

Who are these men of Mystery? Transgender Men? Tranny Fags? Everything a gay man would want to know and more!

Who are we? What have our journeys to manhood been like? What is in our pants?
How do we fuck? Has the movement benefited from having participants who have been socialized as female?

In this no holds barred workshop, participants will be encouraged to ask the hard questions they have always wanted to have answers to. The workshop will be facilitated by Aidan Key and Captain Snowdon . In attendance will be other trans guys who will be willing to share also. This workshop has the goal of providing information, creating understanding, and developing empathy and having fun.

Facilitators:

Aidan Key, producer and program coordinator for the national U.S. Gender Odyssey conference held in Seattle, derives a high level of satisfaction and passion from his work as a trans organizer and activist. His work with the trans and gender variant community began in 1998 and has included the development of workshops, trainings, support groups, discussion series, and conferences. Aidan, a single white working-class transman, loves to explore the intersections of gender and sexual orientation and how the fluidity of these aspects can shape, define, redefine and disrupt our collective communities.

Captain Snowdon, Coordinator of Gay Men's Health Programming AIDS Vancouver Island. He has an extensive background in counselling, street youth outreach, community development and activism . He strives to work from a place of love, hope, humour and intent. He is invested in working across difference, having the hard conversations, and being playful. Captain is currently working on his Doctorate in Human Sexuality. He lives in Victoria with 3 queers and 3 dogs, where he writes poetry and grows sunflowers.