



# CHRISTINE FERRERA

## COMEDIAN

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# BIO

Christine Ferrera is a nationally touring stand-up comic and storyteller based in Chicago. She is known for her dark, absurd, self-deprecating yet relatable humor. She has opened for acclaimed comedians Michael Ian Black, River Butcher, Emma Willmann, and Sam Tallent, and performed in many festivals, including Gilda's Laughfest, Laugh Riot Grrrl, and Red Clay Comedy Festival.

Christine's work has appeared on NPR and her book detailing her decade-long correspondence with Starbucks Coffee titled, *Starbux Diary*, was named one of Baltimore City Paper's Top Ten Books of 2015 and described as, "Hilariously Personal." She performs regularly at Zanies, The Laugh Factory, and The Lincoln Lodge in Chicago. Christine is recording her first comedy special about overcoming lifelong debilitating social anxiety, *The Shy Vaudevillian*, in Fall 2024.

Tim Paggi of The Bad Oracle wrote of her comedy, *"Ferrera's rigorous with her crafted style... but presents humor of greater nuance and bite."*

Charlotte Benedetto wrote of her book, *Starbux Diary*, *"This book is improbably profound, as if Ferrera impregnated a series of Starbucks comment cards as a joke, and somehow they gave birth to literature."*

Christine is the creator of The Lincoln Lodge Comedy Podcast Network. Since 2021, she has produced over two dozen shows with hundreds of episodes.

In addition to comedy, Christine has won several awards for her art and performance, including the St. Nell's Humor Writing Residency in 2024, the Foundation for Contemporary Arts Award for Experimental Performance in 2020, the Maryland State Art Council Creativity Award in 2019, the MSAC Individual Artist Award in 2013, the RTKL Award for Innovation in Art in 2010, and the Sanskriti Foundation Artist Residency in New Delhi, India in 2007.





## EDUCATION & TRAINING

St. Nell's Humor Writing Residency | Williamsport, PA, 2024  
Voice Acting with Alex Kumin | The Lincoln Lodge, 2022  
Live Lit with Ian Belknap | The Lincoln Lodge, 2020  
Feminine Comique Level 2 with Alex Kumin | The Lincoln Lodge, 2019  
MFA | University of Maryland, Baltimore County | Imaging & Digital Art, 2010  
BFA | Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design | Painting & Printmaking, 1994

## REFERENCES

Curtis Shaw Flagg (curtis@laughfactory.com) | The Laugh Factory Chicago  
Brian Hicks (brianhicks@zanies.com) | Zanies Chicago  
Marz Timms (marz@comedyplex.com) | The Comedy Plex  
Alex Kumin (alexkumincomedy@gmail.com) | The Lincoln Lodge  
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## FESTIVALS & HEADLINING

The Laugh Factory, 2024 (H), The Sandman Comedy Club, 2021 (H), Milwaukee Comedy Festival, Laugh Riot Grrrl (LA), Rise Comedy Festival (Denver), North Carolina Comedy Festival, World Comedy Expo (CHI), Madison Comedy Week, She Devil Comedy Festival (NYC), Red Clay Comedy Festival (Atlanta), Washington DC Comedy Festival, Gilda's Laugh Fest (Grand Rapids), Floodwater Comedy Festival (Iowa City), Motor City Comedy Festival (Detroit), Kansas City Comedy Festival, Thunder Fest (Boston), Cleveland Comedy Festival, and Pittsburgh Comedy Festival.



# LINKS | CONTACT

## 5-min. Stand-up



## Feature Set



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