

## JAMES HAGAN

James began his career at the Perth Playhouse in 1975. After spending seven years touring Britain and Europe with the acclaimed Australian theatre company, Triad Stage Alliance, he worked with English speaking theatres of Frankfurt (Germany) and Florence (Italy). Since returning to Australia in 1985, James has worked consistently in theatre, film and radio.

### THEATRE

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>ROLES PLAYED</b>	<b>COMPANY</b>
2004	Lovers at Versailles	Stephen	Ensemble
2002	The Taming of the Shrew	Baptista	Bell Shakespeare
1998-2000	Fox Studios Australia	Resident Comedian	Fox Studios Aust.
1999	Sanctuary	Bob King	University N.S.W. <i>Actor in Residence</i>
1999	A Midsummer Nights Dream	Bottom	New Theatre
1998	Pygmalion	Henry Higgins	Parramatta Theatre Co
1998	Hamlet	Claudius	Parramatta Theatre Co
1998	King Lear	King Lear	Shakespeare by the Sea
1997	Aloft	Henry Bates	Parramatta Theatre Co
1997	Edmond	Man in Bar/ Pawnbroker	Belvoir Street Theatre
1997	Lennin	Museum Keeper	Belvoir Street Theatre
1997	Hamlet	Claudius	Parramatta Theatre Co
1997	Measure for Measure	Duke	Shakespeare by the Sea
1997	Twelfth Night	Sir Toby Belch	Shakespeare by the Sea
1996	Communicating Doors	Julian	Marian Street Theatre
1995-1996	Ken Hills-Phantom of the Opera	Groom/ Grave Digger Old Man/ Mariclair/ Priest	Proto Productions Pty Ltd Australia/ Asia Tour
1994	Macbeth	Porter/ Doctor/ Groom/	Bell Shakespeare Co
1993	Reflected Glory	Robert	The Ensemble
1993	Respectable Wedding	Father	Crossroads Theatre
1993	Macbeth	Duncan/ Porter	The Hunter Valley Co
1992	Miss Julie	Servant	Sydney Theatre Co

1992	The Slab Boys	Willie Curry	Crossroads Theatre
1991	Popular Mechanicals	Bottom/ Mouldy	Playhouse Theatre
1991	Twelfth Night	Malvolio	Black Swan Theatre
1991	The Recruiting Officer	Kite	Hole in the Wall
1991	Our Country's Good	Brewer/ Ascot/ Capt Campbell	Hole in the Wall
1990	Last Wake at She Oak Creek	Sunshine Logan	Hole in the Wall
1990	Sweeney Todd	Dr Lupin	Hole in the Wall
1990	Serious Money	Nigel/ PJ	Hole in the Wall
1990	As You Like It	Corin/ Duke Senior	Hole in the Wall
1990	Dr Memory & the Dream House	Barry Rank	PICA

### **TELEVISION**

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>ROLES PLAYED</b>	<b>COMPANY</b>
2001	Headstart	Reg	Canon Television
2001	Artful Dodger	Henry Flood	Grundy Television
2000	Backburner	Professor Phillip Smith	Cadillac Productions
1992	Stark	Du Pont	Cascade Ash Productions
1992	G.P.	Mullane	Roadshow Coote and Carroll
1992	Police Rescue II	Police Sergeant	Southern Star/ Xanadu
1988	Maths Break	Himmler	ABC
1988	Fat Cat and the Time Bandits	Time Lord	Nine Network

## **FILM**

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>ROLES PLAYED</b>	<b>COMPANY</b>
1999	Intransit	Russell	AFTRS
1994	Mary MacKillop	In House for Museum	Wintergreen Pty Ltd
1991	Wind	Australian Journalist	Francis Ford Copella
1991	Rondella	Sgt Baker	Western Aust. Film Corp.

## **RADIO, DRAMA & NARRATION / ADVERTISING**

James has worked extensively for ABC Radio, recording works as diverse as straight plays, scientific programs as well as poetry. His voice has been used in countless television commercials and radio voice-overs. Most recently, James is continuing his work with the voice-overs for Quit Smoking Australia.

## **COMEDY**

James has worked as a character comedian ( a la Campbell McComis) for Business Conventions and seminars etc. Two of his more successful characters were a drunken, abusive English press baron (for the Printers Union) and an unctuous Californian fitness instructor at various health club dinner. He has also been the link and introduction comedian for the WA Comedy Club. One of his more unusual routines being his impersonation of James mason, Sir John Geilguid, Richard Burton and Winston Churchill.

## **VOICE & DRAMA TEACHING**

James has also been in demand as a voice and drama teacher to actors, announcers and business people. He has been speech and drama coach for NIDA Outreach and NSW High School Drama Program.

## **AWARDS**

Best Actor –The Glugs NSW – 2004  
(Ex Sydney Drama Critics Awards)  
Steven in “Lovers at Versailles”  
Directed by Denise Roberts – Ensemble Theatre

One Act Play Competition – Short and Sweet  
Papa in “Bella”  
Directed by John Higgins

Bronze Prize – Voice Over  
New York Radio Festival  
Government Job Training Video

Silver Prize – Voice Over  
New York Radio Festival  
Liberal Party Campaign Commercial