

## **Angie Sims AGSMD, LGSMD, CIPD**

Angela trained at the Guildhall School of music and drama (1984-87) and subsequently qualified as a Lecturer in speech and Drama when she gained her Licentiate. In 2008 she was invited to join the Board of Examiners at the London academy of Music and Dramatic Art and has examined and assessed hundreds of solo and group performances over the years. As professional actress she has worked in theatre, television, radio and film and has been lucky enough to be involved in a wide range of projects over the years. As a teacher, she works with students of all ages developing their communication skills. She teaches voice at the Central school of music and drama, working with drama students, but also works with senior leaders in the NHS, working on how to develop impact including vocal confidence. She teaches a wide range of ages from 5 to adult, and teaches in groups, which have contained more than 50 students as well smaller groups and one to ones. Angela directs group work, and both devising as well as working on already established scripts. Over the last 20 years she has prepared students for their LAMDA graded examinations alongside her examining work. She is delighted to be adjudicating at the festival this year.