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## BIO

**Born and raised** in New York, now living and working in Los Angeles, Jonathan is a dual-citizen (US/EU), multi-disciplined artist and musician who primarily works as an actor and voice-artist, having appeared in numerous TV shows and films in leading, supporting, guest star and co-starring role capacities in addition to commercials, VO and stage. He has held his own while working opposite such veterans of the big and small screen alike including Julianna Margulies, Jeff Daniels, Craig T. Nelson, Nathan Fillion, Garret Dillahunt, John Cho and many others. He excels in both drama and comedy.



Jonathan's acute capabilities with foreign and regional accents and dialects, as well as his proclivity for slipping into character have made him the go-to choice when seeking authentic portrayals, often winning those roles over indigenous/native actors. His training in the Method-based system developed by legendary instructor Eric Morris has provided the tools needed to push himself physically and mentally, imbuing a sense of fearlessness in his work by virtue of a consistently reliable approach and unwavering commitment whether shooting/performing for one-day or one month- from the audition to wrap. Some personal highlights include playing a deadpan French Doctor in the penultimate episode of *The Mindy Project*; dropping close to *twenty-five* pounds for the staged version of *Trainspotting*, and taking a vow of silence for days to prepare to play the legendary, mute 90's video-game hero, Gordon Freeman, in a "[Half-Life](#)" fan film which has subsequently netted over half-a-million views online. A critical highlight was when **BACKSTAGE** called Jonathan "completely mesmerizing" for his work in the original one-act, "*Anaconda*".

Jonathan has collaborated with companies such as HBO, Disney, Paramount, Warner Bros., ABC, NBC, CBS, FOX, CW, MTV, Nickelodeon and Cartoon Network among others. Some of his notable industry fans include Jennifer Todd (Pres. of Damon/Affleck's Pearl Street Films) and CBS, who has hired him for two of the three NCIS franchises as well as made him the Promo Voice of their long-running series, *Big Brother*.

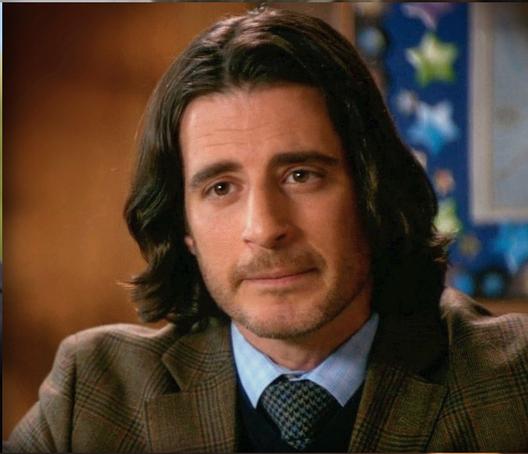
**Emmy-Winning Director/Producer**, Michael Spiller wrote how he was "*impressed by [Jonathan's] dedication and skill to flawlessly maintain the character on camera and off.*" **Actor/Director** Sam Jaeger has called Jonathan "*amazing to work with*", and **WGA-nom and God of War 4 writer**, Matt Sophos refers to Jonathan as "*A Director's dream*". Before becoming a performer full-time, Jonathan spent the first phase of his career behind the scenes which continues to serve him on every set he works. His 'salt-of-the-earth' beginnings and humble attitude have contributed to his overall understanding of the Production crew's needs, thus giving him an unmatched capacity to accommodate any on-set request without any fuss or pomp and circumstance. The result is a genuine, service-oriented and equitable camaraderie with PA's, Producers, and A-List celebrities alike.

Jonathan has also directed theater, short films, an indie pilot and most recently a music video for his former band, which he wrote, starred in and art-directed. Musically he contributed as a percussionist, singer, producer and graphic designer and toured the U.S. and Ireland in 2016, where they released their first original single, which he also wrote.

One of the recent crowning moments in Jonathan's life (and a rare honor) was being knighted by the ecumenical Swiss order, O.S.M.T.H., a non-governmental organization which holds a special consultative status with the United Nations. Works of charity and humanitarianism are the predominant functions of this organization as well as assisting in maintaining peace in areas of the world lacking political stability. And while it is a pretty awesome title, it's not mandatory to call him Sir. ;)

When not pretending to be someone else, Jonathan can be found sketching, hiking or binge-watching the latest and greatest series on one of the major streaming networks. He can be contacted through his representation or directly at: [jonathan@jonathanroumie.com](mailto:jonathan@jonathanroumie.com).

# In Character...





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## INDUSTRY REVIEWS:

*"Amazing to work with....Extremely talented and adaptable."*  
Director/Actor, Sam Jaeger - **Parenthood**



*"Outstanding...Quick witted and able to improv, without losing the essence of the character or the scene."*  
Director, Michael Kang – **West 32<sup>nd</sup>**



*"Total commitment...Profound talent."*  
Director/Writer, Salvador Litvak - **Saving Lincoln**

*"The kind of actor you end up writing additional scenes for... Incredibly versatile...A director's dream."*  
\* WGA Award-Nominated Director/Writer, Matt Sophos - **Lost Planet 3**



*"Incredibly compelling...innate comedic timing... Able to strike emotionally dramatic chords...to draw an audience in... A consummate professional."*  
VP Production/Development, Suzanne Herrington – **Ocean Pictures**

## TRADE RECOMMENDS:

### TRAINSPOTTING

**"JONATHAN ROUMIE** as the capricious **Sick Boy** brings such a genuineness to his role that it is rather jarring when he takes his curtain call being reminded it was only a performance." - **WORKING AUTHOR**

**"Outstanding performances."** - **A LITTLE NIGHT MUSING**

**"At once edgy, raw, and shocking, while also achieving great tenderness, sadness, and a stinging wit."**  
- **HUFFINGTON POST**

## ANACONDA

(Award-winning Fringe Play):

**"JONATHAN ROUMIE** [is], completely mesmerizing." - **BACKSTAGE**

**"Blisteringly powerful performances..."** - **LA WEEKLY**

**"The entire cast, including...JONATHAN ROUMIE** as the antagonistic, wounded killer, give astoundingly powerful performances." - **ARTSBEAT LA**



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## LINKS OF INTEREST

### WEBSITE:

<https://www.jonathanroumie.com>

### ON-CAMERA REELS/CLIPS:

<https://www.jonathanroumie.com/reels>

#### **The Good Wife:**

<https://youtu.be/N0zHhTPNMm8>

### VO REELS:

#### **Character / Animation Reel:**

<http://bit.ly/2pHY0xr>

#### **Promo Sample (CBS Big Brother):**

<https://youtu.be/kNjVhSuZIRU>

### RECENT PRESS:

#### **[Fallout 4 All-Stars Article](#)**

(<https://trainwreckdsociety.com/?s=jonathan+roumie>)