

# Tyrell Williams

Writer / Director

Tyrell Williams is an award-winning writer and director for theatre, film, and television. His first play RED PITCH, directed by Daniel Bailey, completed its sold-out run at Bush Theatre in 2022. The play transferred to the West End at Soho Place in 2024. A screen adaptation is currently in development with Fudge Park. Tyrell co-created, co-wrote, and directed the viral web series #HoodDocumentary in 2015, which has amassed over 4 million views on YouTube. Following its online acclaim, #HoodDocumentary was commissioned for BBC Three, which Tyrell directed and co-wrote. Tyrell has other original television scripts in development with Fudge Park and Paramount Studios. He is currently under commission to Eleanor Llyod Productions for an original play, ESCALATE.

Tyrell was on the BAFTA Elevate scheme in 2018 and recognized as a Broadcast Hotshot in 2016.

## **Writing for Theatre**

2024 **RED PITCH** Soho Place, West End

2022/23 **RED PITCH** Bush Theatre

Stage Debut Award 2022 win for Best Writer Evening Standard Theatre Award 2022 win for

most promising playwright George Devine Award 2022 win Offie Award 2023 win for Best New Play

Critics Circle Theatre Award win for Most Promising Playwright 2023

THE CAFÉ The Last Word Film Festival

2018 PMQ'S NYT Epic Stages

2017 **SEVERAL STOREYS** Local Book (Southwark)

### **Directing for Theatre**

2017 STUCK Fresh Direction Project

Written by Karen Maine

2017 THE UNKNOWN ISLAND Gate Theatre

Assistant Director to Ellen McDougall

Written by Ellen McDougall and Joe Saramago

#### Screen & Digital

2022/23 Apple TV+ Comedy Paramount Studios & Apple TV+

As Staff Writer

2023 **WEB SERIES** (in development) Fudge Park

2023	RED PITCH (in development)	Fudge Park
2016	#HOOD DOCUMENTARY	Fudge Park & BBC Three
2015	#HOOD DOCUMENTARY	YouTube Series
2016	CHRIS KONGO DOCUMENTARY	YouTube
2015	CHOICES (Short film)	BFI & Legacy Media Institute

## Other Experience

Tyrell has shadowed directors Nick Murphy on A CHRISTMAS CAROL (BBC One/FX), Al Campbell on DRIFTERS (E4) and Chris Cottam on CARTERS GET RICH (Sky One). He has a 1<sup>st</sup> class honours degree in Creative Writing and Journalism from Middlesex University.