

# Stuart Goldsmith

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## Awards

- **Leicester Comedy Festival Awards 2023:** Best Show - Winner
- **British Podcast Awards 2019:** Best Interview - Nominee
- **Leicester Comedy Festival Awards 2017:** Best New Show - Winner
- **Amused Moose Edinburgh Comedy Awards 2015:** Best Show - Nominee
- **Chortle Awards 2014:** Internet Award for The Comedian's Comedian podcast - Nominee
- **Chortle Awards 2013:** Internet Award for The Comedian's Comedian podcast - Nominee
- **New Zealand Comedy Festival 2013:** Spirit of the Fringe Award - Winner
- **Chortle Awards 2012:** Breakthrough Act Award - Nominee
- **Edinburgh Comedy Festival 2012:** Malcolm Hardee Award - Winner
- **Leicester Comedy Festival 2011:** Best Show Award - Nominee
- **Show Me The Funny (ITV) 2010:** Semi-finalist

Stuart Goldsmith is an internationally award-winning comedian, writer, podcaster and host.

Stuart's stand-up career has seen him win several awards and he has taken seven solo stand-up shows to the **Edinburgh Festival Fringe** to date. He has performed at the **Melbourne International Comedy Festival**, the **New Zealand International Comedy Festival** and made multiple appearances at the prestigious, invitation-only **Just For Laughs Festival** in Montreal. In 2019, he performed stand-up on the TBS chat show **Conan**, in the US.

Stuart's latest show **Spoilers**, which tackles the climate crisis head on, was met with critical acclaim, winning Best New Show at the **Leicester Comedy Festival Awards**. Stuart has been enjoying performing climate-based comedy in conjunction with sustainability departments and organisations across the world including performing most recently at the annual US sustainability conference, Greenbiz 2024 in Arizona.

Stuart is a highly regarded corporate speaker, host and the creator of the hugely popular 'What Comedians Don't Tell You About Resilience', a 45-minute business-focussed session which offers an 'alternative and fresh take on cultivating resilience.' (Polly Dean, HG Capital)

Stuart is also a talented interviewer and host of the internationally renowned podcast: **The Comedian's Comedian**. He has interviewed many of the comedy world's

household names, including Jimmy Carr, Bo Burnham, Sarah Millican and James Acaster. As well as hosting his own podcast, Stuart has appeared as a guest on a number of popular podcasts such as **RHLSTP** with Richard Herring, BBC Radio 4's **You're Dead To Me** and **Chattabix** hosted by Joe Wilkinson and David Earl.

Stuart's special **I Need You Alive** is available to watch online.

## Stand Up Specials

- Stuart Goldsmith: I Need You Alive (800 Pound Gorilla and Chambers Productions, 2023)

## TV

- The Stand-Up Show with Jon Dore (Performer, CTV, 2020)
- Conan (Performer, TBS, 2019)
- Melbourne International Comedy Festival Gala (Performer, ABC, 2017)
- Rank The Prank (Guest, CBBC, 2016)
- Russell Howard's Stand Up Central (Performer, Comedy Central, 2016)
- The Dog Ate My Homework (Guest, CBBC, 2015)
- Alan Davies: As Yet Untitled (Guest, Dave, 2015)

## Radio & Podcasts

- The Comedian's Comedian Podcast (Host, 2012-Present)
- Ambition To Impact (Guest, 2024)
- Business of Sustainability (Guest, 2024)
- Sustainable(ish) (Guest, 2024)
- Sustainability Solved (Guest, 2024)
- You're Dead To Me (Guest, BBC Sounds, 2019, 2021-2023)
- RHLSTP (Guest, Acast, 2023)
- Transplaining with Jordan Gray (Guest, Acast, 2023)
- Secret Artists with Annie McGrath (Guest, 2023)
- Paul Chowdhry PudCast (Guest, Global, 2023)
- My Time Capsule (Guest, 2023)
- Your Brain on Climate (Guest, 2023)
- Neurodivergent Moments (Guest, 2023)
- Comedy Club (Radio Guest, BBC Radio 4, 2023)
- Come to Daddy (Guest, 2023)
- Thank F\*ck For That with Sarah Keyworth & Micky Overman (Guest, 2023)
- Trusty Hogs (Guest, Comedy Kerfuffle, 2023)
- Chatabix (Guest, Keep It Light Media, 2023)
- Comedy Club At Machynlleth (Guest, BBC Radio 4 Extra, 2022)
- The Modern Mann (Guest, 2020-2022)
- Legit Classics (Guest, Hat Trick Podcasts, 2022)

