

"A BRILLIANT MAGICIAN!"

-DERREN BROWN

"AMAZING!"

- SIR IAN MCKELLEN

James Went
MAGICIAN

BAFTA AWARD WINNING MAGIC AT YOUR EVENT

"COMPLETELY MAGICAL!"

- GLAXO SMITH KLINE

"HIGHLY RECOMMENDED!"

- SONY UK

"SPECTACULAR!"

- ALAN RICKMAN

WHAT IS MAGIC?

MAGIC

noun: magic

- the power of apparently influencing events by using mysterious or supernatural forces.

synonyms: sorcery, witchcraft, wizardry, enchantment, spellworking, incantation, the supernatural, divination, malediction, voodoo

- mysterious tricks, such as making things disappear and reappear, performed as entertainment.

synonyms: conjuring tricks, sleight of hand, legerdemain, illusion, prestidigitation, deception, trickery

- a quality of being beautiful and delightful in a way that seems remote from daily life.

synonyms: allure, allurement, attraction, excitement, enchantment, entrancement, fascination, charm, glamour, magnetism, enticement

- exceptional skill or talent.

adjective: magic

- having or apparently having supernatural powers.

synonyms: supernatural, enchanted

- very effective in producing the desired results. Wonderful; exciting.

synonyms: fascinating, captivating, charming, magical, enchanting, entrancing, spellbinding, magnetic, irresistible

verb: magic

- move, change, or create by or as if by magic.

proper noun: James Went

- The very best in close up entertainment.

EXPERIENCE INCREDIBLE MAGIC BY A WORLD CLASS PERFORMER, LIVE AT YOUR NEXT EVENT!

James Went is a full time BAFTA award-winning international close-up magician and creative consultant. Over the last decade, James has established himself as one of the top sleight of hand performers in the UK. Using his unique technical ability and a charming demeanour, James is able to wow your guests and help create memories that will last a lifetime. An extremely sought after performer, James is often hired to perform across the UK and internationally; with destinations ranging from Portugal, to Belgium, to America and even an exclusive private island in the Maldives. He has also recently returned to the UK after 28 command performances at the world renowned Academy of Magical Arts in Hollywood, Los Angeles, California.

As well as working many high end private events, James also has considerable experience working within the corporate sector with previous clients including Rolls Royce, Sony, GlaxoSmithKline, Admiral Insurance, BBC, ACCA Global and Lloyds Bank Plc.

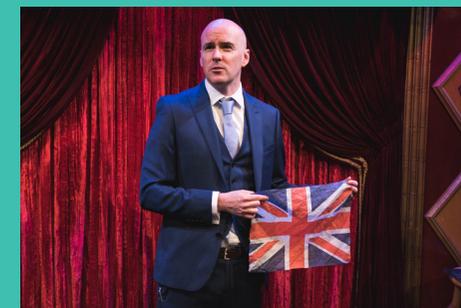
James is also regularly hired to provide his encyclopaedic knowledge of all things magical to create content for television and theatre with appearances on BBC1, CBBC, Five, Discovery International, Channel 4, Netflix and also national theatre productions including Derren Brown's 'Miracle' and 'Derren Brown: Underground'.



Jan 2018:
Lisbon : Corporate Event



Nov 2013:
London : BAFTA Awards



Apr 2017:
Los Angeles, California : AMA Show



2017/2018:
Various Events

Clockwise from above: Corporate Dinner, Vale of Glamorgan; Corporate Drinks Reception, Bristol; Wedding, Abergavenny.



CORPORATE EVENTS



DRINKS RECEPTION

Corporate drinks receptions are often an ideal time for your guests to network. James is able to use his performance as a vehicle to introduce delegates to each other and create moments that will become conversation starters, enabling your guests a frictionless introduction to each other. James' approach during this period is fun, conversational, highly engaging and guaranteed to add a buzz to your event.



BANQUET

This style of performance is designed to be a 6-10 minute show that happens at each table for formal dinners. Delivered in a charming and witty manner, the performance builds to an impossible finale that your diners will be talking about for years to come. For larger events, James is able to supply additional performers of a high calibre to ensure that all tables get an amazing experience during this period.



AFTER DINNER

James is able to offer a unique 20-30 minute after dinner performance that features magic and mind reading. For larger events, special bespoke performances can be arranged featuring illusions that involve key members of your organisation. On a recent event in Portugal, James enabled the CEO of a global company to magically appear on stage in front of 1,000 delegates to a standing ovation.

