

# **Pride of Scotland Awards 2023 held in Edinburgh's Assembly Rooms**

**On Thursday evening the Pride of  
Scotland Awards took place at  
Assembly Rooms.**

With a wealth of big names the evening [honoured extraordinary people](#) from all over Scotland who had made a lasting impact on the lives of others.

Hosted in Edinburgh's Assembly Rooms by Scottish icons Elaine C Smith and Sanjeev Kohli, the glittering awards bring together a remarkable array of famous faces from Scotland and beyond to celebrate some truly awe-inspiring achievements.



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Elaine C Scott and Sanjeev Kohli

The stars and VIPs on the red carpet included:

Brian Cox, Emmy Award-winning Scottish actor + star of  
Succession

Irvine Welsh, Scottish novelist + playwright (Trainspotting)

Dougray Scott, Scottish Actor (Ever After, Mission Impossible)

Graeme Souness, Football Legend

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Manjot Sumac and partner



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Libby Clegg and brother Stephen



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Laurie Brett



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Dougray Scott



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Brian Cox



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Tallia Storm



22/6/2023 Pictures Alan Simpson Photography The Pride of Scotland Awards the Assembly Rooms Edinburgh Irvine Welsh and wife Emma Currie



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Dame Jackie Baillie



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