

THE LAWYER SHOW 2011



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THE LAWYER SHOW RETURNS TO GRANVILLE ISLAND FOR ANOTHER LIVELY RUN

The Lawyer Show celebrates its 10th Anniversary
with its first ever musical!

A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum plays
four nights at Granville Island's Waterfront Theatre

Vancouver, B.C. – Celebrating its 10th Anniversary, *The Lawyer Show* returns to the stage in support of two of Vancouver's most cherished theatre companies: Touchstone Theatre and Carousel Theatre for Young People.

This year, 23 lawyers are tackling the event's first ever musical - *A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum* - Music and Lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and Book by Burt Shevelove and Larry Gelbart.



EVERYONE'S FAVOURITE MUSICAL TOGA PARTY! This hit musical is inspired by the farces of ancient Rome and tells the bawdy story of a slave named Pseudolus and his attempts to win his freedom by helping his young master woo the girl next door. A hilarious comedy, the show features many classic elements of farce - disguise, mistaken identity and of course a lot of door slamming! Stephen Sondheim's hummable songs pepper the action with witty social satire. *Forum* is an ensemble play that's sure to please!

This Lawyer Show production plays four nights only – **May 4th to 7th 2011** at the **Waterfront Theatre** on Granville Island (1412 Cartwright St) beginning at **8pm**. Tickets are **\$75** each (including a \$45 tax receipt); groups of 6 or more are **\$60** each (including a \$30 tax receipt). Contact the Carousel Theatre Box Office for tickets and information at **(604) 685-6217**.

The annual Lawyer Show is a fundraising project for Carousel Theatre for Young People & Touchstone Theatre; both not-for-profit registered charities. Funds raised go to support the award-winning artistic programming, outreach activities, and community initiatives of these two companies. Our cast of lawyers represent a broad cross-section of the legal community, and rehearse for months in anticipation of the May performances.

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