



# GARY HOFMAN

**Location:** Auckland | **Height:** 178 cm

**Eye Colour:** Brown | **Hair Colour:** Brown | **Ethnicity:** European | **Ethnicity:** Jewish

Gary Hofman is an actor and creator from Tāmaki Makaurau. He studied at the University of Auckland, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Law and a Bachelor of Arts. Law wasn't really his thing, and after his undergraduate studies, he completed a Master of Arts in Drama. His thesis focused on ethics and representation in theatre, and he was awarded first-class honours.

Both Gary's creative and academic practices are rooted in his cultural heritage. Gary is Jewish, with Germany, Poland, and Lithuania heritage. Gary is also a lover of comedy and humour, which often influences his creative work.

Beyond acting, Gary is a versatile artist, contributing to the industry as a writer, director, and arts administrator —he does love a spreadsheet!

## AWARDS

<b>2020</b>	University of Auckland	Award: Postgraduate Scholars
<b>2019</b>	48 Hour Film Festival	Award: Auckland Award for Best Awkward Moment
<b>2019</b>	John Cowie Reid Memorial	Award: Drama Scholarship
<b>2013</b>	Selwyn College	Award: Senior Oratory Award - Best Public Speaker



<b>2013</b>	Selwyn College	Award: Outstanding Contribution to Performing Arts
<b>2013</b>	Selwyn College	Award: Best Annual Performance

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## TELEVISION

<b>2010</b>	in BETWEEN	Role: Presenter of Death Segment	Greenstone TV
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## THEATRE

<b>2025</b>	Spamalot	Role: Patsy [lead]	Bravi Theatre Company - Director: Jarrod Brown
<b>2022</b>	The Maids Tragedy	Role: Amintor	Gloriana Productions - Director: Caleb Wells Producer: Iana Grace
<b>2019</b>	A Man Walks Into A Bar	Role: Bar Tender	Auckland University Postgraduate Drama - Director: Gary Hofman
<b>2019</b>	Pla(y)ne	Role: Gary	Stray Theatre Company - Director: Emma Campbell
<b>2019</b>	Stir Fried XI Unbearable	Role: Cupid	Stray Theatre Company - Director: Tate Fountain
<b>2018</b>	One Night(mare) Stand - Stir Fried X	Role: Waiter and Waitress	Stray Theatre Company - Director: Chloe Bagayas
<b>2018</b>	Stir Fried X - Small Talk	Role: The Shark	Stray Theatre Company - Director: Grace Hood-Edwards
<b>2017</b>	Are You Sure?	Role: The Overseer	Auckland Fringe Festival - Director: James Wenley
<b>2017</b>	Part One: Match the Musical	Role: Waiter	Short and Sweet - Director: James Wenley
<b>2016</b>	Are you Sad Child? Stir Fried VIII	Role: Child	Stray Theatre Company - Director: Jake Love Co-Director: Daniel Thomlinson
<b>2016</b>	We Don't Know Anything	Role: Trevor Just-Trevor	Stray Theatre Company - Director: James Wenley
<b>2015</b>	Bruce, a Pirate	Role: Peter / Wendy	Stage Two Productions - Director: Jesse Hillford
<b>2015</b>	NPC - Stir Fried VII	Role: NPC	Stage Two Productions - Director: Chesney McDonald
<b>2015</b>	Songs to Uncle Scrimm	Role: Soloist	Auckland University Drama - Director: Murray Edmond
<b>2015 - 2018</b>	The Auckland Law Revue	Role: Various	Auckland Law Revue - Director: James Wenley
<b>2014</b>	Spamalot	Role: King Arthur	SCAT - Director: June Renwick



<b>2013</b>	Away	Role: Roy	Selwyn College - Director: Duncan Allen
<b>2013</b>	Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story	Role: JP Richardshon - The Big Bopper	Selwyn College - Director: Duncan Allen
<b>2013</b>	Guys and Dolls	Role: Big Jule and Big Juliet	SCAT - Director: June Renwick
<b>2012</b>	Blood Brothers	Role: Mr Lions	Selwyn College - Director: Duncan Allen
<b>2011</b>	Bat Boy	Role: Bud the Rancher	Selwyn College - Director: Duncan Allen
<b>2011</b>	Blood Brothers	Role: Young Mickey	Selwyn College - Director: Sofia Enholmer

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## TV COMMERCIAL

<b>2023</b>	Chorus: 'New Zealand's Video Call'	Role: Mo Cap	Finch - Producer: Jane Mill
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## TRAINING

<b>2020 - 2021</b>	Masters of Arts with First Class Honours	Tutor: Various	University of Auckland
<b>2014 - 2019</b>	Bachelor of Arts (Honours)	Tutor: Various	University of Auckland
<b>2013</b>	Singing Tuition	Tutor: Alex McKellar	

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## SKILLS

<b>Accents</b>	South African
<b>Instruments</b>	Percussion, Trumpet » Basic
<b>Languages</b>	Hebrew
<b>Other</b>	Barista, Improv, Public Speaker, Writing
<b>Singing</b>	Musical Theatre
<b>Sports</b>	Hockey

