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Theatre Rhinoceros presents a FREE Zoom/Facebook Live presentation:

# **COLOGNE**

Conceived and Performed by John Fisher December 10, 2020 at 8pm FREE! *One Live Performance Only.* 

# THIRTY-EIGHT LIVE, NEW SHOWS SINCE SHELTER IN PLACE AND COUNTING!

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# FREE Live Performance Date: Thursday, December 10, 2020 8PM

#### **BIOS**:

**JOHN FISHER** (Playwright/Director/Actor) recently completed a six-month run of his show *A History of World War II* at The Marsh, after playing two runs of the show in Manhattan (United Solo/Theatre Row – Best Actor Award 2017 - and Pangea) and another in Los Angeles (The Broadwater.) He is a two-time winner of the Will Glickman Playwright Award, as well as being a recipient of the GLAAD Media Award, the Theatre

Bay Area Award and three Critics' Circle Awards for Best Script. His plays include the award-winning Action Hero, Shakespeare Goes to War, To Sleep and Dream, Combat! and Medea, the Musical. Previous COVID-19 performances include Murder in Hawaii, Shark!, Doodler, A Tourist in London, Doodler, Johnson, Modjeska, A Death in the Family The Drinker, Randy!, Marie's Crisis, Insane Director! and The Battle of Kursk. JOHN HAS CREATED THIRTY-SEVEN ORIGINAL, SHELTER-IN-PLACE, SOLO PERFORMANCES, ONE FOR EACH WEEK OF THE PANDEMIC.
www.JohnFisher.biz.

THEATRE RHINOCEROS - Founded in 1977, The Rhino is the longest running LGBT theatre in the nation. We develop and produce works of theatre that enlighten, enrich, and explore both the ordinary and the extraordinary aspects of our queer community. Our emphasis is on new works, works about under-represented members of the larger queer community, and revivals of lesser known queer classics. Over the years Theatre Rhinoceros has received many awards of recognition including: Theatre Rhinoceros Day in the City Proclamation from Mayor Gavin Newsom, State Assembly Certificate of Recognition from Senator Mark Leno, recognitions from Congressperson Nancy Pelosi and Assembly Persons Tom Ammiano and Carole Migden, numerous Cable Car, BATCC and TBA Awards and Nominations, and the GLAAD Media Award for Best LGBT Theatre. Theatre Rhinoceros is unsurpassed in COVID Production, presenting over fifty productions on-line since the pandemic began.

Previous Shelter in Place Solo Presentations (Click-on the address and view – this list is sequential beginning with the first presentation in March and ending with the most recent in November):

A TOURIST IN HAWAII

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-KPBR5ADABo

A TOURIST IN LONDON:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jCVo1ZjHwMA

AN ODE TO ORDE

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157290790787817/

ORDE IN ISRAEL

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157313821917817/?id=559097816

ORDE IN BURMA

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157337769612817/?id=559097816

THE END OF ORDE

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157364885962817/

SHARK!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cr6GnKYm6lo

#### MURDER IN HAWAII

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NSivfUccP1w

#### ZOOM CATASTROPHE

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bd66anAlbD8

GENERAL WASHINGTON, FOUNDING FATHER: THE MAN BEHIND THE MYTH https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157457676652817/?id=559097816

#### KATO/CATO

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157478857592817/?id=559097816

DOODLER: THE UNSOLVED CASTRO MURDERS

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LnVhKX0RHuA&t=1236s

DOODLER FINALE: THE UNSOLVED CASTRO MURDERS PART 2

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BanELb5ksc8&t=1599s

WAHOO: A SUBMARINE PLAY

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bOwMY65WRSs&t=1991s

PRIDE: FRANK KAMENY – EYES ON THE STARS https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXo 52fR6pc&t=1611s

JOHNSON: PHILIP JOHNSON AND THE PRICE OF AMERICAN ARCHITECTURE

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eSTZJ1YLLmY&t=1691s

MODJESKA: SAN FRANCISCO'S FIRST SUPERSTAR

https://youtu.be/YeZbqlDNvIM

DANSE MACABRE

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157622509142817

GROWING UP: THE WORLD IN 1976

https://youtu.be/o-NaLg293Rw

THE SCAMMER: VAN MEEGEREN AND THE DISLOCATIONS OF DISASTER

https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=559097816

**EXERCISE!** 

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157675670027817/

A DEATH IN THE FAMILY

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157693129062817

#### **DICKENS!**

https://youtu.be/atBklQckaTY

#### SAINT JOHN FISHER

https://youtu.be/25CUGCeGpzk

# THE FILLMORE

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157742807512817/

#### THE DRINKER

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ckWmDvxNO5A&feature=youtu.be&t=3467

#### **STRAIGHT**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QDowB8YZvSM&feature=youtu.be

#### **EVEREST!**

https://youtu.be/Z3rbo1OU6Sg

#### GOOD KNIGHT, BAD KNIGHT

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157805591162817

#### **ARREST**

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157820794417817

#### RANDY!

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157837415777817

#### MARIE'S CRISIS

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157853747642817

#### **BIG ISLAND**

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157868496357817

#### INSANE DIRECTOR

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157884048722817

# GORDON OF KHARTOUM

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157900966677817

#### THE BATTLE OF KURSK

https://youtu.be/73sxC6RjtxQ

[Advance to 01:03:30]

#### **GAY PILGRIM**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0UJ6rUqwMrU&feature=youtu.be
[Advance to 01:00:00]

HOW I MURDERED MY BEST FRIEND

https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157946693207817

[ADVANCE TO [2:16:00]

Previous Rhino COVID-19 Zoom Presentations, available at www.therhino.org

FOR REASONS OF SEX: SCOTUS GAY

STEAM

A DOG DREAMS

MIND THAT 'TIS ME BROTHER

**ZOOM CATASTROPOHE** 

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

THE RIGHT TO BE A HAPPY COUPLE: SCOTUS GAY

JAZZBOS AND JEZEBELS

**ALLIGATOR MOUTH** 

DEAR ELIZABETH

OTHER LETTERS

THE DEBUT OF GEORGIA

AT THE WAKE OF A DEAD DRAG QUEEN

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