

# David Jobling

Producer | Writer | Community Mentor | Qualified Trainer

## Professional Profile

A versatile media professional and award-winning playwright with a 50-year legacy in the Australian arts. Specialising in disability-led broadcasting and intersectional advocacy, David leverages decades of experience in film, television, and radio to empower underrepresented voices through technical mastery and creative storytelling.

## Key Qualifications

- **Diploma in Community Services** – Celtic Training (2026)
- **Advanced Diploma in Professional Writing**
- **Qualified Trainer and Assessor (TAE)**
- **NIDA Playwright's Studio Graduate** (1999)
- **Current NDIS Check**

## Film & Television (Selected Credits)

### Feature Films:

- **Rabbit (2017)**: Role: Dr. Bob (Thriller)
- **Dr. Plonk (2007)**: Role: Drunk Pedestrian (Dir. Rolf de Heer)
- **Birthday Girl (2001)**: Role: Uncredited (Starring Nicole Kidman)
- **Money Movers (1978)**: Role: Uncredited (Dir. Bruce Beresford)

### Television & Streaming:

- **Love My Way (2006)**: Role: Steven's Dinner Guest
- **All Saints (2001)**: Role: Janitor
- **Water Rats (2000–2001)**: Role: Cleaner / Irate Punter
- **The Three Stooges (2000)**: Role: Nightman (TV Movie)
- **Sons and Daughters (1986)**: Guest role

## Media & Radio Production (2000–Present)

Producer & Presenter | PBA-FM

- Host/Producer of [Saturday Magazine](#); specialist production mentor.
- **Radio Producer | 2SER, Radio Adelaide, FBi Radio**
- Produced national current affairs (*The Wire*) and original narrative comedy series.
- **Writer | SBS TV, ABC TV & [ABC Online](#)**
- Scriptwriter and digital storyteller for national broadcasters.

### **Artistic Leadership & Foundation (1970s–2000)**

- **Client Coordinator | Positive Living Centre (Sydney, 2000):** Community support for people living with HIV/AIDS.
- **Creative Administrator | Griffin Theatre Company (1989):** Managed programming for new-writing.
- **Artistic Director | Brown's Lane Theatre (1987):** Led creative vision for this Adelaide arts space.
- **Actor/Educator | The Acting Company (1981):** Toured with SA's leading TIE ensemble.
- **Puppeteer | Puppet Company of SA (Late 1970s):** Professional career start.

### **Honours & Awards**

- **Arts Achievement Award (2014)** – AC Arts / TAFE SA
  - **Short Play Competition Winner** – Australian National Playwrights' Centre
  - **ADF Long Tan Leadership Award (2009)**
  - **Cyberqueer Legend Status** – Recognised by the Sydney Morning Herald.
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