

Jordy Jones is a bijou transomi always game to wrap his luppens round a bona cartso, park a plate or offer a dolly dish to a bold basket.

His latest passion is 'polari', the lost underground speech of English gay men, derived from a combination of lingua franca, cockney, and sailor slang, and demonstrated above.

He is an artist, writer, curator and community advocate. He has worked artistically with venues as diverse as Intermedia Arts Minneapolis, Minnesota, The Guggenheim Soho and the De Waag Society for Old and New Media Amsterdam, The Netherlands. He is proud to serve the queer community on the LGBT Advisory Committee of the SF Human Rights Commission, on the Board of Directors of the SF LGBT Pride Celebration Committee. He is past co-chair of the San Francisco Transgender Civil Rights Implementation Task Force. He is pursuing a Master's degree in Museum Studies at SFSU and will begin doctoral work in 2003 in Visual Studies at the University of California at Irvine, where he will be a UC Chancellors Fellow and will write a dissertation cultural history of trans* communities.