

Torben Betts

Writer

Torben Betts is one of the UK's leading playwrights and his plays are produced both in this country and internationally. Earlier in his career he was championed by Sir Alan Ayckbourn, who invited him to be resident dramatist at the Stephen Joseph Theatre, Scarborough in 1999. Liz Lochhead, former Makar of Scotland, has described him as "just about the most extraordinary writer of drama we have", while Time Out says his plays are "brilliant and testing."



IN DEVELOPMENT

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
THE MISANTHROPIST	Northampton Theatres	Stage adaptation commission

THEATRE (INCLUDES)

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2018	MONOGAMY	Original Theatre / Bob and Co	Park Theatre
2016	THE NATIONAL JOKE	Stephen Joseph Theatre	Stage play
	INVINCIBLE		Major Spanish-language version of Invincible starring Maribel Verdu The play is also being produced in Poland, the Czech Republic, Argentina and New York
2016	GET CARTER	Northern Stage / National Tour	
2015	THE SEAGULL	Regent's Park Open Air	
2015	WHAT FALLS APART	Live Theatre Newcastle	
2014	INVINCIBLE	The Orange Tree Theatre / St James Theatre	
2012	MUSWELL HILL	Orange Tree Theatre / Park Theatre, London	
2011	THE COMPANY MAN	The Orange Tree Theatre	
2008	LIE OF THE LAND	Arcola Theatre, London / Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh	

2007	THE UNCONQUERED	Traverse / Tron / Brits-off-Broadway / UK Tour	Best New Play 2007 Critics Awards for Theatre in Scotland
2007	THE SWING OF THINGS	Stephen Joseph Theatre	
2003	HER SLIGHTEST TOUCH	Stephen Joseph Theatre	
2006	THE COMPANY MAN	Orange Tree Theatre	
2004	THE ERROR OF THEIR WAYS	HERE Arts Center, New York	
2003	THE LUNATIC QUEEN	Riverside Studios, London	
2001	SILENCE AND VIOLENCE	White Bear Theatre, London	
2000	CLOCKWATCHING	Orange Tree Theatre, Richmond and Stephen Joseph Theatre, Scarborough	
2000	FIVE VISIONS OF THE FAITHFUL	Edinburgh Festival Theatre	
1999	A LISTENING HEAVEN	Edinburgh Royal Lyceum	Nominated for Best New Play at the 2001 TMA Awards (Five Best Plays Nationwide – The Times)
1999	INCARCERATOR	Battersea Arts Centre, London	A Time Out Critics Choice at both the White Bear Theatre and BAC, London
1999	MUMMIES AND DADDIES	Orange Tree theatre	Shortlisted for the Verity Bargate Award 2000
1997	THE BIGGLESWADES	Southwark Playhouse	

FEATURE FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY
2015	GUILLEMOT	Latimer Films
2014-15	DOWNHILL	Crisis Film