

MARG DOWNEY

As one of Australia's leading comedy actors Marg is known for her character work in countless Australian classics and has since garnered acclaim for her dramatic work in film, theatre, and television.

After starring in *The D-Generation*, *Fast Forward* and *Full Frontal* Marg went on to play Marion in the iconic series *Kath and Kim*. This was followed by roles in *Open Slather*, *The Other Guy*, *Get Krack'n*, *Back In Very small Business*, *Fisk* (*Series 1 and 2*) and Stan Original *Jones Family Christmas*. In recent years Marg has featured in popular dramas such as *Top Of The Lake: China Girl* and *The Dr Blake Mysteries* (*Series 2 and 3*). She has been nominated twice for *Best Supporting Actress in a Drama* at the *AACTA* awards for her portrayal of Evelyn Walters in *The Newsreader*.

Theatre credits include *Emerald City* at Queensland Theatre and Melbourne Theatre Company, *Hayfever* at Melbourne Theatre Company, *Timeshare* at the Malthouse Theatre, *Skull In Connemara* at 45 Downstairs, *La Cage Aux Folles* for The Production Company, *Moonlight And Magnolias* for director Bruce Beresford at the Melbourne Theatre Company, *Mum's The Word* and *Mum's The Word 2*, *Glimpse* and the world premiere season of Joanna Murray-Smith's *Rapture* for Playbox.

Marg is also a highly sought-after voiceover artist, both for commercial/corporate work and for key roles in numerous animation projects, including *L'il Elvis Jones & The Truckstoppers*, *Ocean Girl*, *Dogstar*, *Wakkaville* and *The Flamin' Thongs* and *Kitty Is Not A Cat (Series 1-3)*.