FUNDRAISER FEATURING



Directed by Simon Bloom Written by Mary-Colin Chisholm Produced by Dr. Gerri Frager

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Ed's Story: The Dragon Chronicles

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A Fringe Festival Hit at its 20th Atlantic Fringe Festival debut, Ed's Story: The Dragon Chronicles takes us from true life in healthcare to an innovative research project, now able to be shared with others.

From Kate Watson's review in The Coast: "This is the kind of theatre one dreams of seeing at the Fringe: moving, memorable and beautifully written, directed, and produced."

HALIFAX: Wednesday October 12th at 6:30 pm Doors open for silent auction, show time 7:30 followed by panel discussion McInnes Room, Dalhousie Student Union Building, 6136 University Ave Tickets: \$25 General admission \$15 for students & theatre artists Reserve with <u>schoelstrang@hotmail.com</u>

OTTAWA: Monday, October 17th at 8 PM Atrium of the University of Ottawa Medical School at 541 Smyth Road Tickets: FREE

KINGSTON: Wednesday October 19 at 8:00 pm, Convocation/Theological Hall, Queen's University 77 Stuart Street Tickets: FREE

TORONTO: Thursday October 20 at 8:00 pm, Jane Mallett Theatre, St. Lawrence Centre for the Arts, 27 Front Street E Tickets: \$15 Student/Senior \$28 General Admission Box Office: 416-366-7723 or 1-800-708-6754 or online at stlc.com or at the door