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# Janine McGrath

## ACTOR

**Height** 173 cm – 5' 8"  
**Hair** Dark Brown with Grey Streaks  
**Eyes** Hazel/Brown  
**Voice** Alto  
**Location** Melbourne, Australia



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## Credits

TV/SERIES			
Evenings With Janine RMITV	Titular Lead (8 Episodes)	Wr. Prod. Luciana Nicolai & Jazmin Lissarrague	2025
Evenings With Janine RMITV	Titular Lead (8 Episodes)	Wr. Prod. Luciana Nicolai & Jazmin Lissarrague	2024
Drowning In Love – Vertical Series	Recurring - Susan	Dir. Selina (Yurou) Zhang	2024
My Moonlit Alpha Prince @Minishorts	Recurring – Cathwulf (8 Episodes)	Dir. Selina (Yurou) Zhang	2024
Dance TV Awards	Judge & Presenter	Glenn Brittain's Dance TV	2020
FILM			
Solace (short)	Support – Julia	Wr. & Dir. Kailas Prasannan	2025
Better Than Bingo (short)	Support – Jill	Wr. & Dir. Kasey Wooley	2025
Alone (short)	Support – Karen (Grief Counsellor)	Dir. Nisha Selvaraj & Lyndon Cantwell	2024
Thappo (feature)	Support – Lady Fiona	Dir. Faisal Hashmi	2024
Breaking Point (short)	Support - Shirley McAllister	Wr. & Dir. Lochlan Graham	2023
How To Ask Someone Out (student film)	Support – Delilah Fleur	Wr. & Dir. Sib Sibthorpe	2023
Faati Ne? (feature)	Support – Jennifer	Dir. Faisal Hashmi	2023
CCTV Nasty (feature)	Support – Homeless woman	Wr. & Dir. Sascha-René Karner	2023
Baby (short)	Support - Agnes	Dir. James di Martino Wr. LM Bates	2023
Grimm & Grimmer (student film)	Support - Judge Cynthia	Wr. & Dir. Libby Cowley	2023
Afterword (short)	Support - Lynette Hargrave (older)	Wr. & Dir. Luis Arnet	2022
Gemini (student film)	Lead - Doctor	Wr. & Dir. Vallerie Rusli	2022
The Hook in the Ceiling (short)	Lead - Lisa	Wr. & Dir. Zafar Abbass	2022
Martha & Jerry (student film)	Lead - Martha	Dir. Pollyanna Carveth	2022
Training Film - Quality Care in Hospitals for People with Cognitive Disability	Support - Lynne	Dir. Damien Pree Maitree House for La Trobe University	2022
Queen Evil (feature)	Support - Susan	Wr. & Dir. Harry J. Wall	2022
Crash Course (short)	Lead - Dr Minerva	Dir. John Kokkinias	2022
Hellbender (short) Flickerfest 2022	Support - Panellist	Wr. & Dir. Greg Kelly – Creative Clones	2021
Video for Regional Family Violence Partnership	Lead - Sandra Conway	Dir. Dave Szostak	2021
Unmade (graduate student film) MIFF 2022	Lead - Alberta	Wr. & Dir. Izrael Little	2021
THEATRE			
Snakes & Ladders – Metropolis Monologues_Melbourne Writers' Theatre	Lead - Mariana	Wr. Donna De Palma, Dir. Jennifer Munday	2025
My Brilliant Apocalypse – The Return of Barry Brilliant Melbourne Fringe Festival	Jacinta Brilliant/Therapist/Doctor/ French Reporter	Wr. & Director Adrian D'Aprano	2024
Melbourne Writers' Theatre/Gasworks Script Lab	6 new plays, 8 roles	Dir. Natasha Broadstock	2024
Pane di Casa - A Taste of Home @ The Butterfly Club & CO.AS.IT	Support – Sharon	Wr. & Director Carlotta Miglolo-Jones	2024
Pane di Casa, Peridot Theatre	Support - Sharon	Wr. & Dir. Carlotta Miglolo Co-Dir. Katerina Zafiris	2023
Portrait of a Rebel Heart_Reading *Winner Best Actress 2023	Lead – Nell (aka Natasha Pavlova)	Wr. & Dir. Gerard Lewis Fitzgerald Cracked Actors Summer Readings	2023
Mrs Bin by Hélène Dunlop_Reading *Finalist – Best Supporting Actress 2022	Support - Belinda Voulch	Wr. Hélène Dunlop. Dir. Marion Ardit Cracked Actors Summer Readings	2022
Memorials by Lourdes Zamanillo_Reading *Finalist – Best Actress 2021	Lead - Idylla	Wr. & Dir. Lourdes Zamanillo Cracked Actors Summer Readings	2021