- The Recruitment Network Podcast (Guest, 2022)
- Dating Games (Guest, 2021)
- Dad Chat Podcast (Guest, 2021)
- Child Labour (Co-Host, Global, 2020)

## Live

- Spoilers (2023 -)
- End Of (2019)
- Like I Mean It (2018)
- Compared to What (2017)
- An Hour (2015)

## Press

*Quiet excellence...an intelligent, well-crafted act*

★★★★★ **The Times (on Spoilers)**

*This cathartic and fun hour is well crafted to nudge anyone, wherever they are on their own sustainability journey, that little bit more in the hopeful direction.*

★★★★★ **Broadway World (on Spoilers)**

*A warm, hilarious hour that pokes fun at our hypocrisies, while suggesting genuine pathways for change*

★★★★★ **Fest (on Spoilers)**

*It takes a lot to give [your act] a serious theme, and still make it extremely funny. Yet the gagsmith has achieved that in style... Stuart Goldsmith is a supreme storyteller with a great line in smart, well-thought out jokes, His timing is spot on.*

★★★★★ **The Reviews Hub (on Spoilers)**

*Professor Emeritus of Comedy*

**Arthur Smith**

*A master of the form.*

**Independent**

*Expert, charming stand-up.*

**The Sunday Times**

*Truly a comedy masterclass... Endlessly inventive.*

**The List ★★★★★**

*Yet further evidence of Goldsmith's enormous talent and indisputable mastery of the genre.*

## **The Wee Review ★★★★★**

*...he infuses the material with a sly wit and and underplayed sharpness, not to mention eloquent writing.*

*...no wonder he's filled his room on a Monday evening; no one could dislike this. This is smooth, smart and absorbing stand-up.*

### **Chortle**

*...it carries the slick professionalism of someone whose been master of their comedy voice for years.*

*Goldsmith is making the crucial leap from being a comedian's comedian to being everyone's comedian.*

## **Edinburgh Festival Magazine ★★★★★**

*Stuart Goldsmith is a polished comic. Leaving little room for error his style of storytelling is slick, cleverly constructed and thoughtful.*

### **Broadway Baby ★★★★★**

*He's a confident commander of the stage, his open face and cheeky grin coaxing you very much onto his side.*

### **The List ★★★★★**

*Goldsmith emanates energy constantly.*

*He has a deep talent for keeping the audience's attention the whole time, slipping effortlessly from one routine into another and never losing a beat...He gets huge laughs.*

### **The List**

*He's introspective and acutely self-aware, with an intensely friendly stage persona that's deeply sincere. His material is warm and life-affirming.*

*An Hour is a showcase of quietly perfect standup.*

## **Edinburgh Festivals Magazine ★★★★★**

*His laid-back, but in control, style makes it look easy, though there's a choreography to both his words and deeds. There's a nice sign-off to his show that would have operated perfectly well without it, given the underplayed high quality of Goldsmith's various routines...but serves as a cherry on the top of a very satisfying cake.*

### **Chortle ★★★★★**

*Goldsmith is a hugely underrated comic, effortlessly confident and accomplished.*

### **Fest ★★★★★**

*A charming, expert stand-up.*

### **Sunday Times**

*A supremely talented stand-up, with a wonderfully funny view of the world and an*

*effortless charm.*

**Time Out**

*Consistently, dependably and utterly funny.*

**ThreeWeeks**

**Praise for The Comedian's Comedian Podcast**

*A brilliant insight into some of the best comedic minds in the country, endlessly educational and entertaining.*

**Chortle**

*Terrific in-depth interviews for the discerning comedy nerd.*

**The Times**

*Consistently entertaining and startlingly honest.*

**The Telegraph**

*For anyone with an interest in the craft of stand-up comedy, this is a dream come true.*

**Festival Journal**

*I can't recommend it enough – fascinating and inspirational.*

**Sarah Millican**

*Not just another wanker talking about comedy.*

**Greg Proops**