

## Maya Sondhi

### Writer / Executive Producer

Maya is an actress and writer. Her original TV show for Hat Trick Mercurio, *DI RAY*, was commissioned by Polly Hill at ITV and won an RTS Midlands Award for Best Scripted Programme and run for two series. Maya has recently written one episode of *GRANTCHESTER* series ten and one on series eleven.



Maya was part of the writersroom for the TV adaptation of Adam Kay's bestseller, *THIS IS GOING TO HURT*, for Sister Pictures / BBC. She was also part of the writing team developing and storylining the second series of *ACKLEY BRIDGE* for The Forge/C4 as well as writing an episode and on the writing team for the last series of *THE KUMARS* produced by Hat Trick for Sky 1. She has written two episodes of *EASTENDERS*. Maya's debut play *SKET* premiered at the Park Theatre in April 2016. She was named on the BBC New Talent Hotlist 2017.

#### DI RAY Reviews

Stylist - *unlike any other crime series on TV*

The Guardian - *a fresh twist on the police drama*

The Times - *a police show that says something new*

iNews - *a fresh take on the genre...what Sondhi is doing to modernise British police drama is fascinating*

Metro - *an intriguing drama*

## Agents

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## Credits

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## In Development

Production	Company	Notes
<b>THE CONCIERGE</b>	Garrison Drama	Original show, treatment commission
<b>DEATH ROW ROMEO</b>	Tiger Aspect	Pitch doc option. Co-written with Sarah Deane.
<b>THE LONG TRAIL</b>	Tall Story Pictures	Pitch doc commission

## Television

Production	Company	Notes
<b>DI RAY</b>	Hat Trick Mercurio / ITV	6 x 60 min. Series two. Creator, Writer and Executive Producer.
<b>DI RAY</b>	Hat Trick Mercurio / ITV	4 x 60 minutes. Creator, Writer and Executive Producer. Winner, Best Scripted Programme, RTS Midlands Awards 2022.
<b>THIS IS GOING TO HURT</b>	Sister Pictures	Part of writersroom
<b>THE TROUBLE WITH MAGGIE COLE S2</b>	Genial / ITV	1x 60' episode and script consultant across series 1 and 2
<b>MOUNT PLEASANT</b>	Tiger Aspect / Sky	1 x 60' episode and Script Associate across 2 series
<b>EASTENDERS</b>	BBC	2 episodes
<b>THE KUMARS</b>	Hat Trick for Sky 1	
<b>ACKLEY BRIDGE S2</b>	The Forge / C4	1 x episode and storylining
<b>GRANTCHESTER S10 and S11</b>	Kudos Film and TV / ITV	Writer, one episode on S10 and one episode on S11

## Theatre

Production	Company	Notes
<b>SKET</b>		Park Theatre

## Online

Production	Company	Notes
<b>THE BREAK</b> 2017	BBC	5 minute monologue