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DAVE HUGHES

COMEDIAN / BROADCASTER / PRESENTER

Natural and unmistakably Australian, Hughsey's laconic style thinly disguises one of this country's fastest comedic minds. Turning everyday foibles into rich and hilarious routines has made Hughsey the biggest name in Australian comedy.

For 12 years Hughsey made up one half of Melbourne's Nova breakfast team and for 5 years he co-hosted Network Ten's The Project, not to mention 10 years on Ten's AFL show Before the Game.

While he never left stand-up behind, in late 2013 Dave shocked Australia by announcing that he would be giving up his radio and television jobs to go back to his roots touring a brand-new stand up show for an entire year. That show, Pointless sold over 60,000 tickets and went to every corner of Australia as well as overseas to LA, Montreal, the Edinburgh Fringe and Soho Theatre in London's west end.

In 2015 Dave returned to the airwaves with long time co-host Kate Langbroek in a national drive radio program and you can hear Hughsey and Kate on HIT FM nationally from 4.30 to 6.30pm.

Dave's television show Hughsey We Have a Problem, where Australia can have their problems solved by Hughsey and his expert panel of problem solvers, premiered on Network Ten in early 2018 to rave reviews from critics and audiences.

Its first season was extended by the network not long after its debut due to popular demand and his second season broadcast in early 2019.

Dave has also just been announced as one of the judges for Network Ten's new format The Masked Singer, alongside Lindsay Lohan, Dannii Minogue and Jackie O, where this musical crack unit of detectives will watch 12 celebrities take the stage beneath bizarre disguises and try to unearth just who is behind the mask.

"[a] laconic comic genius" Herald Sun

★★★★★ Sunday Mail

"Dave Hughes is a comedy institution in this town. And it's easy to see why."
- Herald Sun 4.5 stars

"Dave Hughes' wide crooked teeth smile and casual ocker charm kept the crowd howling like drains" Mikey Cahill, Herald Sun

'Dave Hughes is Brilliant' The Australian

"...one hilarious dude... 70 minutes of relentlessly entertaining sarcasm and self-deprecation" The Age

“Hughes has become one of the most appealing, and most powerful, comics around.” Sydney Morning Herald

“Dave Hughes is one of the funniest men in a city that has produced many of Australia’s funniest people.” Sunday Telegraph, Sydney

TELEVISION

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| 2019 | Network Ten | <i>The Masked Singer</i> (Judge) |
| 2019 | Network Ten | <i>Celebrity Name Game</i> (Guest) |
| 2019 | ABC TV | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Gala</i> (Comedy Spot) |
| 2018-19 | Network Ten | <i>Hughesy, We Have A Problem</i> (Host) |
| 2018 | ABC TV | <i>Tomorrow Tonight</i> (Panellist) |
| 2018 | Channel Nine | <i>The 59th Annual TV Week Logie Awards</i> (Stand-up/Opening) |
| 2018 | ABC TV | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Oxfam Gala</i> (Comedy Spot) |
| 2017 | Network Ten | <i>CRAM</i> (Guest Panellist) |
| 2017 | Network Ten | <i>All Star Family Feud</i> – Hughes’s v Langbroek’s |
| 2017 | ABC TV | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Opening Night Gala</i> (Comedy Spot) |
| 2017 | Channel Nine | <i>The 59th Annual TV Week Logie Awards</i> (Stand-Up/Opening) |
| 2017 | ABC ME | <i>Stand & Deliver</i> (Comedy Spot – For Kids) |
| 2015-17 | Channel Nine | <i>The Footy Show</i> (Regular/panellist) |
| 2014-17 | Network Ten | <i>Have You Been Paying Attention?</i> (Regular Guest) |
| 2016 | Channel Nine | <i>Hughes The Boss</i> (Feature) |
| 2016 | Channel Nine | <i>Postcards</i> (Guest) |
| 2016 | Channel Nine | <i>The 58th Annual TV Week Logie Awards</i> (Stand-up) |
| 2016 | Channel Nine | <i>Australia’s Got Talent</i> (Host) |
| 2016 | Network Ten | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Oxfam Gala</i> (Stand up) |
| 2016 | Comedy Channel | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival’s Big Three-Oh!</i> (Stand-up) |
| 2015-16 | Comedy Channel | <i>Just For Laughs at the Sydney Opera House</i> (Stand up) |
| 2015 | ABC TV | <i>Stop Laughing This Is Serious</i> (Interview guest) |
| 2015 | Channel Nine | <i>The 57th Annual TV Week Logie Awards</i> (Stand-up/Opening) |
| 2015 | Network Ten | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Gala</i> (Stand-up) |
| 2014-15 | ABC TV | <i>Media Circus</i> (Guest) |
| 2014 | ABC TV | <i>Julia Zemiro’s Home Delivery</i> (Interview Guest) |
| 2014 | Channel 7 | <i>Just for Laughs Special</i> (Guest) |
| 2014 | Network Ten | <i>The Project</i> (Weekly crosses) |

