

# drew tarvin – bio

Drew Tarvin began his comedy career in 2004 as a co-founder and key player of **The 8<sup>th</sup> Floor Improv Comedy Group** at *The Ohio State University*. The group performed in over 50 shows across Central Ohio in its first two years, and began performing weekly at the *Drexel Gateway Theater* in 2006. Drew also began performing stand-up comedy in the fall of 2005, making it to the semi-finals of “Amateur Comedy Night” at *The Ohio State University*.



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After graduating with a degree in Computer Science & Engineering in 2006, Drew moved to Cincinnati, OH where he started his career at Procter & Gamble. It was at this time that Drew also joined the **Smarty Pants Theater Company, LLC** as a key player and business leader, helping the group secure regular shows at the *Funny Bone Comedy Clubs* in Ohio, Kentucky, and West Virginia. Drew continued performing stand-up and was a finalist in the “Funniest Person in Cincinnati Contest” in 2007.

Since joining Smarty Pants in 2006, Drew has performed in more than 40 shows with the group, and has facilitated workshops for children and corporate professionals. He has also performed stand-up in various clubs and corporations in the Midwest and North East, opening for comedians like Joe Starr and Pauly Shore.

Drew is currently living in New York City, where he is studying improv at the *Upright Citizen's Brigade Theater*, performing stand-up in various clubs around the city, and working at Procter & Gamble as a project manager and the self-proclaimed Corporate Humorist.