morpurgo

Writer

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Joseph Morpurgo is a comedian, writer and improviser. His solo shows have won extensive acclaim: 2015's Soothing Sounds For Baby was nominated for Best Show at the Edinburgh Comedy Awards and won three Chortle Awards, and 2017's Hammerhead enjoyed a month-long run at the Soho Theatre and won Best Comedy at the Brighton Fringe. He is also a founder member of improv show Austentatious, who have enjoyed many sell-out Edinburgh runs, multiple UK tours, and currently have a weekly West End residency.

His broadcast credits include Harry and Paul's Story of the 2s (BBC2), Murder in Successville (BBC3), Drunk History (Comedy Central) and The World of Simon Rich (BBC Radio 4). His own Radio 4 series, Joseph Morpurgo's Walking Tour, aired in 2017, and he has collaborated on projects with Aardman, Warp Films and Baby Cow.

Find him at www.josephmorpurgo.com

TELEVISION

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2023	READY EDDIE GO!	Sky Kids / Hocus Pocus Studios	Lead Writer
2022	PILGRIMS	Blink Industries	Animated Series under option
2022	BIFFIN'S FRIDGE	Aardman / Netflix	Pilot script and bible in development Co-writer
2020	DREEM TEAM	Broke & Bones	Development work
2020	THE AMELIA GETHING COMPLEX	BBC Children's	Sketch Writer
2020	SHAUN THE SHEEP: ADVENTURES FROM MOSSY BOTTOM	Aardman	Writer of Eps 2, 3, 4 & 6
2019	COMEDIANS GIVING LECTURES	Dave	Writer

RADIO

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2023	THE ULTIMATE CHOICE	BBC Radio 4	Associate Producer and Co-writer
2021	AUSTENTATIOUS: CHRISTMAS SPECIAL	BBC Radio 4	Writer & Performer
2017	JOSEPH MORPURGO'S WALKING TOUR	BBC Radio 4	Creator, Writer & Narrator

SHORT

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2020	TOON BLAST: TUMBLEWEED	Blinkink	Writer
2015	JOSEPH MORPURGO'S CHRISTMAS: SKY CHRISTMAS COMEDY SHORTS	Sky Arts	Actor and Writer

STAND UP

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	PROJECT DETAILS
2017	HAMMERHEAD	Sold out runs at Edinburgh Fringe & The Soho Theatre Named "Best Comedy Show" at Brighton Fringe
2015	SOOTHING SOUNDS FOR BABY	Nominated for "Best Show", Edinburgh Comedy Awards 2015 Named "Best Show of 2015" by Time Out Winner of three Chortle Awards
2014	ODESSA	
2013	TRUTHMOUTH	