

Tamsin Greig

Tamsin graduated from Birmingham with a BA in Drama and Theatre Arts in 1988

Why she is outstanding

Performances in cult comedies *Black Books* and *Green Wing* made the award-winning actress a household name. Her acting credits range from from The Lenny Henry Show to The Diary of Anne Frank, Jane Austen's *Emma*, *People Like Us*, *Dr Who* and *Love Soup* and she is the sultry voice of Debbie Aldridge in Radio 4's *The Archers*.

In 2006, Tamsin returned to the stage after a long absence, winning an Olivier and London Critics' Award for her role as Beatrice in the RSC's *Much Ado About Nothing*. She has also appeared in the West End production of *God of Carnage* and the National Theatre's production of *Gethsemane*, a new play by David Hare which also toured. In early 2010 she played the lead in *The Little Dog Laughed* at The Garrick Theatre in London.

Did you know?

Before becoming an actress, Tamsin was an administrator for the Family Planning Association.