



Stuart Goldsmith

Profile

Stuart Goldsmith is an internationally award-winning Climate Comedian and speaker, who specialises in performing stand up relating to the climate crisis.

His TV credits include performing his climate comedy on BBC institution **Live at the Apollo** and he also performed stand up on **Conan** in LA, hosted by comedy icon Conan O'Brien.

His climate comedy has been featured widely across press and media outlets including: BBC Radio, BBC News, Radio Times, News UK and many more.

Stuart's 2023 solo stand up show **Spoilers** won the prestigious **Best Show 2023** at **Leicester Comedy Festival** and was one of the **best-reviewed shows at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival 2023**, where he played to sellout audiences and received wide critical acclaim. **The Times** praised Stuart's "*excellence*" and his "*intelligent, well-crafted act*" whilst **The List** said: "*he's especially, piercingly funny on the hypocrisies we all indulge in.*" **Broadway World** lauded the show for being "*cathartic and well crafted to nudge anyone, wherever they are on their own sustainability journey, that little bit more in a hopeful direction.*"

Stuart's stand up special **I Need You Alive** is available to watch online and he is currently developing his second climate comedy stand up hour up – he performed work in progress shows at the **Edinburgh Fringe Festival** in August 2025.

Stuart performs his climate comedy at eco festivals and also at corporate events, to organisations across the UK and internationally. The purpose is to engage attendees in the important issue of sustainability and climate change; to send out a call to action and alleviate our collective dread by using comedy to tackle a very serious subject. He has appeared at high profile climate festivals and events including **Net Zero Festival**, **Blue Earth Summit** and **Edie 25** in the UK and multiple appearances at **GreenBiz** in the US; hosted sustainability awards events including Green Energy, Global Sustainability and ESG, Real Deal ESG,

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and Business Green, and recharged messaging for corporate clients include Santander, Britvic, Lloyds Banking Group, UKTV, Bryt, Oaklin, and London Bridge Net Zero Heroes.

Stuart is also a talented interviewer and host of the internationally renowned **Comedian's Comedian** podcast. He has interviewed many of the comedy world's household names, including Jimmy Carr, James Acaster, Bo Burnham, Sarah Millican, Ronny Chieng and Bill Burr. The podcast has had over 25 million downloads to date. www.stuartgoldsmith.com

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
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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

Credits

Stand Up Specials

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

TV

- Live At The Apollo (Performer, BBC, 2025)
- 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)
- You're Dead To Me (Guest, BBC Sounds, 2019, 2021-2023, 2025)
- Walking The Dog with Emily Dean (Guest, 2025)
- Ambition To Impact (Guest, 2024)
- Business of Sustainability (Guest, 2024)
- Sustainable(ish) (Guest, 2024)
- Sustainability Solved (Guest, 2024)
- Lateral (Guest, 2024)
- RHLSTP (Guest, Acast, 2023)
- Transplaining with Jordan Gray (Guest, Acast, 2023)

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- 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)
- What The Fuck Is Going On? with Mark Steel (Guest, 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)
- The Comedian's Outluke (Guest, 2020)
- Films To Be Buried With (Guest, 2018)
- The Alison Spittle Show (Guest, 2018)

Live

- Spoilers (2023)
- I Need You Alive (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

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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 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 ★★★★★

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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