



2018 NJ History Forum Plenary Panel

Ian Kahn



Ian Kahn recently completed starring as George Washington in AMC's critically acclaimed series *Turn: Washington's Spies*, in its fourth and final season. Prior to landing the role of the nation's first president, Kahn appeared in numerous high-profile television series, including *Master Of None*, *Sex and the City*, *Suits*, *Law & Order*, *Castle*, *The Unusuals* and *Shameless*. Kahn is widely recognized for his roles as Danny Brecher in *Dawson's Creek* and Marty Decker in *Bull*. This past television season, he recurred on Showtime's *Homeland* and *Billions*.

As an actor on the stage, Kahn has an extensive list of theater credits. He made his Broadway debut in *Enron* at the Broadhurst Theater and his off-Broadway debut in MCC's *Still Life*. He has appeared in major regional theater companies across the United States. Additional roles include Mortimer in *Arsenic and Old Lace* at Baltimore Center Stage; Algernon in *The Importance of Being Earnest* at the Arena Stage; Johnny Wheelwright in *A Prayer For Owen Meany* at Round House Theatre; Tom in *The Glass Menagerie* at St. Louis Rep; Henry Higgins in *My Fair Lady* at The Media Theatre; Septimus Hodge in *Arcadia* at the Wilma Theater; and William Shakespeare in *The Beard of Avon* at the Cape Playhouse. He most recently appeared as Zvi in the off-Broadway production of *Hard Love*. His film credits include supporting roles in *The Box* and *Day Zero*.

Kahn graduated from the Ethical Culture Fieldston School in Riverdale, New York and earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Skidmore College. He currently resides in New York City with his wife and two children.