

CV & Biography



SARAH & LIZZIE DAYKIN TV / Comedy

Sarah and Lizzie are Sunday Times-bestselling writers and comedians, currently developing a number of scripted projects both self-generated and as part of writers' rooms. Their work has been optioned by multiple production companies.

Their *Mr Men For Grown-Ups* parody book series has topped bestseller lists and has been published internationally. 2021 saw the release of the 10th volume in the series.

They have been working as lead writers on an exciting women-led TV sitcom project, TellHerVision, working with showrunner Joanna Scanlan. Sarah and Lizzie co-created the platform in conjunction with ERA 50:50 and ScreenSkills, bringing together eight talented women writers from across the UK to build a new comedy show.

Their live shows as darkly comic double act *Toby* have been acclaimed at the Edinburgh Fringe (Pleasance), Soho Theatre and the Bloomsbury Theatre, leading to roles in some of the biggest TV comedies of the last decade, including *Fleabag*, *Stath Lets Flats*. *Plebs* and *Gameface*.

Their sketch comedy has appeared on BBC Three as well as regular online viral videos, where they have collaborated with Michael Spicer and Tom Rosenthal. On radio Sarah and Lizzie both recently performed in BBC Radio 4 Comedy *God's Work*, starring Rowan Atkinson. And in the political arena their alter-egos, The Recyclons, are the sidekicks of the intergalactic election crusader Count Binface.

'A rich and real tangle of desperation, debasement and love.' The Guardian $\star\star\star\star$ 'The pacing of these oddball, original sketches is expert.' The Independent $\star\star\star\star$ 'Toby are poles apart from the peppy revue offered elsewhere.' Fest $\star\star\star\star\star$

Selected Credits

BOOKS

Mr Men For Grown-Ups – Les Joies de Noël en Famille

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Little Miss Mum-To-Be

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Mr. Grumpy Nails Fatherhood



Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Little Miss Busy Surviving Motherhood

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Mr. Happy And The Office Party

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Little Miss Lucky Is Getting Married

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Little Miss Shy Goes Online Dating

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Mr. Greedy Eats Clean To Get Lean

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Madame La Boss

Mr Men For Grown-Ups - Monsieur Madame La Crise De La Quarantaine

TV

2021 **TellHerVision** – Co-creators of all-women writer's room with

showrunner Joanna Scanlan

2013 Live at the Electric – Writers/Performers

2010 **Dick and Dom's Funny Business** – Writers/Performers

Numerous projects optioned and developed by companies including Objective Productions, Channel X, Brown Eyed Boy, Rumpus Media

LIVE COMEDY

2017	Toby at The Vaults – Vaults Festival
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Fuzzbuzz – Soho Theatre / Pleasance Courtyard / Machynlleth

Festival

2011 Lucky – Soho Theatre / Pleasance Courtyard



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Invisible Dot New Wave Tour - Bloomsbury Theatre, Leeds Seven Arts, Brighton Old Market, Reading South Street, Sheffield Library

ONLINE

2015 Olly and Sophie - 3-part series for Youtube produced by Turtle

Canyon Media

2014 The Toby Tree – 3-part series for BBC Comedy Online, produced by

BBC Studios

2010 The Girl Who Loved Big Brother – Channel 4 Short for 'This Just

In' strand

Baby Boom - Comedy short for BBC Comedy Online, produced by

Rough Cut