



Laura Bidgood and Curt Lund present **Slow Jobs**

Overworked and underwhelmed? Punch the clock with **Slow Jobs**. Minnesota Fringe favorites **Laura Bidgood and Curt Lund** relive first jobs, creepy coworkers, minimum wage, office romances, and doing whatever it takes to pay the bills. A tale told in two timelines – Curt from past to present, Laura from present to past – the dynamic duo explores hope and heartburn, illusion and disillusion, in a hilarious string of unbelievable exploits. What did you want to be when you grew up? And what the hell happened instead?

Twin Cities GLBT magazine *Lavender* calls spoken word storytellers Laura Bidgood and Curt Lund a “zany pair”. The duo has been writing and performing together for over four years, and are proud to celebrate their fifth Fringe together with this topical collection of stories about surviving the working world, making ends meet, and laughing through the ups and downs of a crappy economy.

Together, Laura and Curt have appeared on Minnesota Public Radio, Rockstar Storytellers, the Minneapolis Geek Slam, KFAI Radio, GLBT Pride festivals in three states, and countless other benefits, cabarets and open-mic shows around the Twin Cities and other glamorous locales from Vegas to Vermillion.

TECH REQUIREMENTS: Minimal; standard lighting and audio

MARKETING: Full marketing / PR package available, including high res photos.

BOOKING: contact info@curtandlaura.com or **612 760 0446**.

PRAISE FOR SLOW JOBS

2009 Fringe Encore winner!

“[a] storytelling extravaganza... Bidgood and Lund are both engaging storytellers, and their tales find the balance between the terrifyingly mundane and awe-inspiringly bizarre.” (City Pages)

“a perfect example of what makes the storytelling duo always such a returning favorite... savvy observers of everyday life. Very highly recommended.” (Matthew Everett for Twin Cities Daily Planet)

“a strong presence on stage, comfortably at home with the audience... an engrossing adventure” (Twin Cities Scene)

“...really great. Really terrific storytellers. And freakin’ adorable!” (Anna Sundberg for Minnesota Playlist)

“Bidgood and Lund are, as ever, in fine form.” (St. Paul Pioneer Press)

FRINGE AUDIENCE REVIEWS

“The hour is thick with wit and charm and stories everyone can relate to; Bidgood’s lightning speed and Lund’s demure, razor-sharp tongue don’t miss a beat.”

“They take their usual intelligent, awkward, hilarious style and mix in some theatricality that brings whole new levels to their stories. A must-see!”

“A polished show that successfully combines both high production values and that accessible, intimate tone that makes spoken word shows so much fun.”

“Curt and Laura are gifted storytellers and performers. This show is engaging, though-provoking and hilarious.”