WEDDINGS



PHOTOGRAPHS

An extremely popular time to hire James at a wedding is during the drinks reception, whilst the bride and groom are busy with the photographer. This period normally lasts around 2 hours and gives James the ideal opportunity to greet your guests and create moments of magic that everyone will be talking about for years to come; helping your wedding become even more memorable.



WEDDING BREAKFAST

James is able to provide your guests with a 6-10 minute show full of magical moments and fun at each of the tables during the Wedding Breakfast. The act often functions as an ice breaker, as some of your guests may not be acquainted with the other people at their table. James' highly original, amazing magic creates the ideal conversation piece to get everyone talking!



TURN AROUND

Much like the post-ceremony drinks reception, the period following the wedding breakfast and evening party can be a natural lull. James can help add some energy to this time and keep your guests entertained, while the venue prepares the room for your evening guests. Using his trademark charm and phenomenal magic, James will get the night off to a fantastic start.





PRIVATE PARTIES



ONE TABLE EVENT

For private dining events of up to 20 people, James will act as your host for the evening. Welcoming your guests as they arrive, then performing 5-10 minutes of mind blowing magic between each course, culminating with an unbelievable 20-30 minute mind reading show during coffees where your guests will experience demonstrations so amazing that they can't possibly be real....or can they?



THE SECRET ROOM

On arrival, your guests are given tokens with different times written on them. At their designated time slot, they are led into a room that has been set up for a special 20 min 'parlour' style magic show. Upon leaving they are forbidden to discuss what they have experienced, until everyone has seen the show at their designated time slot. This is a creative and effective way to add excitement and intrigue to your event.



THE DINNER PARTY

An incredibly immersive way to experience James' unique performance ability! Specifically designed for dinner parties, James will join you at your table after your meal for 60-90 minutes of magic and conversation. The informal presentations, aided by the close proximity of everyone involved, makes for some of the most powerful magical moments possible. An incredible experience not to be missed.



2018:
Corporate Banquet

Performances of this nature are designed to achieve maximum impact within the restricted time limits of the environment whilst engaging everyone on the table.



2018:
Pre Dinner Drinks

The magical effect is heightened by allowing the routine to happen in the audience's own hands.



2017:
Wedding Reception

The performance acts as an ice breaker, using magic as the vehicle to introduce guests to each other.



2018:
Awards Dinner

Performing for world famous entrepreneur and creator of 10x Grant Cardone



2016:
Wedding Reception

As well as world-class sleight of hand techniques, James also uses many cutting edge psychological methods to achieve the illusion of mind reading.

WHAT CLIENTS SAY

“

James is a consummate professional. Charming, disarming and completely magical. All of my team were completely blown away with his skills and were left completely baffled! James integrated with my team, put everyone at ease and left them wanting more. I cannot recommend him highly enough!

- GlaxoSmithKline

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Amazing! Truly wonderful! I have no idea!

- Sir Ian McKellen

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“

Slick & impressive! His sense of humour and magnetic personality kept everyone captivated. Highly recommended.

- Sony UK

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WHAT CLIENTS SAY



“

Excellent! Not only incredibly talented and an awesome entertainer, but also a thoroughly nice bloke!

- Kate Gannon

Bride

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“

James came to perform at our home and left us amazed, spellbound and dumbfounded! His charming demeanour certainly added to a fabulous night with his top class conjuring. What an experience to witness this so close!

- Richard Miles Tuck

Private Dinner Party

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A Brilliant Magician!!!

- Derren Brown

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2019:
Photo Shoot

A casual game of 52 pick up to pass the time!



2018:
Drinks Reception

A gentleman displays his signed card with a look of disbelief.



2017:
Trade Show

Magic being used as a vehicle to build crowds at a trade show.



2017:
Wedding

A moment of total astonishment captured by the photographer.



2018:
Black Tie Event

A solid silver dollar coin magically appears in the lady's hands.



2017:
Wedding Reception

A table erupts into applause after an incredible performance of close up magic.

CORPORATE PACKAGES



SILVER

- A TWO HOUR performance to cover a mix and mingle drinks reception OR a table magic performance at a banquet.



GOLD

- ONE HOUR pre-dinner drinks mix and mingle magic.
- TWO HOUR table magic for delegates during dinner.



PLATINUM

- ONE HOUR pre-dinner drinks mix and mingle magic.
- TWO HOUR table magic for delegates during dinner.
- Bespoke magic created especially for the event to deliver your corporate message.

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