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Seven Things I've Learned: **An Evening with Ira Glass**



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Kansas Public Radio, your local connection to NPR News, classical music, jazz and *This American Life*, is proud to sponsor this evening's event with Ira Glass.

There will be no intermission during this performance.

Ira Glass is the creator, producer and host of *This American Life*, the iconic weekly public radio program with millions of listeners around the world. Using audio clips, music and video, Ira Glass delivers a unique talk, sharing lessons from his life and career in storytelling. What inspires him to create? What drives his passion? How have failures and successes informed his decisions? During his presentation, Ira will mix stories live onstage and help his audience better follow the creative process of one of our foremost storytellers.

Ira Glass began his career as an intern at National Public Radio's network headquarters in Washington, D.C. in 1978, when he was 19 years old. He put *This American Life* on the air in 1995. He also served as an editor for the groundbreaking podcasts *Serial*, *S-Town* and *Nice White Parents*.

Under Ira's editorial direction, *This American Life* has won the highest honors for broadcasting and journalistic excellence, including seven Peabody Awards and the first Pulitzer Prize ever awarded for audio journalism. In 2021, *This American Life* episode *The Giant Pool of Money* was inducted into the Library of Congress's National Recording Registry, the first podcast ever so honored.