



Nthathi Moshesh

Actress | Content Creator

Nthathi Moshesh is a multi-award winning South African actress with a career spanning over 30 years across film, television, and theatre. Born and raised in Ktlehong (Ekurhuleni), she developed a passion for drama from an early age. She studied Drama as a matric subject at St. Andrew's School for Girls in Bedfordview before furthering her studies at Natal Technikon (now Durban University of Technology), where she graduated with a National Diploma in Performing Arts in 1990.

Her early film career was marked by her first feature film role in *Kini and Adams*, which was nominated for a Palme d'Or at the 1997 Cannes Film Festival. She later starred in *The Long Run*, produced by Anant Singh, and played prominent roles in *Kin* alongside Miranda Otto and Isaiah Washington, *Beat The Drum*, *Round Trip*, and *Cape of Good Hope*. More recently, she has appeared in *A Safari Romance*, *The Fragile King*, and *Ayanda (and the Mechanic)*, earning a nomination for Best Supporting Actress at the African Movie Academy Awards and the SAFTAs.

Nthathi has had a prolific television career, with starring roles in major South African and international productions. Nthathi made her television debut on South Africa's first soap, *Egoli* playing the role of Lerato. She won her first award in 2004, a Canadian Gemini Award (equivalent to an Emmy) for her role as Odette in *Human Cargo* and has received multiple SAFTA nominations and wins, including Best Actress for *Thola*, *Saints and Sinners*, and *Isono*. Her notable TV roles include *Scandal!*, *Home Affairs*, *Lockdown*, *Housekeepers*, *Ring of Lies II*, *Saints & Sinners* and most recently taking home the Best Supporting Actress in a TV Drama at the SAFTAs for her portrayal of Grace Bhengu in Netflix's *Savage Beauty*.

Nthathi's work has enabled her to indulge her love for travelling. She has acted in London, Zimbabwe and Israel and attended festivals in France and Spain.

Nthathi has also ventured into the content creator realm and has worked with various beauty care brands. Looking into the future she plans to expand on her social media platforms and work with various brands on campaigns.

Beyond acting, Nthathi is passionate about philanthropy and is a dedicated advocate for the arts, she has served as an executive member of PAWE (Performing Arts Workers Equity) and was a board member of the National Children's Theatre. With her extensive industry experience, Nthathi continues to be a trailblazer in South African entertainment, inspiring new generations of performers while delivering compelling performances on screen and stage.

Performance Resume

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TRAINING:

1990 Durban University of Technology - National Diploma in Performing Arts

AWARDS & NOMINATIONS:

2023	SAFTA AWARD – Winner	Best Supporting Actress - TV Drama	Savage Beauty
2022	SAFTA AWARD – Winner	Best Actress - Telenovela	Isono
2016	African Movie Academy Awards – Nominee	Best Supporting Actress	Ayanda
2016	SAFTA AWARD – Nominee	Best Supporting Actress - Feature Film	Ayanda
2016	SAFTA AWARD – Winner	Best Actress - TV Drama	Saints and Sinners
2015	SAFTA AWARD – Winner	Best Actress - TV Drama	Thola
2010	NALEDI AWARD – Nominee	Best Comedy Performance	McBheki
2009	SAFTA AWARD – Nominee	Best Actress - TV Soap	Scandal!
2009	NALEDI AWARD – Nominee	Best Actress in a Play	The Lion and the Jewel
2009	NALEDI AWARD – Nominee	Best Supporting role in Play	Nothing But The Truth
2007	SAFTA AWARD – Nominee	Best Actress - TV Drama	Heartlines
2004	GEMINI AWARD – Winner (Canada)	Best Performance by an Actress in a featured supporting role in a dramatic program or mini -series	Human Cargo
2004	Star Newspaper	Top 10 Women in SA	

TELEVISION:

