Jon Purkis

Writer

Jon is a comedy writer, with experience writing sitcoms, sketches and jokes for television. His biggest work to date is the BBC 2 sitcom 'Popatron'. Jon is currently writing a sitcom script commission for the BBC, produced by Happy Tramp. In 2011, Jon was named one of the Broadcast Magazine's Hot Shots.

TELEVISION

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DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2015	TRIPLE EX	BBC / Happy Tramp	Sitcom script commission
			Prods. Alex Moody and Neil Webster
2014	TOTALLY SENSLESS GAMESHOW	BBC 3 / Roughcut	Pilot sketches
			Prod. Seb Barwell
2014	FRIED	BBC / Two Brothers Pictures	Sitcom pilot 2 x script punch-up
			Prod. Sarah Hammond
2013	MAD ON CHELSEA	4oD / Monkey Kingdom	Sketch / Joke writing
			Prod. Stephanie McIntosh
2013	80S NIGHT	Channel 4 / Fresh One Productions	Entertainment show, sketches
			Starring Channel 4 talent
			Prod. Stephanie McIntosh
2012	MASH UP NIGHT 2	Channel 4 / Fresh One Productions	Entertainment show, sketches
			Starring Channel 4 talent
			Prod. Stephanie McIntosh
2012	BIG BAD WORLD	Comedy Central / Objective Productions	Sitcom, 1 x 30 min episode
			Prods. Kate Naughton and Ben Farrell
2012	MY YOUNG STEPMOM (Co- Writer)	Comedy Central US / Zeppotron	Sitcom, 1 x 30 min episode
			Co-written with Shaun Pye, Laura Solon, Neil Webster and Ben Caudell



MASH - UP NIGHT	Channel 4 / Fresh One Productions	Entertainment show, sketches
		Starring Channel 4 talent
		Prods. Rachel Ablett and Stephanie McIntosh
LEE MACK'S ALL STAR CAST	BBC 1 / Zeppotron	Entertainment show, jokes, monologue
		Prods. Andrew Cartmell, Neil Webster and Ali Marlow
POPATRON	BBC 2 / Zeppotron	Sitcom set behind the scenes of a celebrity-based TV show, 6 x 30 min episodes
		Prods. Ben Caudell, Neil Webster and Gavin O'Grady
MELVIN TV	Zeppotron	Sketch show pilot, MTV sketches using clips from MTV shows
	LEE MACK'S ALL STAR CAST POPATRON	LEE MACK'S ALL STAR CAST BBC 1 / Zeppotron POPATRON BBC 2 / Zeppotron

ONLINE / DIGITAL

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2012	BBC BITESIZE	BBC Scotland / Zeppotron	Online video, a comedic retelling of the book "The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie"
2010	BBC BITESIZE	Zeppotron	Online videos, comedic retelling of "Pride and Prejudice"