

Tolula Dada

Writer



Tolula Dada is an award-nominated playwright and screenwriter with over a decade's TV experience, spanning drama development and script editing continuing drama and returning series for BBC One, ITV, Sky One and HBO/Cinemax. She began writing as part of Hampstead Theatre's Heat & Light Company and went on to have work showcased at the Off Cut Festival, before her first full-length play, CARROT OR STICK?, was nominated for the 2015 Alfred Fagon Award. Since then she has completed the Royal Court's Introduction to Playwriting Group, a writing residency at Oxford Playhouse, and been selected for the 2019 4Screenwriting Course.

Tolula is developing a number of original series for television, including a series based on best-selling book, SLAY IN YOUR LANE by Elizabeth Uviebinené and Yomi Adegoke with producers SunnyMarch for Sky; and PIRATES with Euston Films.

Last year she served in the writersroom for new series DAY 1'S, from showrunners Doug Ellin (*Entourage*) and Chris Case, which Matthew Vaughn's production company Marv are producing alongside Hera Pictures. Matthew Vaughn (*Kingsman*) is set to direct the pilot. Prior to that she wrote an episode of ITV's GRANTCHESTER (Kudos) and participated in several other writersrooms, including RED ROSE (Eleven/BBC).

Television

| Title | Production Company/Broadcaster | Director |
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| GRANTCHESTER (SE6, E6) | Kudos/ITV | Various |
| RED ROSE | Eleven/BBC | TBC |