

Mark Wessels

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Height: 6'
Weight: 145 lb
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PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE:

- **Circus Bella** SF Bay Area and Touring 2008-2011
Solo unicycle, Juggling director, Comedy musical act
- **New Pickle Circus** San Francisco, CA 2011
Solo juggling, Comedy unicycle
- **San Francisco Chamber Orchestra** SF Bay Area, CA 2010
Musical saw soloist, Blown bottle act, Clowning, Acrobatics
- **Zoppe: An Italian Family Circus** Touring, United States 2010
Solo unicycle, Choreographed club passing, Circus band
- **Oakland Metro Operahouse:
Underworld Circus** Oakland, CA 2009
Juggling, Acrobatics, Musical saw
- **The Bombastics Street Circus** Touring, US and Europe 2010-2011
Co-creator and performer. Juggling, Music, Acrobatics, Comedy.

EDUCATION:

- **Clown Conservatory** - Advanced Program San Francisco, CA 2009- 2010
Clown, Mask and Commedia dell'arte with Jeff Raz
- **SF Circus Center** San Francisco, CA 2008-2011
Chinese Acrobatics with Lu Yi and Xia Ke Min
- **Oberlin College** Oberlin, OH 2004-2008
BA: Neuroscience

SKILLS:

- **Juggling:** Balls, clubs, dinner plates and other objects.
Club passing: Up to 8 clubs, moving patterns, stealing, drop-backs, choreography.
- **Unicycle:** Comedy and traditional circus. Juggling, jump rope, combination tricks, tall unicycles.
- **Acrobatics:** Handstands, tumbling, front and back handspring.
Partner: Base or fly two high, juggle in two high, static and dynamic poses
- **Dance:** Ballet (Augusta Moore, ODC), Modern (Deborah Vogel, Oberlin College)
- **Music:** Turkey baster, musical saw, guitar, banjo, accordion, alto saxophone, ukulele, toy piano, blown bottles.

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