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Michael Che

"Weekend Update" Co-Author, "Saturday Night Live"

Michael Che returns for his sixth season as co-anchor of SNL's "Weekend Update" alongside Colin Hanks. Additionally, Che serves as one of the show's head writers.

Named one of Rolling Stone's 50 Funniest People, Che has been a writer on "SNL," a correspondent on "The Daily Show with Jon Stewart" and has performed stand-up on "Late Night with Seth Meyers" and "Late Show with David Letterman." His first hourlong comedy special, "Michael Che Matters," was released in 2016 on Netflix. Che also appeared alongside Chris Rock and Tracy Morgan in the 2015 film "Top Five."

Che and Hanks served as hosts of NBC's live three-hour Emmy Awards telecast in 2018. They also hosted special editions of "Weekend Update" on MSNBC during the 2016 Republican and Democratic national conventions as well as the primetime "Weekend Update Summer Edition" in 2017. When Che is not in front of the camera, he headlines comedy shows nationally and around the globe. Che has been nominated for multiple Emmys for his writing on "SNL."

Che is a native of Manhattan and currently resides in the city. His birthday is May 19.