

# FELICITY WARD



Grown from a carob pod in a sunny, Central Coast national park, Felicity Ward is multi-award winning comedian, actor, and writer.

With promising beginnings as *Troll II* in the Peninsula School of Dance and Drama's performance of *Aladdin: The Pantomime* she's never managed to match those dizzying heights, instead settling for regular appearances on Australian television shows like *Spicks and Specks*, *The Ronnie Johns Half Hour*, *Good News Week*, *Talking About Your Generation*, *Thank God You're Here*, *The Librarians*, *Can of Worms*, *The Project*, *The Circle*, *Studio Ten* along with multiple appearances on *The MICF Oxfam Gala* and *MICF Comedy All Stars*. Most recently she starred in Ronnie Chieng's *International Student* for ABC TV.

Following the success of her 2014 ABC1 documentary, *Felicity's Mental Mission*, Felicity was handpicked by the BBC in 2015 as one of the new faces of UK comedy starring in her own *Live From The BBC* special - the only Australian selected to be part of this new comedy series. She is a regular face on many other international TV shows including *Russell Howard's Good News (UK)*, *Alan Davies' As Yet Untitled (UK)*, *The John Bishop Show (UK)*, *Gotham Comedy (US)*, *Make You Laugh Out Loud (UK)*, *Sam Delaney's News Thing (UK)* and *Access All Areas (CAN)*.

Felicity has also appeared in two feature films in recent years: *Any Questions For Ben? (AUS)* and *The Inbetweeners Movie 2 (UK)*.

Chortle UK Club Comic of the Year nominee in 2014 and 2016, Felicity has also been nominated in Australia for Best Comedy at Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Adelaide Fringe Festival, and won Best Australian Act at Perth Comedy Festival, and Sydney Comedy Festival, twice.

She has toured her award-winning, sell-out shows across the world, winning hearts of audiences and critics everywhere she goes.

In short: she goes alright.





## REVIEWS

'Relentless... easily her best Fringe show to date.' ★★★★★ *The Mirror*

'Joyfully funny...her originality and sheer inventiveness stay with you long after.' ★★★★★ *Edinburgh Evening News*

'Ward is a consummate performer...for straight up stand up, [Felicity Ward] will be difficult to beat.' ★★★★★ *Independent on Sunday*

'Felicity Ward's delivery fizzles and flashes and bangs...hilarious... priceless...infectious...compelling...mental illness isn't supposed to be this much fun.' ★★★★★ *Chortle*

'Ward's so damn charming, of course, and her energy, clever constructs and wordplay so winning.' ★★★★★ *Sydney Morning Herald*

'She inhabits a stage with unborn ease and we must do everything we can to ensure she lives as much of her life as is possible upon it.'  
★★★★ *Daily Review*

'Whip-smart, relatable and painfully but hilariously honest .'★★★★ *Arts Hub*

## AWARDS & NOMINATIONS

**WINNER** Best International Show – NZ Comedy Festival 2016

**NOMINEE** Best Club Comic – Chortle Awards 2016

**NOMINEE** Best Club Comic – Chortle Awards 2014

**WINNER** Best Australian Act – Perth Comedy Festival 2012

**WINNER** Time Out Best Local Act – Sydney Comedy Festival 2012

**NOMINEE** Best Show – Melbourne International Comedy Festival 2012

**NOMINEE** Best Comedy – Adelaide Fringe Festival 2012

**WINNER** Time Out Best Local Act – Sydney Comedy Festival 2011

**NOMINEE** Best Newcomer - Melbourne International Comedy Festival 2009

**WINNER** Mervyn Stutter's Spirit of the Fringe Award 2009

**WINNER** Best Newcomer – Melbourne Airport Award 2008

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