



Tom Binns



Tom Binns is currently touring his character driven stand up show around the prestigious international comedy festivals of Melbourne and Adelaide, ending with New Zealand where last year he walked away with 'Best International Act'. Back on British soil Tom will be gearing up for the Edinburgh Festival's Pleasance courtyard this summer at the illustrious Caberet Bar.

Tom's prolific presence on the stand up circuit regularly garners 5 star reviews and his global competition attendance has earned him a nomination for the Edinburgh Comedy Award, two nominations for the Adelaide Fringe Comedy Award, and a nomination for a Chortle Comedy Award. Tom was also named in their list of '50 Most Memorable Gigs of the Decade' plus he is a winner of the Fosters Comedy God Award.. however nothing compares to his 2002 accolade from the readers of More Magazine voting him the 84th Sexiest Man in The World.

Tom's most recent character is Ian D Montfort, a psychic from Sunderland who garners laughs and astonishment in parallel. Tom took the brilliantly innovative character to the Edinburgh Fringe in 2012 and subsequently starred him in a short film entitled 'Going to Mecca' which won the Virgin Shorts Award. Ian worked alongside Jason Byrne in Byrne's self-titled Radio 2 show. This lead Ian to record a pilot with BBC Radio 2, which was followed by a full series entitled 'Ian D Montfort is Unbelievable' in February 2013.

Tom Binns is a very talented comic, enjoying sell out shows around the world. As long as he isn't sacked again from public broadcasting for high treason, we can certainly look forward to his live accomplishments filtering through the TV sitcom funnel and gracing our screens very soon.

"Binns has his character absolutely nailed, and mines the comic seam ruthlessly to create top-quality entertainment with practically universal appeal." **THE GUARDIAN**