Bill Hughes is a native of Baltimore City. He attended Calvert Hall High School and has an AA and JD degrees from the University of Baltimore. Mr. Hughes is an author, essayist, professional actor and self-taught photojournalist.

Hughes worked on the waterfront as a young man while growing up in Locust Point. Later, he worked in the Baltimore City court house. After graduating from law school, he was an Assistant City Solicitor, then for four years: Chief of the Litigation Section.

Hughes has published four books and thousand of commentaries over the year, along with over 1,000 videos dealing primarily with social justice issues.

As a professional actor, Hughes has appeared in over 50 movies. In some of them, he had cameo roles; two of which were films by John Waters. His last movie, "Sollers Point," will be out in 2019. It's a Matt Porterfield flick. He plays the role of "Fred the Bartender."

Many of Hughes' photos can be found on his Facebook page or on in the archives of the "Baltimore Post Fxaminer."