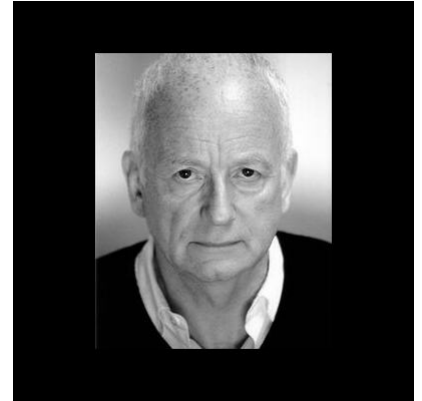


## Ian McDiarmid

### Actor

Ian is a Tony and Olivier award-winning actor and director. He is perhaps best known for his role as EMPEROR PALPATINE in the STAR WARS Franchise. Recent credits include the lead in the UK tour of Roxana Silbert's WHAT SHADOWS and in Jez Butterworth's BRITANNIA for Sky Atlantic.

Ian McDiarmid was born in Carnoustie, Scotland. He attended St Andrews University, graduating with a Master's degree in Social Science and, subsequently, the Royal Scottish Academy of Music and Drama, where he won the Gold Medal.



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## Roles

### Film

Production	Character	Director	Company
<b>STAR WARS: THE RISE OF SKYWALKER</b>	Palpatine	J.J Abrams	Walt Disney Motion Pictures

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<b>LOST CITY OF Z</b>	Sir George Goldie	James Gray	Amazon Studios & Bleecker Street
<b>STAR WARS - EPISODE III: REVENGE OF THE SITH /</b>	Emperor Palpatine aka Darth Sidious	George Lucas	Lucasfilm & 20th Century Fox
<b>STAR WARS - EPISODE II: ATTACK OF THE CLONES</b>	Emperor Palpatine aka Darth Sidious	George Lucas	Lucasfilm & 20th Century Fox
<b>SLEEPY HOLLOW</b>	Dr Thomas Lacaster	Tim Burton	Paramount Pictures
<b>RESTORATION</b>	Ambrose	Michael Hoffman	Avenue Pics Prods & Miramax
<b>DIRTY ROTTEN SCOUNDRELS</b>	Arthur	Frank Oz	Orion Pictures Corporation
<b>GORKY PARK</b>	Professor Andreev	Michael Apted	Orion Pictures Corporation
<b>STAR WARS - EPISODE VI: RETURN OF THE JED</b>	Emperor Palpatine	Richard Marquand	Lucasfilm & 20th Century Fox
<b>DRAGONSLAYER</b>	Brother Jacobus	Matthew Robbins	Paramount Pictures
<b>SIR HENRY AT RAWLINSON'S END</b>	Reg Smeeton	Steve Roberts	Charisma
<b>THE AWAKENING</b>	Dr Richter	Mike Newel	Orion Pictures Corporation
<b>RICHARD'S THINGS</b>	Burglar	Anthony Harvey	Southern Pictures & New World Pics
<b>THE LIKELY LADS</b>	Vicar	Michael Tuchner	EMI

## Stage

<b>Production</b>	<b>Character</b>	<b>Director</b>	<b>Company</b>
<b>THE CARETAKER</b>	Davies	Justin Audibert	Chichester Festival Theatre
<b>THE LEMON TABLE</b>	Geoffrey and Sibelius	Michael Grandage	UK Tour
<b>FAUST X 2</b>	Faust	Lisa Blair	Watermill Theatre
<b>WHAT SHADOWS</b>	Enoch Powell	Roxana Silbert	Birmingham Rep
<b>THE MERCHANT OF VENICE</b>	Shylock	Rupert Gould	The Almeida
<b>JONAH AND OTTO</b>	Otto Banister	Claire Lizzimore	Manchester Royal Exchange Studio
<b>BAKERSFIELD MIST</b>	Lionel	Polly Teale	The Duchess Theatre

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<b>EMPEROR AND GAILEAN</b>	Maximus	Jonathan Kent	National Theatre
<b>THE PRINCE OF HOMBURG</b>	The Elector	Jonathan Munby	Donmar Warehouse
<b>BE NEAR ME</b>	Father David Anderton	John Tiffany	Kilmarnock Theatre, Donmar Warehouse & National Theatre of Scotland
<b>SIX CHARACTERS IN SEARCH OF AN AUTHOR</b>	The Father	Rupert Goold	Gielgud Theatre, Chichester Festival Theatre & Australian Tour
<b>JOHN GABRIEL BORKMAN</b>	John Gabriel Borkman	Michael Grandage	Donmar Warehouse
<b>THE FAITH HEALER</b>	Teddy	Jonathan Kent	Booth Theatre New York & Gate Theatre Dublin
<b>LEAR</b>	King Lear	Jonathan Kent	Sheffield Crucible
<b>HENRY IV</b>	Henry IV	Michael Grandage	Donmar Warehouse
<b>THE EMBALMER</b>	Alexei Miscin	William Kerley	Almeida Theatre & UK Tour
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<b>THE TEMPEST</b>	Prospero	Jonathan Kent	Almeida Theatre
<b>THE JEW OF MALTA</b>	Barabas	Michael Grandage	Almeida Theatre & UK Tour
<b>DOCTOR'S DILEMMA</b>	Ridgeon	Michael Grandage	Almeida Theatre & UK Tour
<b>TARTUFFE</b>	Orgon	Jonathan Kent	Almeida Theatre
<b>THE GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR</b>	Lord Provost	Jonathan Kent	Almeida Theatre
<b>THE CENCI</b>	Count Cenci	Jonathan Kent	Almeida Theatre
<b>SCHOOL FOR WIVES</b>	Arnolphe	Jonathan Kent	Almeida Theatre
<b>VOLPONE</b>	Vulpine Volpone	Nicholas Hytner	Almeida Theatre
<b>THE BLACK PRINCE</b>	Bradley	RSC Aldwych Theatre	RSC Aldwych Theatre
<b>THE COUNTRY WIFE</b>	Mr Pinchwife	Nicholas Hytner	Manchester Royal Exchange
<b>DON CARLOS</b>	King Philip II of Spain	Nicholas Hytne	Manchester Royal Exchang

