Edinburgh Fringe 2017



Leo Kearse: I Can Make You Tory

Laughing Horse Free Fringe Gothic Room @ Free Sisters 3 - 27 (not 15) @ 7.30pm

'Kearse is seriously good. Quick, funny, smart, to the point...hilarious'
The Scotsman

<u>Images</u> <u>Footage</u>

Sick of sanctimonious lefties lecturing you about global warming, Jeremy Corbyn and sexism? No?

Award-winning comedian **Leo Kearse** has betrayed his Scottish upbringing and hippy parents and now slaughters liberal sacred cows with razor sharp wit, showing audiences that it's all right to be right.

I Can Make You Tory is a primal bellow from a Trump-supporting, straight white male that strikes a chord with the silent majority. You'll leave the show a fan of nuclear power, capitalism, traditional values and voting Tory! Guaranteed (no money back).

'A giant of the art'
Chortle

Lanky Scot, **Leo Kearse** is part of the new wave of raw, bold, American-inspired comedians taking the big UK clubs by storm. He's gigged for Just The Tonic, Comedy Loft, Jongleurs, Backyard, TED Entertainment, Top Secret and many others and has toured internationally, performing on four continents.

As well as straight stand-up, he also performs at festivals and cabaret nights as the improvised 'Pun Man', and holds the **2015 Dave TV UK Pun Champion** title. Leo is also the cocreator of sellout show **Hate 'n' Live**, which has top comedians hate on audience suggestions.

A regular co-presenter on **TalkSPORT** Extra Time and **Fubar** Radio's Mark Dolan Eats The News, Leo also appeared on **ITV**'s Dinner Date, Britain's Got Talent, **BBC** Two's Funny Business and **Al Jazeera**, and had viral YouTube hits featured in **Metro** and the **Daily Mail**. Aside from performing, he's written for some of the biggest names in comedy.

'Very funny, very dirty, occasionally shocking, but edgily likeable and happily endearing, eliciting the guilty pleasure of laughter from a wide-eyed audience'

The List ****

'Very tall and very funny... such energy and aplomb that the audience is left powerless to resist... one of the most enjoyable shows of the Fringe'

Three Weeks ****

'Overflowing with energy...inspired riffing...a deserved winner'
This Is Essex

Full Listing:

Title: Leo Kearse - I Can Make You Tory **Venue:** Gothic Room, Three Sisters

Fringe venue number: 272

Address: 139 Cowgate, Edinburgh EH1 1JS

Venue website: http://www.freefestival.co.uk/perfvenue.asp?VenueID=179

Tel: 0131 622 6802

Dates: August 3 - 27 (not 15) **Reviewers invited from:** August 3

Time: 7.30pm **Age:** 16+

Duration: 1 Hour

Entry: Free (Donations)

Website: http://www.leokearse.com
Twitter: http://twitter.com/comedyLeo

Footage links: https://youtu.be/HoxErJMSuJo

Images: http://tinyurl.com/my4px56

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