



Hannah John-Kamen



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Hannah John-Kamen (born 6 September 1989)^[1] is a British actress. She is known for her roles as Dutch in the Syfy television series *Killjoys*, Ornella in the HBO series *Game of Thrones*, F'Nale Zandor in Steven Spielberg's *Ready Player One*, and *Ghost* in the Marvel Cinematic Universe film *Ant-Man and the Wasp*.

Early life

John-Kamen was born in Anlaby, East Yorkshire, England, the youngest of three children of a Nigerian forensic psychologist father and a Norwegian former fashion model mother.^[2] She has an older brother and an older sister. She attended primary school in Kirk Ella, received her secondary education at Hull Collegiate School^[3] and trained at the National Youth Theatre in London.^[4] In 2012, she graduated from the Central School of Speech and Drama.

Career

John-Kamen began her career in 2011 when she provided her voice for the video game *Dark Souls*. She went on to make episode appearances in television series *Misfits* (2011), *Black Mirror* (2011), *Whitechapel* (2012), *The Syndicate* (2012), *The Midnight Beast* (2012) and *The Hour* (2012).

In 2012, John-Kamen landed the lead role of Viva in *Viva Forever!*, a West End musical based on the songs of the Spice Girls.^[5] Written by Jennifer Saunders and produced by Judy Craymer, *Viva Forever!* premiered on 11 December 2012 at the Piccadilly Theatre^[6] to largely negative reviews. *The Daily Mirror*, however, praised John-Kamen's performance, noting, "It's a shame a talented cast, especially Hannah John-Kamen's Viva and the rest of Eternity, are let down by a clichéd plot and leaden dialogue."^[7] The show was closed on 29 June 2013.

2015 saw John-Kamen land a starring role in Syfy's *Killjoys*.^{[8][9]} In 2016 John-Kamen had a guest starring role on HBO's *Game of Thrones*.^[10] In 2016, she appeared in "Playtest", an episode of the anthology series *Black Mirror*.^[11] She also appeared in season two of the UK series *The Tunnel*.

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Born	Hannah Dominique E. John-Kamen <div>6 September 1989</div> <div>Anlaby, East Yorkshire, <u>England</u></div>
Alma mater	Central School of Speech and Drama
Occupation	Actress
Years active	2011–present
Height	1.67 m (5 ft 6 in)

On John-Kamen's role in Steven Spielberg's *Ready Player One*, Kristen Tauer wrote: "While much of *Ready Player One* takes place in a virtual reality world, John-Kamen's character is unique in that she is rooted in the reality throughout the film."^[12] Also in 2018, Kamen played villain *Ghost* in the superhero film *Ant-Man and the Wasp*.^[13]

Personal life

John-Kamen plays the piano and is trained in ballet, cabaret, jazz dance, salsa, and tap dance.^[4]

Filmography

Film

Year	Title	Role	Director	Notes
2015	<i>Star Wars: The Force Awakens</i>	First Order Officer #1	<u>J.J. Abrams</u>	
2018	<i>Tomb Raider</i>	Sophie	<u>Roar Uthaug</u>	
	<i>Ready Player One</i>	F'Nale Zandor	<u>Steven Spielberg</u>	
	<i>Ant-Man and the Wasp</i>	<u>Ava Starr / Ghost</u>	<u>Peyton Reed</u>	

Television

Year	Title	Role	Notes
2011	<i>Misfits</i>	Carly	Episode #3.6
	<i>Black Mirror</i>	Selma	Episode " <u>Fifteen Million Merits</u> "
2012	<i>Whitechapel</i>	Roxy	2 episodes
	<i>The Syndicate</i>	Young Shop Assistant	Episode #1.2
	<i>The Midnight Beast</i>	Pizza Girls	Episode: "Someone Called Sam"
	<i>The Hour</i>	Rosa Maria Ramírez	4 episodes
2014	<i>Death in Paradise</i>	Yasmin Blake	Series 3; Episode 6
	<i>Happy Valley</i>	Justine	
2015	<i>Cucumber</i>	Violet	
	<i>The Ark</i>	Nahlab	Television film
	<i>Banana</i>	Violet	
2015–present	<i>Killjoys</i>	Dutch / Aneela	Main role
2016	<i>The Tunnel: Sabotage</i>	Rosa Persaud	
	<i>Game of Thrones</i>	Ornela	Episodes: " <u>Oathbreaker</u> ", " <u>Book of the Stranger</u> "
	<i>Black Mirror</i>	Sonja	Episode: " <u>Playtest</u> "

Video games

Year	Title	Role	Notes
2011	<i>Dark Souls</i>	Lord's Blade Ciaran	Voice role
2014	<i>Dark Souls II</i>	Sweet Shalquoir	

Stage

Year	Title	Role	Theatre	Notes
2012	<i>Viva Forever!</i>	Viva	Piccadilly Theatre	From 11 December 2012 to 29 June 2013 ^[6]

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