

Peter Coonan



Peter was nominated for two awards at the IFTA Awards (2025) for Best Actor and Best Supporting Actor for his work on feature films KATHLEEN IS HERE and KING FRANKIE. Peter just wrapped on feature HOKUM directed by Damian McCarthy which premiered at SXSW in March 2026. Peter also filmed on THE ECHO CHAMBER playing the role of Edward directed by Andrea Pallaoro for Indigo Films. Peter is also currently filming on THE RACHEL INCIDENT for Channel 4 directed by Megan K. Fox and Giulia Gandini.

Other recent film credits include KATHLEEN IS HERE directed by Eva Birthistle for Treasure and the title role of Frankie in KING FRANKIE directed by Dermot Malone for Banjoman Films which premiered at the Dublin Film Festival earlier in 2024 to critical acclaim. Additional notable recent credits are DID YOU HEAR ABOUT ERSKINE FOGARTY? co written by Blindboy Boatclub and BAD SISTERS produced for Apple TV.

Further film credits include the role of Duncan in SURVIVING EARTH for Film 4. Prior to that Peter worked on Lane Daly's TRAD; Merman series BAD SISTERS written by Sharon Horgan and feature film THE GATES directed by Stephen Hall.

He was recently seen in the role of Fionn in AMC Networks' new six-part Irish drama HIDDEN ASSETS and the role of Tomas in Irish Language feature DOINEANN directed by Damian McCann and the role of Connor Dunn in the sixth season of BBC series PEAKY BLINDERS.

He recently appeared in the Abbey Theatre production of THE GREAT HUNGER directed by Caitriona McLaughlin & Conall Morrison.

Other recent credits include the role of Ding Dong in the Paramount/TNT series THE ANGEL OF DARKNESS, the role of Naylor on the BBC series DUBLIN MURDERS, and the role of Paddy in COLD COURAGE for MTG. On stage, he recently played the role of Thomas Novachek in the Rough Magic production of David Ives' VENUS IN FUR directed by Olivia Songer, and the role of Ded Raftery (Nomination for Irish Times Theatre Award for Best Supporting Actor) alongside Lorcan Cranitch and Marie Mullen in Marina's Carr's ON RAFTERY'S HILL, directed by Caitriona McLaughlin for the Abbey Theatre. Recent screen credits include the role of Doggy Mannion opposite Charlie Murphy in the screen adaptation of Kevin Barry's short story DARK LIES THE ISLAND, directed by Ian Fitzgibbon. Other recent projects include the role of Rooster Collins in THE BELLY OF THE WHALE, a feature directed by Morgan Bushe, the lead role of Father Eoin O'Donnell in PENANCE: AITHRÍ directed by Tom Collins and the role of Toss in Nick Kelly's feature THE DRUMMER AND THE KEEPER.

In 2014 Peter won an Irish Film and Television Award for Best Supporting Actor for his role as Fran in the critically acclaimed RTÉ drama LOVE/HATE. *Extended CV available upon request.*

Playing Age: 30 – 40

Height: 5 ft. 11"

Eye Colour: Green

Hair: Light Brown

Music: Baritone

Sport: football, hurling, golf

Language: Fluent Irish, conversational French

FILM

Hokum Mal	Damian McCarthy	Image Nation/Spooky Films
The Echo Chamber Edward	Andrea Pallaoro	Indigo Films
Surviving Earth Duncan	Thea Gajic	Film Four/BFI
Kathleen is Here Rory	Eva Birthistle	Treasure
King Frankie Frankie	Dermot Malone	Banjoman Productions
The Gates George Sheppard	Stephen Hall	Forever Safe Productions
Doineann Tomas	Damian McCann	Doubleband Films
Arracht Corporal Bailey	Tom O'Sullivan	Macalla/ TG4
Dark Lies the Island Doggy Mannion (Lead)	Ian Fitzgibbon	Grand Pictures / Irish Film Board
Penance: Aithrí Fr. Eoin O'Donnell (Lead)	Tom Collins	De Facto Film / Zanzibar Films
The Drummer and the Goalkeeper Toss	Nick Kelly	IFB
Stalker Rudyard	Mark O'Connor	Stalker Films
King of the Travellers Mick 'the Bags' Moorehouse (Lead)	Mark O'Connor	Vico Films
Between the Canals Dots	Mark O'Connor	Irish Film Board
Saltwater Rooney	Conor McPherson	BBC

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TELEVISION

The Rachel Incident | Tom
 Bad Sisters | Ben
 Hidden Assets | Fionn Brannigan
 Peaky Blinders S6 | Connor Dunn
 The Angel of Darkness | Ding Dong
 Cold Courage | Paddy

 Dublin Murders | Naylor
 Love/Hate (S2-5) | Fran
 Quirke: Christine Falls | Brendan Boyle
 Talk It Out | Dr. Garry

Megan K. Fox/ Giulia Gandini Channel 4
 Various Apple TV +
 Thaddeus O'Sullivan AMC Networks/ RTE
 Anthony Byrne BBC/ Caryn Mandabach Productions
 Various Paramount Television
 Agneta Fagerström- MTG/Luminoir
 Olsson/Kadir Balci
 Saul Dibb Element Pictures
 David Caffrey RTÉ
 John Alexander BBC / Element Pictures
 Ian Hunt Duffy RTÉ

THEATRE

The Weir | Finbar
 A Whistle in the Dark | Michael Carney
 The Great Hunger | Ensemble

 Venus in Fur | Thomas Novachek
 On Raftery's Hill | Ded Raftery (**Nominated for Irish Times
 Theatre Award for **Best Supporting Actor***)
 Woyzeck in Winter | Drum Major

 Juno and the Paycock | Jerry Devine
 A View From The Bridge | Marco
 Borstal Boy | Young Brendan Behan
 Philadelphia, Here I Come! | Gar Public
 Desire Under the Elms | Peter

Caitriona McLaughlin The Abbey Theatre
 Jason Byrne The Abbey Theatre
 Caitriona McLaughlin & The Abbey Theatre
 Conall Morrison
 Oliva Songer Rough Magic
 Caitriona McLaughlin The Abbey Theatre

 Conall Morrison Landmark / The Barbican / Galway Int'l
 Arts Festival
 Mark O'Rowe The Gate Theatre
 Joe Dowling The Gate Theatre
 Conall Morrison The Gaiety Theatre
 Andrew Flynn The Lyric Theatre
 Annie Ryan The Corn Exchange