



A Lack of Gravity

A Short Film

from Fine Young Man Productions

Press Kit

Running Time: 13 mins.

Genre: Drama

Format: DVCPro HD, BetaSP, DigiBeta

Completed: May 2010

Synopsis

With a new partner and a quiet life in the suburbs, Jared finds himself tackling new obstacles. How does he live his life as a dignified gay man in a society that does not consider him equal? And how will he handle his partner's constant need to censor any public affection? One horrific event forces them both to figure it out.

The finale piece in this trilogy of short films, 'A Lack of Gravity' explores homophobia, activism and gay rights in America.

Continuing in the series' format, documentary audio of gay men discussing their experiences with homophobia acts as the film's narration.

Log Line

Time changes things?

Filmmaker Biographies



Fine Young Man Productions

FYM's first film, "8 Easy Steps", premiered at the Palm Beach International Film Festival in April 2009 to a sold out audience and was picked up for world-wide distribution by Shorts International. With "A Lack of Gravity", Alain Hain and Jason Mills have taken their love of documentary and narrative film and combined it to tell the story of homophobia in America. The first film in this series, "Curious Thing", has screened at over a dozen film festival around the world. The filmmakers were featured in The New York Times for their fresh format and unique view on gay/straight relationships.

Alain Hain (Director, Producer) Alain has produced music videos for such artists as Maya Azucena, David Berkeley, and Dujous. He most recently produced the TV pilot, *American Bar* and has worked in the commercial world with clients like Frederic Fekkai, Ferragamo, Chanel, and Snapple. Alain directed the 2009 short film, "8 Easy Steps", as well as "Curious Thing", "the in-between" and "A Lack of Gravity".

Jason Mills (Writer, Producer) began his career as a playwright in NYC, presenting his work at The Living Room Festival, The HERE Arts Center, and the Queer at Here Festival in Soho. He has most recently written and produced the TV pilot *American Bar*. Jason's writing credits include "8 Easy Steps", "Curious Thing", and "the in-between". He has recently completed 2 feature length scripts, one of which he co-wrote with his producing partner, Alain Hain.

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Biographies - Cast



Danny Bernardy - (Jared) Danny has appeared in FYM's comedy, "8 Easy Steps", as well as "Curious Thing" and "the in-between". Other notable indie film credits include Follow Productions' "Feed Me!". Television credits include recurring and guest starring roles on ABC's *One Life To Live*, and CBS' *As the World Turns*. Danny is a graduate of Carnegie Mellon and works extensively in the New York theatre world with The Cherry Lane, SoHo Rep, Virginia Stage Co. and the Cape Playhouse.



Jason Tam - (Trevor) Jason has appeared on Broadway in *A Chorus Line* and *Les Misérables*. NY/Workshop credits include *The Last Goodbye*; *US*; *Clueless*; *The Black Suits*; *The Nightengale*; *The Yellow Wood*. Jason has appeared on TV's *Beyond the Break* and *One Life To Live*. Jason also appeared in the hit documentary *Every Little Step*.



Timmy Cassese - (Christian) Timmy is a New York based actor who can be seen regularly as "Skip Murphy" in the new web series *Hedge Fund*. Timmy's past film work includes *The Parting*, *Roger from Accounting*, and *Professor F.'s Party*. Television credits include *Guiding Light*, *As the World Turns*, and *Oh Be Joyful!*



Daiva Deupree - (Susanne) Daiva Deupree is an actor and a writer. She is a founding member of Naked Angels' new radio program, "Naked Radio," and can also be seen this fall in the independent film, "The Bits in Between." She is the co-creator/co-star of the critically acclaimed two-woman comedy-burlesque show, "Two Girls For Five Bucks and the Ten Dollar Heartbreakers", which has performed in theaters including Ars Nova in New York City and the Comedy Central Stage in LA.

Credits List for “A Lack of Gravity”

Crew:

Producers	Alain Hain & Jason Mills
Director	Alain Hain
Writer	Jason Mills
Associate Producer	Megan Grocutt
Director of Photography	Craig Feldman
Editor	Jason Mills
Music	Milosh
Production Manager	Andrea Patton
Key Grip	Dante Skartoni
Grip	Ramon Carty
Production Design	Orlando Soria
Hair and Makeup	Missy Turla
Production Assistant	John Connuck
Production Assistant	Shira Weitz