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| 2014 | ABC TV | <i>Spicks and Specks</i> (Guest – 3 episodes) |
| 2014 | Comedy Channel (Foxtel) | <i>Best of the Sydney Comedy Festival</i> (stand up) |
| 2014 | Nine Network | <i>2014 TV Week Logies</i> (Presenter) |
| 2014 | ABC TV | Q&A (Guest) |
| 2014 | Network TEN | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Gala</i> (stand up) |
| 2011 – 2013 | Network TEN | <i>The Project</i> (co-host) |
| 2004 - 2013 | Network TEN | <i>Before The Game</i> (Core Cast Member + Writer) |
| 2013 | Network Ten | <i>A League Of Their Own</i> (Guest) |
| 2013 | Network TEN | <i>Melbourne International Comedy Festival Oxfam Gala</i> (Host) |
| 2012 | Network TEN | <i>Scumbus</i> telemovie (Cameo) |
| 2009 – 11 | Network TEN | <i>The 7pm Project</i> (co-host) |
| 2011 | ABC TV | <i>Adam Hills in Gordon St Tonight</i> (guest) |
| 2011 | Network TEN | <i>The 7PM Project – Royal Wedding Special</i> (co-host) |
| 2011 | Network TEN | <i>Talkin' Bout Your Generation</i> (Contestant) |
| 2011 | Network TEN | <i>Gatorade Replay</i> (player) |
| 2010 | Network TEN | <i>The 7PM Project Election Special</i> (co-host) |
| 2010 | Network TEN | <i>The 7PM Project – Commonwealth Games Opening Night Special</i> |
| 2010 | Network TEN | <i>2010 Brownlow Awards</i> (co-host on Blue Carpet) |
| 2010 | Network TEN | <i>Melbourne Comedy Festival Allstars Gala</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |
| 2010 | Network TEN | <i>2010 Superbowl broadcast</i> (commentator) |
| 2009 | Network TEN | <i>Are You Smarter Than A 5th Grader?</i> (celebrity contestant) |
| 2009 | Channel Seven | <i>Thank God You're Here</i> (contestant) |
| 2009 | ABC TV | <i>Spicks and Specks</i> (contestant) |
| 2009 | Network TEN | <i>Melbourne Comedy Festival Gala</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |
| 2009 | Nine Network | <i>2009 Logies Awards</i> (presenter) |
| 2009 | Network TEN | <i>Good News Week</i> (Panellist) |
| 2009 | Network TEN | <i>2009 Superbowl broadcast</i> (commentator) |
| 2009 | ABC TV | <i>Spicks and Specks</i> (Contestant) |
| 2007-2009 | Network TEN | <i>ROVE</i> (Core Cast Member) |
| 2007-2008 | ABC TV | <i>Spicks + Specks</i> (contestant) |
| 2007 | Network TEN | <i>ROVE LIVE from Los Angeles</i> (Core cast member) |
| 2007 | Network TEN | <i>Thank God You're Here</i> (Contestant) |
| 2007 | Network TEN | <i>The TAC Grand Final Breakfast</i> (Host) |
| 2007 | ABC TV | <i>The Sideshow</i> (Stand Up Spot) |
| 2007 | Nine Network | <i>2007 Logies Awards</i> (Key Presenter) |

