

BRIDIE CONNELL

ACTING/WRITING BIO



Bridie Connell is a multi award-winning actor and writer.

Although originally a dramatic theatre actor, Bridie has made great strides in the world of comedy TV, having performed in *We Interrupt this Broadcast* (Channel 7), *The Moth Effect* (Amazon), independent comedy feature *Ellie and Abbie (and Ellie's Dead Aunt)*, the ABC's cult-followed *Tonightly with Tom Ballard*, *True Story with Hamish and Andy*, and the iconic *Whose Line Is It Anyway? Australia*.

Bridie is a former national improv champion and a regular fixture in the comedy rooms of Sydney with her unique blend of character, music and improv comedy.

Bridie is also an avid writer with credits on *The Moth Effect*, *Tonightly with Tom Ballard* and *We Interrupt this Broadcast*. For her work on *Tonightly* she won the 2018 ARIA for Best Comedy Release for her song *Sex Pest*.

Gut Feeling, a web series she wrote in 2018, was selected for seven major international festivals and premiered in Toronto in July 2019. It was nominated for best screenplay at Seoul Web Fest and won the same award at Sydney Web Fest, along with wins for Best Performance at Toronto and Minnesota Webfests.