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Peter Browne

Peter Browne attended UNSW School of Drama in the mid 1970s then applied to NIDA, graduating in 1980.

His first professional engagement was in Albury with the Murray River Performing Group where he performed in plays, theatre restaurant and sketch comedy shows in 1981 and 1982. A feature of the work he and the other actors performed was that they wrote their own shows, experimenting with all forms of humour and audience engagement.

Returning to Sydney in 1983, he was cast in numerous TVCs, TV shows and a few films.

Equally at home in comedy and drama roles, he enjoyed many wonderful opportunities in a diverse range of Australian TV shows in the 1980s and 90s.

He was cast in featured roles in ANZACS and Sword of Honour, had a continuing tole in the first Police Rescue series, played multiple characters in the second series of Australia You're Standing In It, was the male lead in the gut wrenching drama Custody and brought to life the cantankerous character Alfred the Hot Water Bottle in more than 70 episodes of the ground breaking, world wide children's series Johnson and Friends, recorded in Australia and New Zealand for Film Australia and ABC.

He was also cast in many TVCs, mostly in comic roles and mostly as either a naïve Aussie bloke or variations of the laconic Aussie larrikin.

In the 1990s, Peter formed a small troupe of writer performers creating comedy shows for sport and corporate audiences, performing at major Rugby League and Cricket events and testimonial dinners and at conferences for big brands including IBM, Vodafone, Merck Sharp and Dohme, Bankers Trust and National Mutual.

He also started creating and producing corporate events around the turn of the century and then lived and worked in Singapore for 16 years, working in corporate communication and eventually, communication and presentation training and coaching.

He returned to Sydney in late 2019, just in time for the drought, fires, floods and the COVID pestilence in early 2020...

For a long time he has felt the itch to return to his acting origins and is now delighted to join Duke Actors Management.

While the sweet bird of youth has long departed, his energy is still boundless, and his wry humour and empathy are more deeply ingrained.

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Commercials

Year/s	Character	Production	Producer / Director
1997-07	PJ	XXXX GOLD (series)	BMF
1993-94	Bloke in pub	Tooheys Blue & West End (Rod Marsh Series)	
1992-93	Aussie bloke	Bridgestone (Peter Brock series)	
1991	Best Man	XXXX	Saatchi – UK
1988	Cricket guy	Swan Light	NZ
1987-88	Aussie bloke	Nutra Sweet (series)	
1987	Golf guy	Honda	NZ
1987	Aussie dad	Maggi Soup	
1986	Aussie farmer	Deep Creek wines	
1986	Aussie father	Preen	
1986	Cranky Aussie farmer	Just Juice	NZ
1985	Aussie farmer	CRT	
1985	Aussie bloke – train	Vicks Sinex	
1984	Presenter	Schick	
1984	Business guy	2KY	Ray Lawrence
1983	Aussie bloke – jungle gym	Vicks Sinex	
1983	Business man	State Bank Visa	Ray Lawrence

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Television

Year/s	Character	Production	Producer / Director
2002	Policeman	Bad Cop Bad Cop	ABC
2002	Patient	All Saints	Channel 7
2001	Kiwi uncle	Home & Away	Channel 7
1990-95	Alfred the Hot Water Bottle	Johnson & Friends	Film Australia / Ian Munro & David Ogilvy
1994	Aristotle	Boffins	Film Australia / Ian Munro
1994	Patient	GP	ABC
1992	Farmer	A Country Practise	Channel 7
1991	Policeman	Inspector Morse	John Madden
1989-91	squad member	Police Rescue	ABC
1986	Мо	Sword of Honour	Pino Amenta
1986	Hardware guy	The Fast Lane	ABC
1985	Carter	ANZACS	Burrows-Dixon
1984	Various	Australia You're Standing In It	ABC

Feature Film

Year/s	Character	Production	Producer / Director
1996	Policeman	Idiot Box	David Caesar
1988	Builder	The Man From Snowy River II	Burrows / Dixon
1988	Husband	Custody	Film Australia / Ian Munro
1987	soldier	Lighthorseman	
1983	policeman	BMX Bandits	Brian Trenchard Smith

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