

Arwyn Davies

Curriculum Vitae



Born into a theatrical family in South Wales, Arwyn's career began at the Grand Theatre Swansea in 1985 where he was employed as assistant stage manager.

He subsequently followed in his father's footsteps and became an actor, working in both English and Welsh languages, eventually joining the regular cast members of the Welsh language soap Pobl Y Cwm at S4C.

He received his first commission as composer in 1993, writing an original score for Shivers, a series of children's ghost stories screened by S4C. This was quickly followed by the Bafta award winning animation series Gogs for BBC2, and in 1998 was commissioned by Aaargh Animation to compose and record a full symphonic score for the 30 min Christmas special Gogwana, a joint BBC and S4C production.

Further projects have included collaboration with the Taiwanese composer R.Huang on the Mike Mort animation Animated Tales of the World, original songs and incidental music for S4C's Christmas light entertainment programmes, and a commission from Boomerang Productions for a series of Light Entertainment programmes which began with Lolipop Steddfod 01 again for S4C.

Recent commissions include original music for a series of educational programmes for Teledu Avanti entitled Clef & Chleff, songs for Ffilmiau Eryri's situation comedy Naw tan Naw, a score for Fflic TV's reality show Cariad @ Iaith, and Darlyn Byw for Cwmni Da, both productions due for transmission on S4C later this year.

He is currently working on a light entertainment Welsh language production for Cwmni Da, which will air on S4C this Autumn.

Arwyn has an excellent state of the art studio at his Cardiff home, featuring the latest digital recording equipment, top quality instrumental samples and full synchronising facilities for frame – perfect music scoring.

He would welcome the opportunity to discuss with directors and producers their individual project needs, and be very happy to submit compositions written to brief for their further consideration if requested.