

## BIO – John Henry Davis

JOHN HENRY DAVIS John Henry Davis is writer, dramaturg, teacher, and a director of theatre, opera, film, and television.

As a writer, he has penned the novels *eM*, *Mining the Dead*, and the graphic novel *Gog and Me*, still in development. John Henry works as a dramaturg and has supervised projects in many different mediums, including plays, musicals, screenplays, and teleplays. He has also written several plays and the book for a musical.

As a theatre director, he is known for his work on premieres and revivals of plays and musicals in theatres all across the country, including Playwrights Horizons, The Mark Taper Forum, the Kennedy Center, The Dallas Theatre Center, the Odyssey and Matrix in Los Angeles, and The John Houseman and Westside Arts in New York City. His extensive background in this field has made him particularly skilled in working with actors, including Oscar winner Marisa Tomei, Elizabeth Banks, Robert Sean Leonard, Christopher Meloni and Terry Kinney.

In television and film, he has directed *Oz* for HBO, *The Sarah Jones Show* for Bravo, *One Life to Live* for ABC, and *It's Always Something*, a short movie musical for Ripfest.

John Henry also directed the feature film *Ordinary Sinner*, which won Best Feature and Best Director at the Slam Dunk Film Festival and the Audience Choice Award at the Greenwich film festival. The film was released theatrically and premiered on the Logo channel.

He has been a director and producer of many documentaries, including *Medicine as a Relational Act*, *The Making of Golden Gate*, *Healthy Families New York*, and *The Map: Exploring Transfer*. He directed and produced *Broken*

*Mirrors*, a documentary about Jewish Identity, distributed by Seven Arts Releasing.

John Henry's distinguished teaching career spans being a full-time Professor at La Guardia Community College to working as a visiting professor at Vassar and NYU. He is presently teaching at UCLA Extension in the Writing and Entertainment Divisions.

Mr. Davis has a B.A. from Stanford University and an M.F.A. from University of Southern California. He is married to Amy Introcaso-Davis, an Executive Vice President of E! network. He and his wife are the proud parents of Sean, Bonnie, and Christopher.