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Rui Maria Pêgo

portuguese nationality | **1.68cm** height

brown eyes | **brown** hair

[Rui Maria Pêgo](#) is a Portuguese actor and presenter with a solid background in theatre and performance. He holds a Master of Fine Arts in Professional Acting from the Bristol Old Vic Theatre School (UK), complemented by training with international coaches such as Patsy Rodenburg, Jo Kelly, and Diana Castle. His education also includes courses in voice, improvisation, and musical theatre in Portugal, the UK, and the US.

On stage, Rui has performed in a wide range of classical and contemporary works, including *Titus Andronicus*, *The Seagull*, *Lungs*, *Henry VI - Days of Rebellion*, and *Macbeth*, collaborating with directors such as Gemma Fairlie, Derek Bond, and Cátia Pinheiro. He has worked with respected Portuguese companies such as Teatro da Garagem and Teatro da Trindade, and participated in international and experimental productions like *Coelho Branco*, *Coelho Vermelho* and *Disruption*.

In parallel with his acting career, Rui has developed a strong presence in Portuguese media. He began in radio in 2015 as the host of the morning show *Snooze* on Mega Hits. He later co-hosted *Era o Que Faltava* and currently leads *Debaixo da Língua*, a successful weekly interview podcast on Rádio Comercial. He has also presented cultural and entertainment formats for RTP, Canal Q, and BBC Radio Four.

Fluent in Portuguese, English, and Spanish, Rui brings versatility, depth, and cross-media experience to every project, moving seamlessly between theatre, radio, film, and television.

Training

	Course	Coach Institution
2022	Master of Fine Arts in Professional Acting	Bristol Old Vic Theatre School, UK
2021	Voice	Patsy Rodenburg
2020	The Reset Experience	Jo Kelly
2020	Bachelor of Arts in History	Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal
2019	The Lucid Body	Thiago Félix
2018	La Voix	Jorge Parente, Portugal
2018	The Imagined Life Class	Diana Castle, LA
2017	The Imagined Life Introductory	Diana Castle, Portugal
2016	Musical Theatre (Summer intensive)	New York Film Academy, NY
2014	Teatro de Improvisação	Portugal
2012	O Trabalho do Ator	Rui Luís Brás, Portugal

Theatre

	Project	Director Production
2025	Metamorfose	Carlos J. Pessoa Teatro da Garagem
2025	Titus Andronicus	Cátia Pinheiro e José Neves Estrutura
2025	Coelho Branco, Coelho Vermelho	Teatro Maria Matos
2022	Henry VI – Days of Rebellion	Gemma Fairlie Bristol Old Vic Theatre
2022	Macbeth	Geoffrey Brumlik BOVTS Studios
2022	The Seagull	Derek Bond BOVTS Studios
2022	Lungs	Emma Caufield BOVTS Studios
2022	Disruption	Katie Bonna BOVTS Studios
2020	Romeu e Julieta	Luís Gonzaga Moreira
2017	Avenida Q	Rui Melo Teatro da Trindade, Teatro Maria Matos

TV

	Project	Role	Production Chanel
2024	All I Was When I Wasn't Anyone	Voice, Ricardo Reis	BBC3
2023	Erro 404	Fábio	Santa Rita Filmes RTP
2023	Prisma	Bruno	Zé Bernardino e Sónia Balacó RTP
2020	Casa do Cais	António	Promenade RTP
2015	Filho da Mãe	Rui	Canal Q

Cinema

	Project	Role	Director Production
2014	Ruas Rivals	Marivaldo	Márcio Loureiro WTF, ULHT, Connect International

Radio

	Project	Role	Radio Production
2025	Madeira's Drug Crisis	Voice, Dário Sanguedo	BBC Radio Four
2023-presente	Debaixo da Língua, Podcast	Host	Rádio Comercial
2021	Era o que Faltava	Co-host / Interviewer	Rádio Comercial
2015-21	Snooze	Morning Show Host	Mega Hits

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Languages

Portuguese | English | Spanish

Skills

Fighting | Horse Riding| Tennis | Singing