SHOW INFORMATION: "WAS FREUD AN IDIOT?"

From Woody Allen downwards, the patients have had their say; now it's the turn of the professionals—from a licensed psychotherapist who has spent 35 years making his patients warm up his therapy couch for him before he goes to bed.

Themes explored throughout the show:

- Freud: In 1876 he began studying the anatomy of frogs; in 1882 he met Martha, his future wife; in 1884, he devoted himself to the study of cocaine. Usually, the order is the other way round.
- What have 126 years of psychotherapy achieved if you are all still such total wrecks?
- Over 30 different types of psychotherapy for a single problem. The mystery of points of view.
- Psychiatric drugs are for mad people; I take drugs out of boredom.
- What your psychotherapist is actually thinking while you are talking
- Me, a narcissist? Do you take me for just anyone like yourselves?
- Why Today a Like Is Worth More Than an Orgasm
- Me, paranoid? I know for a fact you only say that when my back is turned.
- Getting engaged to a psychotherapist and discovering you have problems you didn't know you had.
- Why do I always make the same mistakes even though I'm a genius? Hey, even God used to say that.
- A doctor who studies the effects of cocaine is a scientist; you lot are just drug addicts. The power of science.
- When you say that after 10 years of psychotherapy you're cured, just because you can't bear to admit you've wasted your money.
- Psychotherapy: what you could have done with that money instead.
- Politics is group psychotherapy; it all makes sense until you get home.
- With willpower, all you manage to do is change your medication.
- Psychiatrists and psychoanalysts talk behind each other's backs, but also amongst themselves.
- My psychotherapist is the best because they love me = my mum's a psychotherapist.
- How to find out if your psychotherapist is in a worse state than you.
- You can do psychotherapy even without knowing the language; all you need to do is grunt convincingly.
- AI as a substitute for psychotherapy: who's worse programmed? (As James Hillman might say?)

The show will be interspersed with my musical performances taken from "DSM in Music", reinterpreted by the patient within me, on tour with the "#PsychoHumorMusicTour". You'll hear songs such as "Paranoid Personality Disorder" or "Psychotic Disorders", etc. But also bespoke disorders commissioned from me, such as "In my inconsistency I am consistent", "Sentimental Fugitive Disorder", or "Impulsive Disorder When the Police Aren't Around", etc.

You can book this one-of-a-kind show, from which you'll emerge with the realisation that the key isn't to try to solve your own problems, but to die laughing at them.