



# Chris Orton

Roleplay Actor / Facilitator / Presenter

## Has worked with:

- PriceWaterhouseCoopers
- Nationwide
- BMW
- NHS
- Education sector
- Shell



## Background

A trained and experienced professional actor with a wide range of other creative and business interests. Has a university background and experience of sales, marketing, purchasing, logistics, customer service and administration. Since 1998, has combined creative and performance work with interest in the training world including roleplay, forum theatre and facilitation. Acting experience has also helped develop a highly engaging and dynamic presenting style.

## Expertise

Role-play acting and facilitation experience since 1998. Strong feedback skills and experienced in adapting to a wide range of environments as a roleplay actor, or managing both roleplay and/or facilitation of a group. Has worked at various levels within organisations, is capable of absorbing a complex or technical written brief, devising bespoke scenarios quickly and coping with multiple characterisations. Acting and work in entertainment industry including theatre, corporate and private events and recorded media. Presenting on camera and in the training and education sector, leading workshops on learning and development. Hosting events and speaking.

## Qualifications & Professional Memberships

- University of Manchester
- RADA
- Equity
- Spotlight

## Interests

Tennis club player, former chairman and captain. Fitness training. Creative writing, the arts, psychology and self-development. Garden landscaping.