2024	016FM	Role: Mama Jane	2gotomedia Showmax
2022 & 2024	Savage Beauty S1-2	Role: Grace Bhengu	Quizzical Pictures Netflix
2021	Isono S1	Role: Mary Ndlovu	Clive Morris Productions BET Africa
2021	The Charity – Pilot	Role:	
2021	Lockdown S4 & S5	Role: Masabata	Black Brain Pictures Mzansi Magic
2019	Red Cake – Not the Cooking Show	Role: Herself	Clive Morris Productions SABC 2
2019	Giyani – Land of Blood S1	Role: Julia	Tshedza Pictures SABC 2
2018	Housekeepers S1	Role: Veronica Zwide	Ochre Moving Pictures 1Magic
2018	Ring of Lies S2	Role: Pula	Penguin Films Mzansi Magic
2016-2018	Saints and Sinners S1-3	Role: Mamohato Kumalo	Penguin Films Mzansi Magic
2016	Fluiters S1	Role: Boniswa Magoza	Deon Opperman Produksies KykNet
2016	Greed and Desire S1	Role: Thakane Makhthetha	Ochre Moving Pictures Mzansi Magic
2014	Naledi (Mini Series)	Role: Gladys	Magic Factory Mzansi Magic
2013	Thola S1	Role: Dibuseng Makwarela	Fuzebox Productions SABC 2
2012	Wild at Heart	Role: Madeline Thompson	Company Pictures ITV (UK)
2009	Who Do You Think You Are? (SA)	Role: Herself	Rapid Blue SABC 2
2008	Silent Witness S12	Role: Blessed	BBC, A+E Networks BBC (UK), SABC 3
2006	Scandal!	Role: Morongwe	Ochre Media E.tv
2006	Zero Tolerance S3	Role: Emma Mokgotsi	Ochre Moving Pictures SABC 2
2005-2006	Home Affairs S1-3	Role: Thandeka Ngubane	Penguin Films SABC 1
2005	Gaz'lam S3 & S4	Role: Melanie	Ochre Moving Pictures SABC
2005	Interrogation Room	Role:	
2005	Mzee wa Two Six	Role: Cynthia	Endemol SABC 1
2004	Human Cargo	Role: Odette	Force Four Entertainment CBC (Canada)
2004	Homecoming (Mini Series)	Role: Thandi	Rootsand Associates Production

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 Eyes: Brown
 Height: 1,65m
 Languages: English, Sesotho

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TELEVISION CONTINUED:

2004	Snitch	Role:
2004	Plek van dir Vleisvreters	Role: Captain Modise
2004	Dwaalmspoort	Role:
2003-2004	Scout's Safari	Role:
2002	Madam & Eve S2	Role: Lesego
2000-2002	7de Laan	Role: Dr. Thabile Nkabinde
2000	Secrets in my Bosom	Role:
1998	Deafening Silence	Role:
1998	37 Honey Str	Role: Palesa
1995-1997	Solider Solider	Role: Lilian Malanje
1994	Soul City	Role:
1992-1995	Egoli – Place of Gold	Role: Lerato Mashabelo

FILM:

2023	A Safari Romance (TV Movie)	Role: Nozizwe
2022	The Fragile King	Role: Brenda
2019	Miracle (short)	Role: Hype Woman
2015	Ayanda (and the Mechanic)	Role: Dorothy Olandele
2008	The Seven of Daran: <i>The Battle of Pareo Rock</i>	Role: Sarah
2005	Whiskey Echo (TV Movie)	Role: Bernadette
2004	Heartlines: The Good Provider (TV Movie)	Role: Nthabiseng Sithole
2004	Cape of Good Hope	Role: Lindiwe
2003	Beat The Drum	Role: Frances
2003	Round Trip	Role: Mushidi
2001	The Long Run	Role: Christine Moyo
2000	Kin	Role: Kata
1998	Only Love (TV Movie)	Role: Pregnant Woman
1997	Pride of Africa	Role: Francina
1997	Kini & Adams	Role: Aida

THEATRE:

2018	You Fool How Can The Sky Fall
	The Blacks
	Maru
	Othello
2009	McBheki
2008	Nothing But The Truth
2008	The Lion and the Jewel
1992	Two Can Play

SKILLS:

ACCENTS: British RP, American Southern, Zimbabwean

SKILLS: Tennis, Squash, Swimming, Fencing, Greek Dancing

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Spectro Productions | KykNet

Film Afrika | Discovery Kids
Penguin Films | E.tv
Danie Odendaal Produksies | SABC 2

Bedon Productions | SABC
Central Independent Television

Franz Marx Films | M-Net

dir. Leif Bristow | Hallmark Channel
dir. Tristan Holmes | The Ergo Company
dir. Bongzi Ndaba
dir. Sara Blecher
dir. Lourens Blok | AAA Pics., Enigma Pics.
dir. Harry Hook | Barna-Alper Productions
SABC 2 | Curious Pictures
dir. Mark Bamford | Moonlighting Films
dir. David Hickson | Z Productions
dir. Shahar Rozen
dir. Jean Stewart | Baer Production
dir. Elaine Proctor | Arts Council of England
dir. John Erman | Film Afrika | Hallmark
dir. Herman Binge | Excelsior
dir. Idrissa Ouedraogo | Canal+



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