



**Profile:** Los Angeles based writer and performer with a proven track record of creating brand awareness through intelligent use of social media.

**Skills:** improv, stand-up, cartoonist, illustrator, animator, video editor, voice over, impressions.

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## Career History

### STAND UP COMEDIAN

August 2006- Present

*Sample venues include: Caroline's, Stand Up New York, Broadway Comedy Club, Comic Strip Live, Gotham Comedy Club, Bananas, The Ice House, Flappers, The Comedy Palace, Comedy Store, Laugh Factory (Chicago/Hollywood).*

- Opened for Jimmy Fallon, Dom Irrera, Pat Cooper, Drew Carey, Colin Quinn, Gilbert Gottfried, Angel Salazar, Ted Alexandro, Jimmy Schubert, Carl LaBove.
- Opened for the Smithereens at the Jersey Shore Music Festival
- Profiled and interviewed by Mike Sgroi of ComedySpotNation.com.
- Headlined a Hurricane Sandy benefit at Rowan University.
- Featured in NY Times for stand-up, New Jersey's Asbury Park Press and Boardwalk Empire Magazine.
- Featured in a documentary about Stand Up called "Stage Time"
- Finalist in Sony Crackle's comedy contest
- Ran a relay race for Charity benefiting special olympics for Comedy on Cookman's running joke in Asbury Park's RunAPalooza followed by a set at the Showroom.

### FREELANCE WRITER

January 2012- Present

*Content has appeared on: RedEye, Hannity, Cnn Newsroom, ESPN Sportscenter, Bethany, VH1 Best of, The Bob and Tom Show, HBO's Got No Game with Paul Mercurio, Viewpoint with John Fugelsang, HLN with Joy Behar.*

- Write sharply focused, original content for humor, political, daytime talk and radio shows.
- Provide high-quality content strategy, content development and creation and social media services to clients.
- Co-created a pilot for a half hour cartoon series called *Human World*.
- Create social media content to engage audiences and grow followers on Twitter.

### ILLUSTRATION & ANIMATION

- Animated a 4 minute demo for the pilot *Human World* currently being shopped around.
- Animated a clip that was part of a music video for NashNext.
- Designed an alien for a children's book currently being published
- Illustrations for a novel titled *A Good Story*.
- Voice Over Work: The Paul Mecurio Show, *Human World* (cartoon).

## Additional

- Meisner acting training through J. Beckson Studios, New York, NY.
- Lesly Kahn & Company Actor Training Audition Workshop.

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