

Chris Kennedy

Actor-Writer-Director

Chris Kennedy is a 1994 graduate of the University of Wisconsin, where he majored in Broadcast Journalism and Advertising. The Waunakee, Wisconsin native was a senior on the '94 Rose Bowl Champion football team and made academic honor roll every semester in college. Upon graduation, Chris pursued his acting career in Chicago. There he worked on the stage as well as in commercials, television and film. He moved to Los Angeles to further establish himself as an actor, writer and director. Chris has landed parts on "Monk", "Friends", "Party of Five" and "Providence." His film work has taken him to China, where he played a Korean War hero, and Paris, where he was nominated for a best actor award for his work on the 30-minute award-winning film "The Book and the Rose." Chris continues to work as an actor while writing and directing short and feature-length film projects.

TELEVISION

So NoTORIous Co-Star MONK Co-Star Recurring A.U.S.A. SON OF THE BEACH Guest Star **REDEYE** Series Regular SO LITTLE TIME (Olsen twins) **Guest Star** THESE OLD BROADS Supporting KOREAN WAR Supporting Co-Star (Patrick) **FRIENDS** STAR PATROL Co-Star Co-Star **PROVIDENCE** PARTY OF FIVE Co-Star **GO TV** Host Guest Star (2) SUNSET BEACH **Guest Star EZ STREETS**

Lead (award winning)

Writer/Director/Producer/Performer Supporting

Lead
Lead
Supporting
Lead
Supporting
Supporting

THEATRE (Partial List)

THE BOOK & THE ROSE

GOODWILL HUNTING

KEN AND BARBIE

THE HOMECOMING

HOLLYWOOD MONKEYS

I AM STAMOS

PIMENTO

STRAIGHT EYE FOR THE QUEER GUY

BASIC FOOTBALL W/BURT REYNOLDS

DRUNK TALK Lead **TOMORROW** Supporting LYSISTRATA, D.C. Lead THE SUGAR BEAN SISTERS Supporting ADAMS APPLE Lead ORPHEUS IN THE NEW YEAR Lead THE BULLPEN BOYS Lead 'TIS THE SEASON TO BE SKETCHY Lead Lead **DEATH OF A SALESMAN** Lead

TRAINING

Lesly KahnActing technique, LABrian ReiseCold reading, LAJason AlexanderMaster class, LA

Byrne Piven Advanced study, Chicago
Jane Alderman On-Camera, Chicago

Improv

Del Close Improv Olympic, Chicago Chris Berube Next Stage Theatre, LA

SPECIAL SKILLS

All sports especially football-played in Rose Bowl gam; Rock Climbing; Archery; Juggling; Magician's Ass't; Dr. Evil impersonation; Substitute teacher & tutor; Excellent parallel parker; Can assemble & disassemble a WW2 M1Garand assault rifle blindfolded!

VH1/Dir. Jim Fall

USA Network/Dir. Tony Palmieri

NBC/Dir. Gail Mancuso
F/X-Dir. Tim Andrews
Dir. Rick Fields
Dir. Mark Cendrowski
ABC/Dir. Matt Diamond
CCTV-shot in China
NBC/Dir. Ben Weiss
FOX/Dir. Jonathon Frakes
NBC/Dir.John Whitesell
FOX-Dir.Steve Robman
Revolver-Dir. Steve Priola
NBC/Spelling Ent.
CBS/Dir.Paul Haggis

Dir. Jeff Bemiss

Dir. Rob Melcher Dir. Bill McNally Dir. Chad Ahrendt Dir. Chad Ahrendt Prd. David Fox Dir. Burt Reynolds Dir. Rocky Lane

The Bitter Redhead, Santa Monica, CA Company of Angels, Silver Lake, CA Electric Lodge Theatre, Venice, CA Company of Angels, Silver Lake, CA

Malibu Stage Co. Malibu Stage Co. JewelBox Theatre,LA Next Stage Theatre, LA Griffin Theatre, Chicago Piven Theatre, Chicago

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