



MICHAEL COCHRANE

THEATRE

WITNESS FOR THE PROSECUTION (2024) 'Mr Justice Wainwright' Dir. Lucy Bailey [Eleanor Lloyd Productions and Rebecca Stafford Productions @ County Hall]

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TWELFTH NIGHT 'Sir Andrew Aguecheek' Dir. Christopher Luscombe [Royal Shakespeare Company]

NELL GWYNN 'Lord Arlington' Dir. Christopher Luscombe [ETT UK Tour & Shakespeare's Globe]

BLITHE SPIRIT 'Dr Bradman' Dir. Tam Williams [The Mill at Sonning]

WHILE THE SUN SHINES 'Duke of Ayr & Sterling' Dir. Christopher Luscombe [Theatre Royal Bath]

WONDERLAND 'Ian MacGregor' Dir. Edward Hall [Hampstead Theatre]

DANDY DICK 'Sir Tristram Mardon' Dir. Christopher Luscombe [Theatre Royal Brighton & Tour]

THE BOMB: A Partial History: CALCULATED RISK 'Attlee' / **SEVEN JOYS** 'Henry' Dir. Nicolas Kent [Tricycle]

THE GREAT GAME: AFGHANISTAN: DURAND'S LINE 'Durand' / **BLACK TULIPS** 'Angry Major' / **HONEY** 'Gary Schroen' Dirs. Nicolas Kent, Indhu Rubasingham, Rachel Grunwald [Tricycle and USA Tour]

IT RUNS IN THE FAMILY 'Dr David Mortimer' Dir. Ron Aldridge [The Mill at Sonning]

BLOODY SUNDAY 'Ford/ Tester' Dirs. Nicolas Kent / Charlotte Westenra [Tricycle Theatre, Grand Opera House Belfast, Millennium Forum Derry and Abbey Theatre Dublin]

Olivier Award Winner: 'Outstanding Achievement in an Affiliate Theatre', 2006

FUNNY MONEY 'Henry Perkins' Dir. Ron Aldridge [The Mill at Sonning]

OVER THE MOON 'George Benson' Dir. Ray Cooney [Old Vic]

BEYOND A JOKE 'Duff Cooper' Dir. Christopher Morahan [English Touring Theatre - No 1 Tour]

THE COLOUR OF JUSTICE Dir. Nicolas Kent [Theatre Royal, Stratford East & Victoria Palace]

DANCE OF DEATH PARTS 1 & 2 'Captain Dawson' Dir. Nicolas Kent [Tricycle Theatre]

NUREMBERG 'Goering' Dir. Nicolas Kent [Tricycle Theatre London]

GLYN AND IT 'Mutters' Dir. Richard Cotterell [Guildford /Tour]

ON APPROVAL 'Duke of Bristol' Dir. David Giles [Guildford/Tour]

MARRIED LOVE 'Humphrey Roe' Dir. Joan Plowright [Wyndhams Theatre]

PRIDE AND PREJUDICE 'Darcy' Dir. Andrew McKinnon

CROWN MATRIMONIAL 'King George' Dir. Roger Redfarn [Tour]

NOISES OFF 'Gary Le Jeune' Dir. Michael Blakemore [Savoy Theatre]

THE ASPERN PAPERS Dir. Peter Dews [Tour]

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THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING EARNEST 'Algernon' [Chichester Festival Theatre] Dir. Peter Dews

THE MERCHANT OF VENICE 'Bassanio' Dir. Michael Meacher [The Old Vic]

LADY WINDERMERE'S FAN 'Lord Darlington' Dir. Val May [Tour]

13 RUE DE L'AMOUR Dir. Peter Dews [Phoenix Theatre London]

TELEVISION

CALL THE MIDWIFE S12 [Neal Street Productions for BBC] 'Sir Brigham' Dir. James Larkin

I HATE YOU [Big Talk Productions for C4] 'Leonard' Dir. Damon Beesley

THE OUTLAWS [Big Talk Productions] – 2 Episodes 'Mr Kingsley' Dir. Stephen Merchant & John Butler

DOCTORS [BBC] – 2 Episodes 'Judge David Tennyson' Dir. Niall Fraser & Isher Sahota

STICKS & STONES [ITV] 'Clayton' Dir. Julia Ford

MAN DOWN S4 [Avalon] 'Dr Baxter' Dir. Al Campbell

DECLINE AND FALL [Tiger Aspect] 'Prosecuting Counsel' Dir. Guillem Morales

THE CROWN – Scientia Polentia Est [Left Bank Pictures] 'Vice Provost Martens' Dir. Stephen Daldry

DOCTORS [BBC TV] 'Tom O'Docherty' Dir. Ian Barnes

AGATHA RAISIN AND THE MURDEROUS MARRIAGE [Mammoth Screen for Sky] 'Sir Desmond Derrington'
Dir. Geoffrey Sax