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| 2007 | Nine Network | 20-1 (Interview) |
| 2007 | Nine Network | <i>The Dave Hughes Special</i> |
| 2001 – 2006 | ABC TV | <i>The Glass House</i> (Weekly Cast Member) |
| 2006 | Channel V | <i>ARIA Awards Hall of Fame</i> (Host) |
| 2006 | Network TEN | <i>Australia's Brainiest Comedian</i> (Contestant) |
| 2006 | Network TEN | <i>Rove Live</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |
| 2006 | Nine Network | <i>Temptation – Comedian Special</i> (Guest) |
| 2005-2007 | Network TEN | <i>ARIA Awards</i> (Presenter) |
| 2005 | Network TEN | <i>Seriously Funny</i> (Interview) |
| 2005 | Network TEN | <i>Essendon Vs Carlton</i> (Guest Commentator Wizard Cup) |
| 2004 | ABC TV | <i>Enough Rope with Andrew Denton</i> (Interview) |
| 2004 & 2005 | Nine Network | <i>TV Week Logie Awards</i> (Award Presenter) |
| 2004 | Nine Network | <i>World Comedy Unplugged</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |
| 2003 | Network TEN | <i>After The Game</i> (Panellist with Peter Helliar) |
| 2003 & 2005 | Network TEN | <i>Melbourne Comedy Festival Gala</i> (Host) |
| 2002 | ABC TV | <i>Raw Comedy Final</i> (Host with Corinne Grant & Wil Anderson) |
| 2001 – 2006 | Network TEN | <i>Melbourne Comedy Festival Gala</i> (Stand Up Appearance x 4) |
| 2001 | ABC TV | <i>Raw Comedy National Final</i> (Host) |
| 2001 | Network TEN | <i>Rove [Live]</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |
| 2000 – 2001 | Network TEN | <i>GNW Debate</i> |
| 2000 – 2003 | ABC TV | <i>The Fat</i> (Regular Panellist) |
| 2000 | thecomedychannel | <i>The Java Lounge</i> (Weekly Segment) |
| 2000 | Network TEN | <i>Good News Week</i> (Regular Panellist) |
| 2000 | Nine Network | <i>The Russell Gilbert Show</i> (Stand Up Appearance/Special Reports) |
| 1999 – 2000 | Nine Network | <i>Melbourne Comedy Festival Gala</i> (Stand Up Appearance x 2) |
| 1999 – 2001 | thecomedychannel | <i>The Big Smooze</i> (Various Interviews & Panel Appearances) |
| 1999 | Seven Network | <i>World Cup Comedy</i> |
| 1998 | Nine Network | <i>Hey Hey it's Saturday</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |
| 1997 | Nine Network | <i>IMT</i> (Stand Up Appearance) |

RADIO

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| 2018 - 2019 | HIT Network | Drive with Hughesy and Kate |
| 2015 - 2017 | KIIS and Mix FM | Drive with Hughesy and Kate |
| 2002 – 2013 | NOVA 100 | Breakfast with Hughesy and Kate |

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| 2001 | Triple M Melbourne | <i>The Dave and Dave Show</i> (Host with Dave O'Neil - Saturday Mornings) |
| 2000 | Triple M (National) | Regular Segment |
| 1999 – 2000 | Triple R | <i>The Breakfasters</i> (Regular Segment) |
| 1999 – 2000 | Triple M Melbourne | <i>Crud</i> (Regular Segment) |

LIVE SHOWS

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| 2019 | <i>Hairy</i> – Solo Show Adelaide Fringe Festival, Brisbane Comedy Festival, Hobart Spiegel tent, Canberra Comedy Festival, Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Wollongong Spiegel tent, Caloundra, Noosa, Gold Coast Spiegel tent, Perth Comedy Festival, Newcastle Spiegel tent, Sutherland, Soho Theatre London, Horizon Festival Sunshine Coast |
| 2018 | <i>The Snorkeler</i> – Solo Show Perth Fringe World, Adelaide Fringe Festival, Brisbane Comedy Festival, Hobart Spiegel tent, Canberra Comedy Festival, Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Wollongong Spiegel tent, Wagga Wagga Comedy Festival |
| 2018 | <i>Dave Hughes Live</i> – Solo Show Castle Hill, Yarraville Club, Cammeray, Windsor |
| 2017 | <i>Deluded</i> – Solo Show Perth Fringe Festival, Adelaide Fringe Festival, Brisbane Comedy Festival, Canberra Comedy Festival, Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Sydney Comedy Festival, Regional Australian tour |
| 2016 | <i>Sweet</i> – Solo Show Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Adelaide Fringe Festival, Sydney Comedy Festival, Perth Comedy Festival, Regional Australian tour |
| 2016 | <i>Dave Hughes Live</i> – Solo Show Byron Bay Theatre |
| 2015 | <i>Pumped</i> – Solo Show Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Adelaide Fringe Festival, Geelong, Hobart, Campbelltown, Hornsby, Sydney, Coffs Harbour, Ipswich, Mackay, Perth, Brisbane, Pakenham, Dandenong, Darwin. |
| 2014 | <i>Pointless</i> – Solo Show Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Adelaide Fringe Festival, Sydney Comedy Festival, Brisbane, Hobart, Darwin, Canberra, Alice Springs, Edinburgh Fringe Festival, Soho Theatre (London), Regional Australian tour to over 40 venues. |
| 2013 | <i>Freezer Bread</i> - Solo Show Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Eatons Hill Hotel |
| 2012 | <i>The Comeback Tour</i> – Solo show |

- Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Enmore Theatre (Sydney), Adelaide Entertainment Centre, Crown Theatre Perth, Brisbane Convention and Entertainment Centre
- 2012 *Dave Hughes Live, Hottest Headliners*
The Comic's Lounge, Melbourne
- 2010 *Retro – Solo show*
Melbourne International Comedy festival
- 2009 *Dave Hughes Is Handy – Solo Show*
Enmore Theatre - Sydney Comedy Festival, Powerhouse – Brisbane Comedy Festival, Thebarton Theatre – Adelaide Fringe Festival, Comedy theatre - Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 2008 *Cranky – Solo Show*
Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 2007-2008 *Hughesy Goes Bananas – Solo Show*
National Tour
- 2007 *Dave Hughes Live! – Solo show*
Walkabout, London, UK
- 2006 - 2007 *Hughesy Rides Again – Solo Show*
Thebarton Theatre - Adelaide Fringe Festival -, Athenaeum Theatre Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Theatre Royal – Hobart, Princess Theatre – Launceston, The Enmore Theatre - Sydney, Brisbane Convention Centre – Brisbane, Civic Theatre – Newcastle, WIN Entertainment Centre – Wollongong, Regal Theatre – Perth
- 2006 *Dave Hughes Live – Solo Show*
Victorian Regional Tour
- 2005 *Dave Hughes Live – Solo Show*
Victorian Regional Tour
- 2004/05 *Tasty – Solo Show*
The Enmore Theatre – Sydney, Athenaeum Theatre - Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 2003/2004 *High Voltage – Solo Show*
The Enmore Theatre - Sydney, Adelaide Fringe, Melbourne International Comedy Festival, The Octagon Theatre - Perth, The Tivoli Theatre & Brisbane Convention Centre – Brisbane
- 2003 *Massive – Solo Show*
WA Fringe, Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 2002 *Whatever – Solo Show*
Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Sydney Comedy Store
- 2001 *Full On – Solo Show*

- Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Montreal Just For Laughs Comedy Festival
- 2000 *Super Toasty Loaf* – Solo Show
Adelaide Fringe Festival, Melbourne International Comedy Festival, Valhalla Cinema – Sydney
- 1999 *Lying To The Government* - Solo Show
Edinburgh Festival Fringe
- 1999 *Bone Idle* – Solo Show
Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 1998 *Revolution* – Solo Show
Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 1997 *Facing Reality* – Solo Show
Melbourne International Comedy Festival
- 1996 *Hughesy And Friends Are Lying To The Government* – Solo Show
Melbourne International Comedy Festival

AWARDS

- 2013 TV Tonight Awards, Winner: Best Sports Show or Coverage – Before The Game
- 2013 TV Tonight Awards, Winner: Best Light Entertainment – The Project
- 2013 The Project Nominated for a Logie – Most Popular Light Entertainment Program
- 2013 Before The Game Nominated for a Logie - Most Popular Sports Program
- 2012 The Project Nominated for a Logie – Most Popular Light Entertainment Program
- 2012 Before The Game Nominated for a Logie - Most Popular Sports Program
- 2011 Before The Game Nominated for a Logie - Most Popular Sports Program
- 2010 Before The Game Nominated for a Logie - Most Popular Sports Program
- 2009 Nominee for Comedian of the Year – GQ Magazine “Men of the Year” Awards
- 2009 Before The Game Nominated for a Logie - Most Popular Sports Program
- 2007 Winner of ARIA Awards for Best Comedy Release
- 2005 Nominated for Best On-Air Team with Kate Langbroek & Dave O’Neil for the NOVA 100 Breakfast Show – Australian Commercial Radio Awards
- 2003 Award for Outstanding Radio Comedy Performance: Hughesy, Kate and Dave - Australian Comedy Awards
- 2003 Nominated for the Australian Commercial Radio Awards Best On-Air Team with Kate Langbroek & Dave O’Neil for the NOVA 100 Breakfast Show
- 2003 Nominated for the ARIA Best Comedy Album Award for *Whatever*
- 2002 Winner of the RAWARDS Best On-Air Team with Kate Langbroek & Dave O’Neil for the NOVA 100 Breakfast Show
- 2000 Nominated for the Campus Activities Victoria Best Comedy Act Award
- 1999 Nominated for the Stella Award for Best Show at the Melbourne International Comedy Festival for *Bone Idle*
- 1999 Nominated for the Campus Activities Victoria Best Comedy Act Award

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RECORDINGS

- 2014 Release of *Pointless* through Universal Pictures
- 2011 Release of *Double Up Hughesy* DVD double pack of *Handy* and *Live* through Liberation/Warner Music
- 2009 Release of *Dave Hughes is Handy* through Liberation/Warner Music
- 2006 Release of *Dave Hughes Live* through Liberation/Warner Music
- 2006 Release of *The Best of The Glass House (2002-2006)* DVD by ABC Enterprises and distributed through Roadshow Entertainment
- 2002 Release of *Whatever* released through Liberation/Warner Music
- 2001 Release of the *Melbourne Comedy Festival CD* compilation through Rubber Music, distributed by BMG Australia

BOOKS

Alongside his wife, Holly Dave has written three children's books:

- 2018 Scholastic Excuse Me!
- 2018 Scholastic Excuse Me, Santa!
- 2019 Scholastic How ~~Not~~ to Annoy Dad

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