

# Cameron Mackintosh

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Dream, Giving, Entrepreneurial, Smell, Packages, Regulation, Forgotten,  
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An old building is like a show. You smell the soul of a building. And the building tells you how to redo it.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I've never had a very great public life.

~Cameron Mackintosh

The musical is the one area of the theater that can give you the biggest buzz of all.

~Cameron Mackintosh

My own tastes happen to be in tune with what the public wants. I think that's the reason my batting average is so high, not because I've discovered some brilliant formula.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I've taken considerable gambles on shows, but they're very considered gambles.

~Cameron Mackintosh

What musicals need is a new me.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I had set a goal of being a producer by 25.

~Cameron Mackintosh

It horrifies me how much it costs to put on shows now, mainly due to EU regulations. The freedom to be entrepreneurial is no longer there. It's a massive business now.

~Cameron Mackintosh

My dream is to be on my boat. Or on an island. Or in my house in the country. That's my dream.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I am in that glorious position where I can redesign and re-package my own work.

~Cameron Mackintosh

If there's too much of you around, people can get tired of you.

~Cameron Mackintosh

Constrained circumstances can bring the best out of you.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I never know what is going to have that 'X' factor and what isn't.

~Cameron Mackintosh

Having a think about whether you can afford 'this' or 'that' is a good discipline to have, to maximise what you can achieve to the highest standard.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I know I'm in the exceptional position of having money but I didn't have it for many decades.

~Cameron Mackintosh

I don't like being in debt, and I wouldn't borrow money for anything.

~Cameron Mackintosh

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