WE'RE DOOMED! THE MAKING OF DAD'S ARMY {DSP Drama} 'Arnold Ridley' Dir. Steve Bendelack

DOWNTON ABBEY – Series VI & Xmas Special [Carnival] 'Reverend Travis' Dir. Philip John

CRADLE TO GRAVE [ITV Studios] 'Judge' Dir. Sandy Johnson

MAN DOWN – S2 [Avalon] 'Dr Baxter' Dir. Al Campbell

VICIOUS – S2 [Brown Eyed Boy] 'Jasper' Dir. Ed Bye

COALITION [Cuba Pictures] 'Buchanan' Dir. Alex Holmes

THE MUSKETEERS: The Homecoming [BBC TV] 'Judge' Dir. Saul Metzstein

HOLLYOAKS [Lime Pictures] 'Immigration Judge' Dir. Nigel Keen

THE ESCAPE ARTIST [Endor Productions for BBC] 'Judge' Dir. Brian Welsh

PANTO! [Baby Cow for ITV] 'Johnny Darby' Dir. Christine Gernon

DOWNTON ABBEY Series II and III [Carnival] 'Reverend Travis' Dirs. Brian Kelly, Brian Percival, Jeremy Webb

TITANIC – BLOOD AND STEEL [Deangelis] 'Captain Smith' Dir. Ciaran Donnelly

HOLY FLYING CIRCUS [Hillbilly TV] 'Malcolm Muggeridge' Dir. Owen Harris

DOCTORS [BBC TV] 'Charles Honeychurch' Dir. Graham Moore

NEW TRICKS: Lost in Translation [Wall to Wall] 'Daniel Cranagh' Dir. Robin Sheppard

THE BILL [Talkback Thames] 'Howard Walsh' Dir. Alex Pillai

LAW & ORDER: UK [Kudos] 'Judge Burchville' Dir. James Strong

CRIMINAL JUSTICE 2 [BBC TV] 'Felix Crane' Dir. Mark Jobst

HEARTBEAT [ITV Prods] 'Dr Cunningham' Dir. Piotr Szkapiak

MARGARET [Great Meadow] 'Alan Clark' Dir. James Kent

MUTUAL FRIENDS [Hat Trick] 'Judge' Dir. Jim O'Hanlon

SHARPE'S PERIL [Sharpe Films] 'General Sir Henry Simmerson' Dir. Tom Clegg

MUMBAI CALLING [Allan Mckeown Presents Ltd] 'Sir Rupert de Beer' Dir. Kabir Akhtar

TO THE MANOR BORN – XMAS SPECIAL [BBC TV] 'Archie Pennington Booth' Dir. Gareth Gwenlan

THE LONG WALK TO FINCHLEY [Great Meadow] 'Sir Waldron Smithers' Dir. Niall MacCormick

MY SPY FAMILY [Kindle Entertainment] 'Lord Bollingstock' Dir. David Sant

DOCTORS [BBC TV] 'Tom Barclay' Dir. Steve Hughes

SUEZ [BBC TV] 'Selwyn Lloyd' Dir. Peter Molloy

THE WORST CHRISTMAS OF MY LIFE [Hat Trick] 'Rupert Bledlow' Dir. Mark Bussell/ Justin Sbresni

WIRE IN THE BLOOD [Coastal Productions] 'Judge Hynes' Dir. A.J. Quinn

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TELEVISION cont.

