

Abi Tedder

Actor

Abi is a writer, director, comedian, stand-up and actress. She was the 2010 President of the Cambridge Footlights.

Abi has recently starred solo in the National Theatre's New Writing Season (in Caz Moran's one-woman play *Prepper*) and featured in an online series for BBC Bitesize. Abi is a member of critically acclaimed sketch trio Minor Delays and is currently working

alongside Edinburgh Comedy Award Nominee Trygve Wakenshaw in CBBC's new show Aardvark.

While with the Footlights Abi starred solo in the Footlights Prize winning Anything But (A One-Woman Play) judged by Tim Key (Pleasance Courtyard, Edinburgh Fringe) which was then shortlisted for The Sunday Times' NSDF Emerging Artists Prize. She Co-Directed Perfect Strangers – The Sell-Out Footlights International Tour Show 2012 (Pleasance Courtyard, Edinburgh, UK and US Tour), toured the US in Macbeth and was a Finalist in the National Funny Women Awards 2012.

Minor Delays:

"The sketches are leanly constructed and advertise a fine eye for funny character...you get plenty of bang for your buck here. One doubts that major success for the trio will be much further delayed." The Guardian

Minor Delays are Abi Tedder, Harry Michell and Joe Barnes. Their distinctive style of stripped-back, front-facing, melancholic comedy is currently part of the Invisible Dot's *New Wave*. Their shows in 2014 and 2015 were both among the British Comedy Guide's Best Reviewed Shows of the Edinburgh Fringe and they were also finalists of the *London Sketchfest* competition in 2015.

"Split-second precision in a series of rapid-fire sketches...you can consider your tenner on the door a risk free investment...Stars of the Future" Mail on Sunday

Following a Sell-Out season at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe 2015, Minor Delays brought their show to the Soho Theatre in March 2016.

"A show of remarkable pizzazz...the skits come at you like machine-gun bullets...seldom have 50 minutes passed so swiftly." The Telegraph

"Hypersonic comedic perfection" - The Skinny

"Tedder's majestic ability to contort her face and to move between booming and childishly temperate, squeezing out every bit of delight from the audience, is exceptional." - Broadway Baby

"These guys have taken sketch comedy and made it entirely their own" - Kate Copstick" The Scotsman.

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Roles

Film

Production	Character	Director	Company
DEATH! (Short)	Marianne	Matthew B.C.	NFTS
EVERYBODY DIES SOMETIMES (Short)	Alison	Charlotte Hamblin	Tea Shop Productions

Television

Production	Character	Director	Company
AARDVARK	Various	Dominic Macdonald	CBBC
BBC BITESIZE	Various	Dan Vallint-Riggs	BBC

Stage

Production	Character	Director	Company
MINOR DELAYS		Harry Michell	MD Productions
PERFECT STRANGERS		Abi Tedder	Footlights Tour 2012 - Cambridge / Edinburgh Festival / American and UK Tour
ANYTHING BUT		Ben Ashenden	Edinburgh Previews / Edinburgh Fringe
TWELFTH NIGHT	Fabian/Feste	N. Wilson	New London Company
OTHELLO	Brabantio	N. Wilson	New London Company
MACBETH	First Witch/Porter/Ross	John Haidar	Cambridge American Stage Tour
ANYTHING BUT	Agnes	Ben Ashenden	Cambridge Footlights
ROMEO AND JULIET	Nurse	John Haidar	C.U.A.D.C
HIGH SOCIETY	Mother Lord	Liane Grant	Cambridge University Musical Theatre Society
THE PIED PIPER - FOOTLIGHTS PANTOMIME	Frau Faberge	Will Seaward	Cambridge Footlights
THE COMPLETE WORKS OF WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE (ABRIDGED)		Rory Mullarkey	The Marlowe Society
WISHFUL THINKING		Rory Mullarkey	Cambridge Footlights
DEREK - FOOTLIGHTS SPRING REVIEW		James Moran & Lucien Young	Cambridge Footlights
ALI BABA - FOOTLIGHTS PANTOMIME		Matt Bulmer	Cambridge Footlights
BREAKFAST AT NIGHT		Liam Williams, Daran Johnson	Independent
THESEUS AND THE MINOTAUR	Minotaur	Rob Carter	Cambridge Footlights
THE ODD COUPLE	Cecily Pigeon	Niall Caldwell	G.A.D.S

Other

Production	Character	Director	Company
MAKING A SCENE	Various	Dan Vallint-Riggs	The Moment