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BIOGRAPHY

Russell T Davies
Showrunner, Executive Producer, Writer

Acclaimed writer and producer Russell T Davies serves as showrunner, executive producer and writer of the upcoming season of "Doctor Who," streaming Friday, May 10 on Disney+ where available.

Davies returns to the series following his tenure as showrunner and head writer from 2005-2010, during which he received a BAFTA Award and three BAFTA Award nominations. Davies is credited with reviving the legendary series as well as implementing the now-traditional Christmas specials. He also created and helmed the "Doctor Who" spinoff series "Torchwood" and "The Sarah Jane Adventures."

Davies has created many award-winning series, including "Queer as Folk," "It's a Sin," "A Very English Scandal," "Bob & Rose," "Casanova," "Century Falls," "The Second Coming," "Nolly," "The Grand," "Years and Years," "Cucumber," "Banana" and "Tofu."

Davies has received numerous awards, including three BAFTA Awards (1997, 2006, 2015), the Dennis Potter Award at BAFTA for Writing Services to Television (2006), the Writers' Guild of Great Britain Award for Outstanding Contribution to Writing (2015), the Outstanding Achievement Award at the Edinburgh TV Festival (2017), and a Lifetime Achievement Award from The Royal Television Society at the RTS Programme Awards (2021). He is a fellow of the Royal Society of Literature and was awarded an OBE in the Queen's 2008 Birthday Honours list for services to drama.

Born in Swansea, Wales, Davies is a graduate of Oxford University.