Kevin DeBacker

Writer and Performer

Accomplished writer and performer with over 10 years experience performing improv and sketch comedy on NYC and Los Angeles stages.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance, Los Angeles, CA

Writer/Performer 7/05 – Present

- Created "Besties", a comedic web series that was featured in New York Magazine, Out Magazine, Huffington Post, and has over 120,000 Youtube views
- Write and perform in sketches for live comedy shows, Including Upright Citizens Brigade and "2Pac: The Musical!"
- Write comedy material and punch up scripts for web shows and contract for various copywriting assignments with advertising agencies
- Developed a comedic TV scene that was featured in ABC's Discovery showcase

College Humor 2, Los Angeles, CA

Writer/Performer 9/14 – 10/14

- Co-write comedic script with writing partner and work with director to deliver polished draft
- On-set joke punch ups
- Assist production team with project planning for video shoot

Murray Hill/MTV 2, New York City, NY

Writer/Producer 9/12 - 1/13

- Helped create and develop workable pilot for MTV team
- Researched appropriate content for future show episodes

Razorfish, New York, NY

Writer 10/09 – 11/09

Worked with a team of writers to develop jokes for a comedic holiday app

Cowan Entertainment, Los Angeles, LA

Development Intern 8/05 – 9/06

- Provided script coverage for all incoming scripts
- Sat in on meetings where I was required to give production feedback on current TV/film projects

EDUCATION

2005

University of California, Irvine, CA

Bachelor of Arts, Theatre and Anthropology with a minor in Education $-3.6\ \text{GPA}$

Upright Citizens Brigade, New York City **Sketch and Improvisation**2010