

# Telly Service

Telly Service will feature 'elder clown' characters and situations especially designed to tickle your funny bones and make you feel good.

Join us in one of our laboratories: have fun, learn something about clowning or new technology, and help us develop creative research ideas.

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Would you like to get involved in some of the latest research into comedy entertainment for people living with dementia and their caregivers? No specialist knowledge is required – we'd simply like to invite you to join our team of "research clowns"!

**Telly Service** is inspired by experimental models across the world and is being developed at Salford University by Physical Comedy and Digital Media researchers. Ultimately you'll be able to enjoy personalised comic performances via your phone, personal computers or home TV screens.

**Telly Service** is part of a practice-research project **Modelling Interactive Clown Practices for Virtual Game Design Applications in Dementia Care**. It takes place through workshops in the School of Arts & Media at the University of Salford. The laboratories are led by Dr Richard Talbot, a clown performer and academic with over 20 years experience of physical comedy and Dr Claire Dormann, a specialist in Digital Media and Humour.

If you would like to find out dates of laboratories and if you want to get involved please contact

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Or simply complete your details here and hand them to **Telly Service** in person or you can post it to

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