

JOHN CATES

SAG/AFTRA



Height: 5'10"
Weight: 180 lbs

Eyes: Blue
Hair: Brown

FILM, TELEVISION, WEB

Aleve "Whole Not Part"	Various	Energy BBDO
Home Depot's "Next Big Thing"	Designer	The Onion Digital Labs
S.O.L.	John	The Second City Network
Worst Man Speech	Bert	The Second City Network
Mind Over Marriage	Eddie LaPorte	Independent Pilot
Darcy and Tess	Van Swizzel	Independent Pilot
So You Want a Viral Video	Executive	Second City Communications
Real Biz Shorts	Doctor	Second City Communications
"MixTape" Krudzik Bros. Music Video	Earl Krudzik	KXVO-TV, Omaha NE
"MixTape" Ridell & Standard	Bruce Ridell	KXVO-TV, Omaha NE

IMPROVISATION & SKETCH COMEDY

Darcy and Tess	Van Swizzel	Chicago Sketchfest/Stage 773
Sexy/Awkward	Writer, Ensemble	Donny's Skybox Theatre
Glass of Pie	Writer, Ensemble	Donny's Skybox Theatre
Us 4	Writer, Ensemble	Playground Theatre

EDUCATION & TRAINING

On-Camera	<i>The Acting Studio Chicago:</i> Matt Miller
Acting:	<i>Second City Training Center:</i> Michael Pieper
Improvisation:	<i>Second City Conservatory:</i> Norm Holly/Anne Libera/Michael Gelman/Tim O'Malley
	<i>IO Chicago:</i> Shad Kunkle/Susan Messing

SPECIAL SKILLS

Standup Comedy, Live Storytelling, Guitar, Golf