

## ANNA EMERSON

Comedy Writer & Performer

In 2013, Anna won the BAFTA Roccliffe sitcom competition with writing partner Lizzie Bates. Their winning script was performed at the New York TV Festival as part of the 'Future of British Comedy' showcase, and has since been optioned.

As one third of critically acclaimed sketch group *The Boom Jennies*, Anna co-wrote and co-starred in the BBC Radio 4 sitcom *Mission Improbable* in 2012 and is currently working on series two.

She has also appeared in BBC Radio 4's *Sketchorama*, written sketches for ITV's *Off Their Rockers* and is a frequent feature of cult podcast *The John Dredge Nothing To Do With Anything Show*.

Anna performed her debut solo show, *An Evening with Patti DuPont*, at the Edinburgh Fringe in August 2014, achieving four star reviews and coverage in the *Guardian* and *The Times*.

### TELEVISION:

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| <b>2018</b> | <b>LIFEGUARDS</b><br>Writer<br>In development with Underground Films / RTE / The Irish Film Board<br>Producers: Farah Abushwasha, Lindsay Campbell & Rachel Lysaght |
| <b>2016</b> | <b>POLITICIANS' KIDS</b><br>Consultant<br>In development with Brown Eyed Boy  |
| <b>2015</b> | <b>NEW HABITS</b><br>Writer<br>Optioned by DLT Entertainment  |
| <b>2013</b> | <b>OFF THEIR ROCKERS</b><br>Contributing writer<br>CPL / ITV  |

### RADIO & PODCASTS:

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| <b>2018</b> | <b>SKETCHTOPIA</b><br>Writer<br>Gusman Productions / BBC Radio 4   |
| <b>2014</b> | <b>MISSION IMPROBABLE (S2)</b><br>Writer / performer<br>Top Dog / BBC Radio 4                                    |
| <b>2014</b> | <b>THE JOHN DREDGE NOTHING TO DO WITH ANYTHING SHOW (S3)</b><br>Performer<br>Resonance FM / British Comedy Guide |
| <b>2012</b> | <b>THE JOHN DREDGE NOTHING TO DO WITH ANYTHING SHOW (S2)</b><br>Performer<br>Resonance FM / British Comedy Guide |

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- 2012**            **MISSION IMPROBABLE (S1)**  
 Writer / performer  
 Top Dog / BBC Radio 4
- 2012**            **SKETCHORAMA!**  
 Writer / performer  
 Comedy Unit / BBC Radio 4
- 2012**            **THE JOHN DREDGE NOTHING TO DO WITH ANYTHING SHOW (S1)**  
 Performer  
 Resonance FM / British Comedy Guide

**THEATRE & LIVE PERFORMANCE:**

- 2014**            **AN EVENING WITH PATTI DUPONT**  
 Writer / performer  
 St John's, Edinburgh Fringe
- 2014**            **AN EVENING WITH PATTI DUPONT**  
 Writer / performer  
 Upstairs at Three and Ten, Brighton
- 2013**            **BEST OF THE BOOM JENNIES**  
 Writer / performer  
 Leicester Comedy Festival
- 2013**            **BEST OF THE BOOM JENNIES**  
 Writer / performer  
 Leamington Spa Arts Centre
- 2013**            **BRING IT HOME COMEDY NIGHT**  
 Writer / performer  
 The Union Chapel, London
- 2012**            **THE BOOM JENNIES: MISCHIEF**  
 Writer / performer  
 Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh
- 2012**            **THE GREAT BIG SKETCH-OFF**  
 Performer  
 Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh
- 2011**            **THE BOOM JENNIES & FRIENDS: A CHRISTMAS SKETCHTACULAR**  
 Writer / performer  
 Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh
- 2011**            **THE BOOM JENNIES: BLOWOUT**  
 Writer / performer  
 Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh
- 2011**            **BEST OF THE BOOM JENNIES**  
 Writer / performer  
 Upstairs at Three and Ten, Brighton
- 2010**            **THE BOOM JENNIES: WE WANT ACTION**  
 Writer / performer  
 Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh
- 2009**            **THE BOOM JENNIES: SHINDIG**  
 Writer / performer  
 Pleasance Theatre, Edinburgh
- 2008**            **THE BOOM JENNIES**  
 Writer / performer  
 C Soco, Edinburgh

- 2007**            **CIRQUE DE SABOTAGE**  
Writer / performer  
Underbelly, Edinburgh
- 2005**            **THE TAMING OF THE SHREW**  
Widow / Vincentio  
British Touring Shakespeare Company

**ONLINE:**

- 2011**            **EXPEDITION**  
Writer / performer  
YouTube
- 2011**            **PHOTOS**  
Writer / performer  
YouTube
- 2011**            **BOYFRIEND**  
Writer / performer  
YouTube
- 2009**            **NIGELLA'S CHRISTMAS**  
Writer  
Myspace / ComedyBox

**AWARDS:**

- 2017**            Winner – 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the David Nobbs Memorial Trust Writing Competition
- 2013**            Winner - BAFTA Rocliffe New Writing Forum