

## **CLIVE DUNCAN**

Clive Duncan is an actor, writer and theatre director.

After training at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama, he performed in regional, touring and West End theatre and appeared on screen in single dramas, series and presented children's television.

He has written scripts for community, education, business training and children's theatre with numerous scripts broadcast on BBC, Scottish TV and Channel 5. He successfully completed an MA in Screenwriting at The University of the Arts in 2010. His directing experience encompasses classical, contemporary, educational, devised and pantomime, for companies in Britain and overseas.

Having taught and directed in a freelance capacity at various drama schools he became Head of Acting at ALRA (Academy of Live and Recorded Arts) in London in 2004, becoming Co-Director of the school four years later. Whilst there he completed a PGCE at the Institute of Education and was instrumental in transferring the Acting Diploma courses to BA (Hons) and MA programmes validated by St Mary's University Twickenham. With his Co-Director he founded ALRA North in Wigan for which the school won a TMA nomination for services to regional theatre and The Stage 100 Award for school of the year.

In 2014 he resumed his freelance career - acting, writing and directing and has worked for *Vienna's English Theatre*, *Watershed Productions*, *Prime Theatre*, *Light and Lark Theatre Company* and *The Oxford Playhouse*, *Groundswell Theatre Company*, *Polka Theatre* and *Reading Rep*.