Edinburgh Fringe 2025: Comedy

Burt Williamson: 104kg of Pure Banter



Carte Blanch - Voodoo Rooms August 2nd - 24th @ 3:05pm

'Unguessable... a great joy wrapped up in a big laugh'

★★★ Scotsman

104kg of Pure Banter is **Burt Williamson**'s exciting fresh comedy hour, performed daily at the iconic Voodoo Rooms in New Town, Edinburgh.

In a world increasingly enthusiastic for labels and diagnosis, Burt Williamson asks: is this truly empowering, or simply more fuel for the anxiety fire? Then he tackles one of the heaviest topics in comedy - himself.

Are his neuroses worthy of a trip to a therapist? Or, in 2025, is TikTok the more appropriate place to seek reassurance on identity and one's place in the world?

Drawing on a range of hilarious anecdotes and razor-sharp observations from his own life - from food, to fear to traffic lights - Burt puts the whole of society on the therapist's chaise longue to scrutinise his preconceptions and invite the audience to engage with, and laugh at, their own.

Sewn together with his trademark comedic aplomb and know-it-all charm, this is a riotous hour from an act quickly establishing himself as a poorly kept secret among comedy fans (and therapists).

'Seeing the world through his eyes is joyfully entertaining' ★★★ Entertainment Now

Burt Williamson is a stand-up comedian, improviser and comedy producer based in Bristol. Simultaneously silly and serious, smart and stupid, Burt packs dense punchlines with a goofy know-it-all charm. At the forefront of a new and exciting generation of comics emerging from Bristol, Burt leads the charge on a new wave of talent in British comedy.

As seen on NextUp, heard on BBC Bristol, BBC Oxford, Wired Radio, Burt has provided tour support for Finlay Christie, Jamie Hutchinson, Kieran Hodgson, Marc Jennings and Chelsea Birkby. He self-produced his debut hour of comedy, 200 IQ Audience Only, as a comedy special on YouTube. His second hour, Riding Bareback Through Your Mind, will be released later this year. Burt has written for Mock the Week as well as some of the biggest names in comedy and has provided TV warm-up for Disney+ (National Geographic).

Burt is part of the teams behind The Bristol Comedy Festival and The Gaffe Comedy Club, Bristol's only purpose-built comedy club which launched in early 2025, where he is the main resident MC.

'Definitely one to watch'
Chortle

'Absurd and excellent'
Rife Magazine

'Affable and poised'
★★★★ Bristol365

★★★★ Ed Fringe Review

Social media and clips via: https://linktr.ee/burtcomedian

Full Listing:

Title: Burt Williamson: 104kg of Pure Banter **Venue:** Carte Blanche - Voodoo Rooms

Ticket link: https://www.edfringe.com/tickets/whats-on/104kg-of-pure-banter

Fringe Venue Number:

Dates & time: August 1-25 @ 3:05pm

Press from: Friday 1st August

Age: 18+ (Restriction)

Duration: 55 minutes

Entry: Free - non-ticketed

High resolution press images available **HERE**

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