

Joe Fria began his LA theater career with the Zoo District theater company, and has since worked with Sacred Fools, Circle X, The Powerhouse, the Met Theater, The Evidence Room, and Orphean Circus. Productions with these companies include *Nosferatu*, *The Master and Margarita*, *Pathe' X*, *The Lively Lad*, *The Bloody Chamber*, *The Dadaists*, *The Shaggs*, *Flow My Tears the Policeman Said*, *Gorey Stories*, *The 99 Cent Only Show* and *Laura Comstock's Bag Punching Dog*, for which he won the LA Weekly Theater Award for Best Comedy Performance. Joe played Sharik in *Heart of a Dog*, a performance which the LA Weekly called one of the top ten moments on stage of 2004. He will reprise the role this summer in Scotland at the Edinburgh Theater Festival. His most recent credits include two shows with the Center Theatre Group: *Animal Logic* and *Nighthawks* at the Kirk Douglas Theater. Joe is the cofounder of The Future Stars of Hollywood and Associates, creators of the critically acclaimed two man show *Go True West* and the award winning film *Les Superficiales*. He has appeared on such TV shows as *Gilmore Girls*, *Baby Bob*, and *Off Centre* as well as numerous independent films and commercials.