**Winner Best Actress @ Cracked Actors Theatre (CAT) Summer Readings 2023**  
**Finalist Best Supporting Actress CAT 2022, Finalist Best Actress CAT 2021**

## Tertiary Education

Adv. Dip. Dance Teaching	Classical Ballet, Contemporary, Folkloric	The Australian Ballet School	1999
Grad. Dip. Ed.	Visual & Performing Arts	RMIT	1992
Diploma of Education (Primary)	Major - English Literature	Coburg Teachers College	1978

## Actor Training

Ongoing StageMilk & MEAA seminars & workshops.			
Film & TV Studio International	Casting Workshop	Micaeley Gibson	April 2024
Melbourne Shakespeare Co.	Audition & Scene Study Workshops	Jennifer Sarah Dean	March 2024
TAFTA	Casting Workshop	Amy Mete	Oct 2023
Film & TV Studio International	Text to Screen Test	Scott Major w Steve Jaggi	Feb-March 2023
The Hub	Casting Workshop	Stevie Ray	March 2023
The Audition Technique	Creating Compelling Characters	Greg Apps	Oct-Nov 2022
Film & TV Studio International	Text to Screen Test	Rosie Traynor w Nathan Lloyd	Jul-Sept 2022
Film & TV Studio International	ShowReel Intensive	Dir. Scott Major	May-June 2022
TAFTA & online	4 X Casting Workshops	Thea McLeod, Maria Epthymiopoulos, Jo Briant, Leigh Pickford	Feb-May 2022
Impro Melbourne	Spontaneity	Brenna Dixon	Feb-April 2022
All American Voice	US Accent	Katherine Beck	April – June 2021
The Hub	US Accent	Linda Nicholls-Gidley	Mar/April 2021
The Audition Technique	Character Development	Greg Apps	2020, 2021
Howard Fine Studios	Advanced Online Program: Emotional Connection	Howard Fine, Marilyn McIntyre	Nov/Dec 2020
Howard Fine Studios	Playing The Bard; Shakespeare in Performance	Sally McLean	July/Aug 2020
Howard Fine Studios	6 Week Acting Essentials	Howard Fine, Phil Hayden, Sass Pinci	June/July 2020
Howard Fine Studios	Audition Technique	Phil Hayden	May 2020
NIDA Melbourne	Screen Acting Essentials	Ivan Donato	January 2020
This Is Not A Drill	US Accent	Linda Nicholls-Gidley	Nov 2019

## Accents

Australian, Standard US, Southern US, French, RP

## Special Skills

### Dance Training

Classical Ballet  
Jazz, Modern Dance, Lyrical, Folkloric, Song & Dance  
Tap  
Contemporary  
Ballroom

### Professional Background

Primary School Teacher  
Sessional Lecturer in Dance & Drama (Vic Uni)  
Choreographer  
Dance Teacher – own studio & various  
President of Southern Federation of Dance  
Dance Examiner & Adjudicator  
Dance Teacher Trainer & Mentor

### Other

Pilates  
Zumba  
Swimming  
Gym Training  
Sewing, Knitting, Crochet

WWC Check (volunteer)  
Drivers Licence  
Passport

Current  
Current  
Current

## Other

Madiba The Musical; Aus & NZ  
Fast Love – A Tribute to George Michael; Aus

Asst. Choreographer  
Local Choreographer

The Prestige Presents  
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2018, 2019  
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## Interests

4 Grandkids  
Francophile