SHARPE'S CHALLENGE [Saturn Films] 'General Sir Henry Simmerson' Dir. Tom Clegg
SHARPE'S REGIMENT/ SHARPE'S SWORD/ SHARPES EAGLES [Sharpe Film Ltd]
'Major Sir Henry Simmerson' Dir. Tom Clegg
H.G. WELLS – A Life in Pictures [Wall to Wall] 'Lord Northcliffe' Dir. James Kent
HEARTBEAT [YTV Granada] 'Mr Quinn' Dir. Judith Dine
THE BRIEF [Granada TV] 'Robin Cazalet' Dir. Minkie Spiro
IN PRAISE OF HARDCORE [BBC TV] 'Lord Lyttleton' Dir. Chris Durlacher
THE GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR [Mentorn] 'Sir Richard Dearlove' Dir. Peter Kosminsky
Royal Television Society Award Winner: 'Best Single Drama', 2005
BAFTA Award Winner: 'Best Drama', 2006
MONARCH OF THE GLEN [Ecosse] 'Colonel Ford' Dir. Rob Knights
DOCTORS [BBC TV] 'Rowland Bryant' Dir. Christiana Ebohon
WHO KILLED CHARLES BRAVO? [Touchpaper TV] 'Dr Gully' Dir. Michael Samuels
HOLBY CITY [BBC TV] 'John Dunne' Dir. James Strong
MURPHY'S LAW [Tiger Aspect] 'Curtis Livingston' Dir. Ed Fraiman
JONATHAN CREEK [BBC TV] 'Owen Glendower' Dir. Sandy Johnson
ROSEMARY & THYME [Carnival] 'Franklin Danvers' Dir. Tom Clegg
MAD ABOUT ALICE [Tandem Ents] 'Headmaster' Dir. Gareth Carrivick
REVERSALS [Box TV] 'Barry' Dir. David Evans
SPOOKS II [Kudos] 'Ross Vaughan' Dir. Sam Miller
KEEN EDDIE [Paramount] 'Mr Pippin Snr' Dir. Paul Shapiro
THE FALKLANDS PLAY [BBC 4] 'Ridley' Dir. Michael Samuels
THE CRY [Sally Head Prods] 'Nathaniel Wakely' Dir. David Drury
SWALLOW [Box TV] 'Farley' Dir. Adrian Shergold
A TOUCH OF FROST - MISTAKEN IDENTITY [YTV] 'HMI Mr Barbock' Dir. Roger Bamford
LEE EVANS' SO WHAT NOW? [BBC TV] 'Heather's Father' Dir. Tony Dow
MICAWBER [YTV] 'Lord Edward' Dir. Adrian Shergold
THE INNOCENT [YTTTV] 'Harold Haig' Dir. Sarah Harding
INNOCENTS [United Prods] 'Chairman Sir Donald Irvine' Dir. Peter Kosminsky
FISH [BBC/Principal Pics 1 ep] 'Blackstead' Dir. Claire Winyard.
PERFECT WORLD I & II [Tiger Aspect] 'Marketing Director' Dir. Mark Chapman
LONGITUDE [Granada] 'Waddington' Dir. Charles Sturridge
BIG BAD WORLD [Carlton] 'George' Dirs. Piers Haggard, Sandy Johnson & Udayan Prasad
NANCHERROW [Portman Ent Group] 'Sir George Rawlings' Dir. Simon Langton
THE AMBASSADOR II [Mazeed Ltd] 'Harston' Dir. A. J. Quinn
THE UNINVITED [Zenith Prods] 'Oliver Brown' Dir. Norman Stone
THE BROKER'S MAN [Bentley Prods] 'Cecil Addison' Dir. Roger Gartland
BECK [BBC TV] Dir. Ken Grieve
SIMISOLA - RUTH RENDELL [Blue Heaven Prods] 'Swithun Riding' Dir. Jim Goddard
THE CHIEF [Anglia TV 4 series] 'Nigel Crimmond' Dir. A. J. Quinn, Rick Stroud, Brian Farnham, Roger Gartland, Tom Cotter
A DANGEROUS MAN - Lawrence After Arabia [Sands Films] 'Churchill' Dir. Chris Menaul
A MURDER OF QUALITY [Portobello Productions] 'Charles Hecht' Dir. Gavin Millar

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Michael's long and varied television career includes leading roles in:

WINGS / LOVE IN A COLD CLIMATE / KING'S ROYAL / THE CITADEL / FORTUNES OF WAR / THE CHELWORTH INHERITANCE / MASTER OF INNOCENTS / PIE IN THE SKY / THE DARLING BUDS OF MAY / TAGGART / THE BILL / WYCLIFFE / HEARTBEAT / 99-1 / THE TWO RONNIES / SHELLEY / DEAR JOHN / JUST HIS LUCK / KEEPING UP APPEARANCES / NO JOB FOR A LADY

FILM

LIVING [Number 9 Films] 'Sir James' Dir. Oliver Hermanus
THE IRON LADY [DJ Films] 'William' Dir. Phyllida Lloyd
THE HEADSMAN [Allegro Films] 'Cardinal' Dir. Simon Aeby
A DIFFERENT LOYALTY [Forum Films] 'Dick Madsen' Dir. Marek Kaniévská
MORE IS LESS [Short Film] 'Quizmaster' Dir. Andy Lambert
THE SAINT [Paramount] 'Kessler' Dir. Philip Noyce
INCOGNITO [Morgan Creek Prods] 'Det Insp Deeks' Dir. John Badham
THE FAR PAVILIONS 'Crimpley' Dir. Peter Duffell
RETURN OF THE SOLDIER [Skreba Films] 'Stephen' Dir. Alan Bridges
ESCAPE TO VICTORY [Paramount Pictures] 'The English – Farrell' Dir. John Huston

RADIO

Michael has played 'Oliver Sterling' in BBC Radio 4's **THE ARCHERS** since 2000. He has also recorded numerous plays, serials and readings for broadcast on BBC Network Radio.