

John Olohan



John Olohan is one of Ireland's best-known actors. He was recently seen on stage playing the role of Michael James Flaherty in *PLAYBOY OF THE WESTERN WORLD* directed by Aaron Monaghan for Livin Dred Theatre Company. Other Recent Theatre credits include the role of Sean Dota in *SIVE* directed by Andrew Flynn for The Gaiety Theatre. Further stage credits include Janet Moran's play *QUAKE* which featured as part of The Dublin Theatre Festival. He was a member of the Abbey Theatre Company for ten years. He has had a long association with Druid Theatre Company, appearing in critically acclaimed productions of *THE SEAGULL*, *THE CHERRY ORCHARD*, *DRUIDMURPHY*, *DRUIDGREGORY* and *DRUIDSHAKESPEARE*.

For the role of 'Byrne' in Druid's production of *BIG MAGGIE* he won the Irish Times Theatre Award for Best Supporting Actor. He has played many roles on TV and film over the years including the role of The Shah in Pat Collins' film of John McGahern's *THAT THEY MAY FACE THE RISING SUN*. He also recently appeared on television in *BORDERLINE*, *HARRY WILD* and the Netflix production of *BODKIN*. He also recently completed filming the short film *WHAT NOW* written and directed by his son Jack Olohan.

Please note that the credits listed below are just a small sample of John's work. Extended CV available upon request.

Playing Age: 60s

Height: 5 ft. 8

TELEVISION

Borderline | Dermot
Bodkin | Barry
Harry Wild | Mossy Sheridan
Christmas at Castle Hart | Fionn
Forever in My Heart | Gerald
Women on the Verge | Gerry
Trial of the Century | John Redmond
The Tudors | Commissioner
Warriors | Postman
Single Handed | Danny
The Clinic | Jim
Showbands II | Judge 1
Ballykissangel | Gerard Lenihan
Amongst Women | Patrick Horan
The Ambassador | Skipper
Making the Cut | Billy Power
Father Ted | Sgt. Deegan
Glenroe | Finbarr

Robert Quinn
Various
Robert Quinn
Stefan Scaini
Steven R. Monroe
Annie Griffin
Maurice Sweeney
Various
Emer Reynolds
Colm McCarthy
Various
Ian Fitzgibbon
Simon Myers
Tom Cairns
Patrick Lau
Martyn Friend
Declan Lowney
Various

Roku
Netflix
Acorn TV and RTÉ
Hallmark
Hallmark
Merman for UKTV & RTÉ
Treasure Entertainment
Showtime / BBC
Belltone Films
ShProductions
Allegro Productions
Townhall Films
BBC
BBC
BBC
RTÉ
Channel 4
RTÉ

FILM

That They May Face The Rising Sun | The Shah
Uncle Silas | Mr Rusk
Bobbie's Girl | Pete
Sweeney Todd | Fence
The Butcher Boy | Mr Nugent
War of the Buttons | Fat Pat's Dad
Fatal Inheritance | Duffy
Rawhead Rex | Dennis Nicholson

Pat Collins
Lisa Mulcahy
Jeremy Kagan
John Schlesinger
Neil Jordan
John Roberts
G. Beaumont
Clive Donner

South Wind Blows
Blue Ink Films
Paramount
World 2000
Warner Bros
Sandove Ltd.
Falcon Fields
Paradise Pictures

THEATRE

Playboy of the Western | Michael James Flaherty
Sive | Sean Dota
Quake | Ensemble
The Seagull | Cousin Gregory
DruidGregory | Various
The Cherry Orchard | Firs
Richard III | Stanley / Murderer 2 / Archbishop of York
The Thing About December | Ensemble
The Cripple of Inishmaan | Doctor
Richard III | King Edward IV / Bishop of Ely
King of the Castle | Joady Conlon
The Chastitute | Sylvester

Aaron Monaghan
Andrew Flynn
Connell Morrison
Garry Hynes
Garry Hynes
Garry Hynes
Garry Hynes
Andrew Flynn
Andrew Flynn
Garry Hynes
Garry Hynes
Michael Scott

Livin Dred Theatre Company
Gaiety Theatre
Once Off Productions
Druid
Druid
Druid
Druid @ The Lincoln Center
Decadent Theatre Company
The Gaiety Theatre
Druid Theatre Co.
Druid Theatre Co.
The Gaiety

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The Remains of Maisie Duggan | Himself
Big Maggie | Byrne
DruidShakespeare | Mistress Quickly / Cast
A Midsummer Night's Dream | Snug
Borstal Boy | Warder O'Shea/Tubby
Fings Ain't Wot They Use T'Be | Paddy
The Colleen Bawn | Father Tom
A Skull in Connemara | Mick Dowd
Ride On | James "Clatty" Burke
Famine | Dan
Big Maggie | Byrne
Ride On | James "Clatty" Burke
The Silver Tassie | Simon
The Lonesome West | Coleman
The Playboy of the Western World | Michael James
A Christmas Carol | Scrooge
Translations | Hugh O'Neill

Ellen McDougall
Garry Hynes
Garry Hynes
Gavin Quinn
Conall Morrison
Terry Johnson
Garry Hynes
Andrew Flynn
Padraic McIntyre
Garry Hynes
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Garry Hynes
Andrew Flynn
Garry Hynes
Aaron Monaghan
Andrew Flynn

The Abbey Theatre (Peacock Stage)
Druid Theatre Co.
Druid Theatre Co.
Abbey Theatre / Irish National Theatre
The Gaiety Theatre
The Theatre Royal Stratford East
Druid Theatre Co.
Decadent Theatre
Livin Dred Theatre
Druid Theatre Co.
Druid Theatre Co.
Livin Dred Theatre
Druid Theatre Co. (incl. US Tour)
Cork Opera House
Druid Theatre Co.
Livin Dred Theatre
Ouroboros

RADIO

K.L.O for the Doggy | Uncle Batty

Gorretti Slavin

RTÉ Radio Drama on One