

## Alun Cochrane

Award Winning Comedian

Award winning stand-up comedian Alun Cochrane has appeared on a range of popular TV shows including *Michael McIntyre's Comedy Roadshow*, *Mock The Week*, *Dave's One Night Stand*, *Never Mind The Buzzcocks*, *Have I Got News For You*, and *8 Out Of 10 Cats*. He recently starred in the sitcom *Trying Again* with Chris Addison on Sky Living.

Alun wrote and starred in Radio 4 series *Alun Cochrane's Fun House*, offering listeners a room-by-room stand up tour of his home. Alun is co-host of *The Frank Skinner Show* on Absolute Radio, for which he has received a 2012 Arqiva Award nomination for Best Newcomer. The show also won a Sony Award in 2011 for Best Entertainment Programme and was nominated again this year. Other radio credits include *The Now Show*, *Just A Minute*, *Dilemma*, *Loose Ends*, and *Lee Mack And Friends*.

Alun is an Edinburgh regular, earning himself four and five star reviews to go alongside the Writer's Guild Award for Comedy. In 2011 he took his show, *Alun Cochrane: Moments Of Alun*, to the festival to great acclaim. The show also toured in 2012.

Alun is a master at observational comedy, telling tales about eating, sleeping, daydreaming, driving, being a son, father, brother, husband, friend, mortgage-holder, clothes-wearer, car-owner, radio-listener, train-traveller, door-opener (and closer), alcohol-consumer, hangover-sufferer, newspaper flicker-through-er, occasional football watcher, and general liver of life. In short; he gets material from anywhere he wanders in mind or body.