

CJ WILLARD

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SELF

Gender: Male

Physique: average

Height: 5' 11"

Weight: 215

Hair Color: Red

Hair Length: Short

Eye Color: Brown

Age Range: 23 – 36

Ethnicity: Caucasian

WHAT IT TAKES

- Expertise in extemporaneous speaking and presenting
- Passion for interesting conversation
- Talent for translating complex concepts into understandable terms
- Skill for creative problem solving in both team settings and as an individual
- Training and experience in guest services in a variety of environment

PURSUIT

My goal is to gain more experience performing at a professional level, and to grow my skills as an actor and improviser by contributing to projects that are valued by the people creating them.

SCHOOLING

Florida State University – Bachelors of Arts and Sciences – Tallahassee, FL

Voodoo Comedy Playhouse – Voodoo School of Improv – Denver, CO

EXPERIENCE

Stand-up Comedy

I create and perform stand-up comedy at venues all around Colorado, including the Comedy Works and Voodoo Theater in Denver. I have also participated in several comedy competitions including *New Faces Competition* at the Comedy Works in Denver, the *Big Break at the Boot* in Fort Collins, and the TBS sponsored *Rooftop Comedy National College Comedy Competition*.

Acting/Presenting

I have acted in several plays as a part of both *community and school theater* programs, and in both lead and supporting roles. I have also performed *long form and short form comedic improv* sets at multiple improv theaters. In high school, I worked for the Orange County Public School System recording dozens of *on-camera spots* for county wide educational programs.

Voice Over/Podcasting

I have recorded voice over for radio commercials. I also regularly appear on two podcasts, *Throwing Rice Into The Fire* and *Party at Your House*, both of which I co-host with fellow Colorado comics. I have also appeared multiple times as a guest on CU Radio AM1190's *Ice Cream Social*.

WVFS Tallahassee 89.7FM

I wrote and delivered on-the-hour news bulletins for Florida State's college radio station. I also collaborated with other writers to record pieces for several radio magazines. Additionally, during the 2008 presidential election, I was selected to participate in a live, on-air panel discussion about the election results.