# Edinburgh Fringe 2025: Comedy Bella Hull: Doctors Hate Her



Monkey Barrel - Hive 2 July 31 - August 24 @ 1:55pm

'A gifted comedian moving up a gear … I'm excited to see what Hull does next.' . ★★★ Bruce Dessau, Beyond the Joke

Newly single after 7 years, **Bella Hull** (BBC's *Stand Up for Live Comedy,* ITV's *The Stand Up Sketch Show* and *Comedy Central Live*) roams the earth alone and unmedicated. She's alive, she's angsty, and a breakup from a very logical doctor has made her re-evaluate how she was thinking about life. Unrelatedly, she's become very interested in the services of the occult. What if astrologers are right? What if witches are real? What's so bad about believing in magic?

Tackling 'ambitious' subject matter with her 'bubblegum sharp wit' (Chortle), in **Doctors Hate Her**, Bella is saying no to binary thinking and maybe to the spirit-world. A hopeless romantic in a world full of increasingly young incels, she's looking up at the stars, down at her phone, and straight across into a crumbling empire.

She can finally hear her own thoughts, and she doesn't like them one bit.

'Hull is an excellent writer, perceptive on twenty-something angst and patriarchal oppression...with a wickedly dark undercurrent.' The Scotsman Bella Hull is a stand-up comedian and writer. She is one of the UK's most exciting young comedians and her television appearances include BBC's **Stand Up for Live Comedy**, ITV's **The Stand Up Sketch Show** and **Comedy Central Live**.

A hugely acclaimed live act, Bella regularly plays to sold-out crowds both in the UK and abroad. She has taken two critically-acclaimed shows to the Edinburgh Fringe - Babycakes in 2022 and Piggie in 2024 - and has supported **Chelsea Handler**, **Phil Wang**, **Russell Howard** and **Paul Chowdhry** on tour.

Bella also co-hosts the Rats of the Roundtable and Last Night Ever podcasts. As a writer, Bella is working on a script commission with the BBC and has been featured on BBC Radio 4's Newsjack and Flux Magazine.

#### 'Hull is clearly a very talented writer and performer.' ★★★ The Arts Desk

'Bella is a great storyteller and manages to find humour in the darkest of topics.'  $\star \star \star \star$  One4Review

## **'Sensational.'** ★ ★ ★ Deadline News

### 'A wonderful performance...Hull will have you belly laughing throughout.' $\star \star \star$ The Student

'Incredible....Hull feels like a new template for generations to follow' Rolling Stone

'A meticulous wordsmith ... Hull deserves to stand out for the bubblegum sharpness of her wit.' Tim Harding, Chortle.

Chortle's 20th Best Show of 2024

Rolling Stone's 12 Stand-out Shows of Edinburgh Fringe 2024

One of Metro's Fringe 2024 Shows to Remember

Telegraph's Best Jokes of the Fringe 2022 & 2024

**Times Best Jokes of the Fringe 2024** 

Scotsman Best Jokes of the Fringe 2024

Social media links via: <u>https://linktr.ee/bellahull</u> Clips:

Full Listing: Title: Bella Hull: Doctors Hate Her Venue: Monkey Barrel - Hive 2 (Venue no: 313a) Ticket link: https://www.edfringe.com/tickets/whats-on/bella-hull-doctors-hate-her Dates & time: July 31 - August 24 @ 1:55pm Press from: Friday 1st August Age: 16+ Duration: 60 minutes Entry: from £7

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