



The Balding

A hilarious race against time, nature, and the terrifying business of becoming a man.

Bio:

JEFF GANDELL, writer/performer

Jeff Gandell is a Montreal writer, storyteller, actor, musician and teacher. His two-person storytelling show, *Things Drugs Taught Me*, recently played at the Montreal Fringe Festival, and is also being presented at the 2017 Toronto Fringe. His one-man show, *The Balding*, was nominated for Best Comedy at the 2013 Montreal Fringe, and has played for sold-out audiences across Canada. His latest play, *Atomic City*, was nominated for the Most Promising Company award at the 2016 Montreal Fringe Festival. Jeff is the creator and co-producer of Yarn, a monthly storytelling show in Montreal. Jeff's stories have been featured on Risk, Confabulation, and many other storytelling events. Jeff is a featured performer at the Montreal Improv Theatre, and he teaches English at Dawson College. Visit Jeff at jeffgandell.com.

Yarn Productions

Founded in 2013, Yarn has been dedicated to bringing touching, funny, and unique works to the stage. Primarily a vehicle for developing the storytelling form, Yarn has produced three 60-minute storytelling shows: *The Balding, Things Drugs Taught Me* (also appearing at the Toronto Fringe), and *Danger Unit*. In 2016, Yarn produced *Atomic City*, a two-person play about the personal impact of the Manhattan Project. Yarn also has produced a monthly storytelling event in Montreal for the past 5 years.