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<b>EDWARD II</b>	King Edward II	Nicholas Hytner	Manchester Royal Exchange
<b>THE DANTON AFFAIR</b>	Maximilien Robespierre	Ron Daniels	RSC Barbican
<b>THE SAXON SHORE</b>	Cambyses & Llyr	Pierre Audi	Almeida Theatre
<b>CREDITORS</b>	Gustav	Various	Almeida Theatre
<b>DOWNCHILD</b>	Tom Downchild	Bill Alexander & Nick Hamm	RSC Stratford & Barbican The Pit
<b>THE CASTLE</b>	Stucly	Nick Hamm	RSC Stratford & Barbican The Pit
<b>CRIMES IN HOT COUNTRIES</b>	Hacker	Bill Alexander	RSC Stratford & Barbican The Pit
<b>THE WAR PLAYS</b>	Monster, First Man, Officer & Middle-Aged Man	RSC Stratford & Barbican The Pit	Nick Hamm
<b>THE PARTY</b>	John Tagg	Howard Davies	RSC Stratford & Barbican The Pit

## Television

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<b>BRITANNIA</b>	King Pellenor	Various	Amazon Studios
<b>STAR WARS: REBELS</b>	Emperor Palpatine	Various	CGCG Inc.
<b>OBI-WAN KENOBI</b>	Emperor Palpatine	Deborah Chow	Lucasfilm
<b>IVANOV</b>	Kosykh	Jonathan Kent	Almeida Theatre
<b>MACBETH</b>	Porter & Ross	Philip Casson	RSC for Thames TV
<b>UTOPIA Series 2</b>	Anton	Marc Munden	Channel 4
<b>37 DAYS</b>	Sir Edward Grey	Justin Hardy	BBC
<b>MARGARET</b>	Denis Thatcher	James Kent	Great Meadow Productions
<b>CITY OF VICE</b>	Henry Fielding	Justin Hardy	Touchpaper Television
<b>OUR HIDDEN LIVES</b>	B Charles	Michael Samuels	BBC
<b>ELIZABETH I</b>	Lord William Cecil Burghley	Tom Hooper	Company Pictures
<b>SPOOKS</b>	Professor Fred Roberts	Jonny Campbell	BBC
<b>CHARLES II</b>	Sir Edward Hyde	Joe Wright	BBC
<b>CRIME AND PUNISHMENT</b>	Porfiry	Julian Jarrold	BBC

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<b>ALL THE KING'S MEN</b>	Reverend Pierrepont Edwards	Julian Jarrold	WGBH & BBC
<b>GREAT EXPECTATIONS</b>	Jaggers	Julian Jarrold	WGBH & PBS
<b>AN UNSUITABLE JOB FOR A WOMAN</b>	Ronald Callender	Ben Bolt	Ronald Callender
<b>TOUCHING EVIL</b>	Professor Ronald Hinks	Julian Jarrold	United Film & Television Prods
<b>REBECCA</b>	Coroner	Carlton Television	Carlton Television
<b>HILLBOROUGH</b>	Dr Popper	Charles McDougall	Granada for ITV
<b>COLD LAZARUS</b>	Oliver Morse	Renny Rye	BBC
<b>KARAOKE</b>	Oliver Morse	Renny Rye	BBC
<b>ANNIE: A ROYAL ADVENTURE</b>	Doctor Eli Eon	Ian Toynton	Rastar Productions & ABC
<b>HEART OF DARKNESS</b>	Doctor	Nicolas Roeg	TNT
<b>SELECTED EXITS</b>	George Devine	Tristram Powell	Masterpiece Theatre & PBS
<b>THE YOUNG INDIANA JONES CHRONICLES</b>	Professor Levi	Nicholas Roeg	Amblin Entertainment & ABC
<b>CHERNOBYL: THE FINAL WARNING</b>	Dr Vatisenko	Anthony Page	TNT
<b>INSPECTOR MORSE</b>	Hugo De Vries	Danny Boyle	UTV
<b>PITY IN HISTORY</b>	Murgatroyd	Sarah Pia Anderson	BBC
<b>THE PROFESSIONALS</b>	Mikey Hamilton	William Brayne	LWT for ITV
<b>LAST NIGHT ANOTHER DISSIDENT</b>	Fedka	Michael Darlow	ITV Playhouse