

## **Discover the who, what, where and whom of Doctor Doom with MJ Hibbett**

Indie legend MJ Hibbett is taking his hilarious - and rigorously researched - new one-man musical 'Data and Doctor Doom' out on tour this summer.

As the world's leading (also only) academic expert on Doctor Doom, MJ is the ideal person to tell you all you need to know about the next big baddie of the Marvel movies before Robert Downey Jr brings him to the MCU in 'Fantastic Four: First Steps' and 'Avengers: Doomsday'.

The show is an adaptation of his PhD thesis (yes, that makes him a Doctor of Doctor Doom), using songs, slides, jokes and a unified catalogue of transmedia character components to explain how all fictional characters can be understood with stats and why on earth you'd want to do that. You'll come away understanding randomised stratified sampling, dual process theory, and, most importantly of all, why Doctor Doom is better than Batman.

You can catch the show on tour this summer at the Watford Fringe (Pump House Theatre, Saturday 12 July), Buxton Fringe (Underground at Spring Gardens, Tuesday 22 and Wednesday 23 July), Bedford Fringe (Friday 25 July) and Camden Fringe (The Hen & Chickens, Sunday 3 August).

Further information and links to tickets can be found at <https://mjhibbett.co.uk/doom/>

### **Links**

YouTube trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AWBQXTcF1oc>

Website: <https://mjhibbett.co.uk/doom/>

Bluesky: <https://bsky.app/profile/mjhibbett.bsky.social>

Twitter: <https://x.com/mjhibbett>

### **Biography**

MJ Hibbett has performed live on Radio One, had a Record Of The Year in Rolling Stone, an Album Of The Day on 6Music and released one of the first ever viral videos ('Hey Hey 16K'). He's played over a thousand gigs around the UK and Europe and written and performed in multiple Edinburgh Fringe Festival shows. He is co-host of 'The Funny Comics Fan Club' podcast and is the author of the book 'Data and Doctor Doom', published by Palgrave Macmillan.