



EMILY WATSON HOWES

Emily Watson Howes is a writer, director and performer working in radio, television and theatre. She is the sole writer for The Umbrella Birds, a four woman sketch comedy group, and most recently wrote and recorded The Ladies, a four part series for Hat Trick and BBC Radio 4. Emily is also the Artistic Director of 'You Need Me', a multinational storytelling theatre company whose work has been nominated for both Total Theatre and Stage awards and gained widespread recognition in the national press. The company are currently developing new work with the BAC, and will be touring the UK with How It Ended in 2009.

In addition to running The Umbrella Birds and You Need Me, Emily writes and performs on her own, with recent acting credits including The Nearside for BBC Radio 4.

DETAILS

Location: London
Height: 5'8"
Playing Age: 20 - 30 years
Role Types: White
Eye Colour: Brown
Hair Colour: Brown
Hair Length: Short

SKILLS

Accents & Dialects: (* = native)
 American-Standard, Australian, Cardiff, Cockney, Cornwall, Essex, French, Northern, RP*, Russian

Languages: (* = mother tongue)
 English*, French

Performance:
 Sketch and character comedy, Theatre, Physical Theatre, Voiceover and Narration

Vehicle Licences: Car

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RADIO

The Ladies, Hat Trick for BBC Radio 4, 2008
Writer and Performer

The Nearside, BBC Wales for BBC Radio 4, 2008
Performer

LIVE

The Umbrella Birds in 'Gym', Edinburgh Festival 2008
Writer and Performer

The Umbrella Birds in 'WC', Edinburgh Festival 2007

THEATRE

You Need Me's 'How It Ended', Edinburgh Festival 2008
Director

You Need Me's 'Certain Dark Things', The Cut, May 2008
Director

You Need Me's 'How It Ended', Camden People's Theatre,
January 2008
Director