

## Uma Nada-Rajah

### Writer

Uma is a playwright based in Kirknewton, Scotland. She is one of the BBC's Scottish Voices 2020 and was most recently the Starter Female Political Comedy writer-in-residence at the National Theatre of Scotland.

Uma is a graduate of École Philippe Gaulier and a previous participant of the Royal Court's Young Writers' Programme and the Traverse Theatre's Young Writers' Programme. In 2014 Uma won the New Playwrights Award from Playwrights' Studio Scotland. Her play EXODUS had its premiere at the Traverse Theatre in August 2022.



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### Credits

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#### In Development

Production	Company	Notes
<b>THE NEST</b>	Citizens Theatre	Adaptation of Franz Xaver Kroetz
<b>BLACK HOLE SIGN</b>	Traverse Theatre	
<b>UNTITLED COMMISSION</b>	National Theatre of Scotland	
<b>UNTITLED COMMISSION</b>	Almeida Theatre	
<b>ERASURE</b>	Balloon Entertainment	Original Pilot

## Theatre

<b>Production</b>	<b>Company</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>THE GREAT REPLACEMENT</b> 2023	A Play, A Pie, & A Pint / Oran Mor / Macrobert Arts Centre / Pitlochry Festival Theatre	Dir. Jemima Levick
<b>EXODUS</b> 2022	Traverse Theatre	Dir. Debbie Hannan
<b>MUSTER STATION LEITH</b> 2022	Grid Iron / Edinburgh Festival	As Co-Writer alongside Nicola McCartney, Tawona Sitholé, and Ben Harrison Directed by Ben Harrison
<b>RAPUNZEL</b> 2020	National Theatre of Scotland	Christmas Panto As Co-Writer alongside Apphia Campbell, Johnny McKnight, Morna Pearson, Stef Smith, Meghan Tyler and Anita Vettesse. Directed by Johnny McKnight Film Directed by Stewart Kyasimire Written by
<b>TOY PLASTIC CHICKEN</b> 2019	Play, Pie & a Pint & BBC iPlayer: Traverse Theatre & Òran Mór	
<b>MAGICAL PLASTIC CHICKEN</b> 2018	Hidden Door Festival, Edinburgh	As Playwright & Co-Director
<b>THE DUBAI PAPERS</b> <b>(Rehearsed Reading)</b> 2012	Traverse	As part of the 'Write Here' Festival.
<b>THE CONSTANT K</b> <b>DETERMINES THE ULTIMATE</b> <b>FATE OF THE UNIVERSE</b> 2008	The Pearl Company Theatre, Canada	As Playwright & Co- Director *Winner of The Freshwater Pearls New Writing Award

## Other

<b>Production</b>	<b>Company</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>Playwright, for Scenes for Survival</b> 2020	National Theatre Scotland	
<b>Visual Artist in Residence</b> 2017	Gallery One @ St. Margaret's House	