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MEASURE FOR MEASURE

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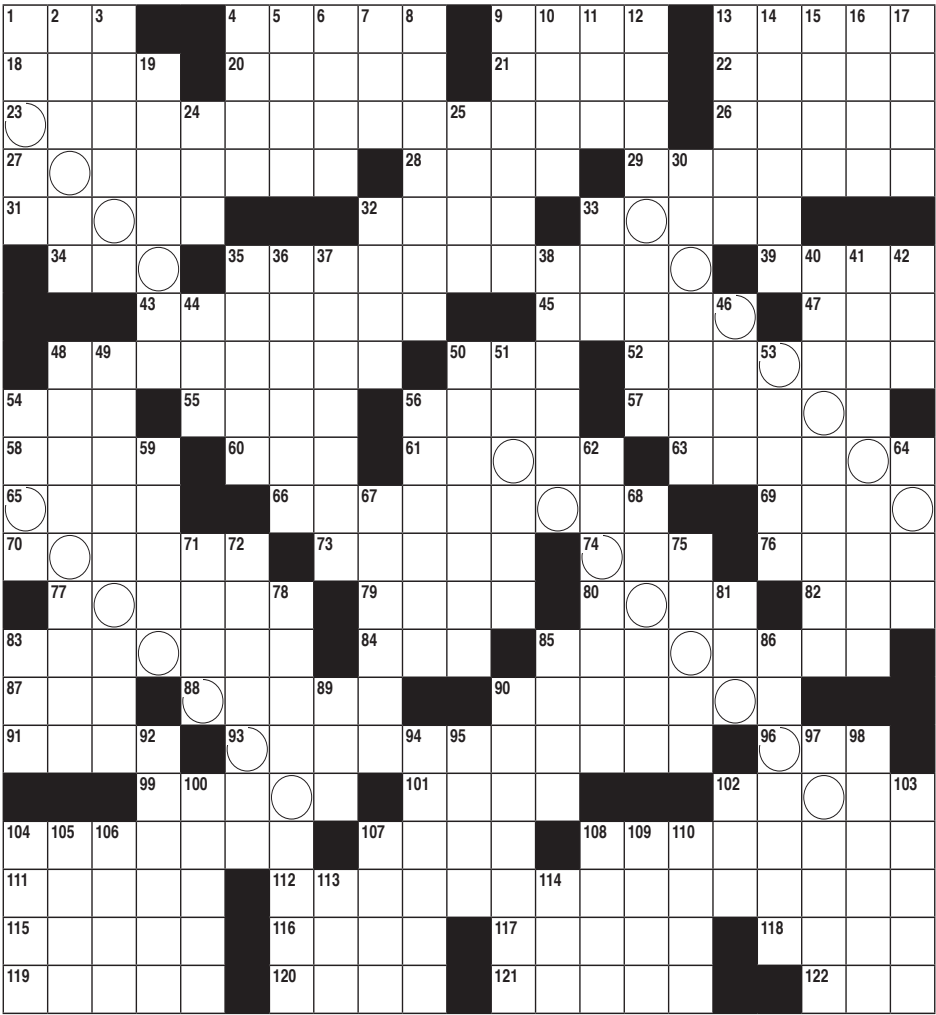
Victor Barocas is a professor of biomedical engineering at the University of Minnesota. He is married with two teenage children. He says that crossword constructing “reminds me of the research I do for my day job, because I’m trying to do something that I don’t know is possible. The constraints that my idea places on the puzzle may be too much. That uncertainty is somehow gratifying.” This puzzle, whose many circled letters appear in words across, down and diagonally (not easy to do!), must have been especially satisfying to create. — W.S.

ACROSS

- 1 Whole lot
- 4 Recalcitrant child’s cry
- 9 Early-20th-century author who foresaw TV and wireless telephones
- 13 Moved surreptitiously
- 18 Squabbling
- 20 Multitask command
- 21 As well
- 22 Assailed
- 23 What’s measured by [circled letters]
- 26 States as fact
- 27 Some group dinners
- 28 Employ cajolery on
- 29 In the indeterminate future
- 31 Wan
- 32 Have nothing to do with
- 33 Take place
- 34 Coveted Scrabble tile
- 35 What’s measured by [circled letters]
- 39 D.C. nine
- 43 2006 novel for which Cormac McCarthy won a Pulitzer Prize
- 45 In the least
- 47 Org. with Sharks and Penguins
- 48 Parts of reviews you might not want to read
- 50 Philosophy
- 52 Follow-up shot
- 54 Besmirsch

- 55 ____ colada
- 56 Grad
- 57 “I said enough!”
- 58 Chemical compound
- 60 One side of an argument
- 61 “Ora pro ____”
- 63 Grab quickly
- 65 Q-V link
- 66 What’s measured by [circled letters]
- 69 Nascar ____ (demographic group)
- 70 Puncture
- 73 Brand pitched as “Always Comfortable”
- 74 Contented sound
- 76 Heroic poetry
- 77 Hatfield haters
- 79 Small dam
- 80 Clubs, e.g. . . . or entry requirement for some clubs
- 82 Work on a wall, maybe
- 83 Pitched over
- 84 Not fast
- 85 Kitchen wraps
- 87 Ballerina’s support
- 88 Tundra’s lack
- 90 Ticket information
- 91 They may be bitter or defensive
- 93 What’s measured by [circled letters]
- 96 Lousy newspaper
- 99 Home of Sinbad Island
- 101 Bee or Em
- 102 Outfit
- 104 Communicates
- 107 Pushback
- 108 Coffee-flavored liqueur
- 111 Coffin supports
- 112 Adjusted to some index — or how 23-, 35-, 66- and 93-Across are measured per this puzzle?
- 115 El primer mes
- 116 Time to knock off work, maybe
- 117 Twilled fabric
- 118 Online search metric
- 119 Gas whose name comes from the Greek

- for “strange”
 - 120 Whip
 - 121 Overcoat material
 - 122 Nevada’s largest county by area
- DOWN**
- 1 City famous for its Cuban sandwiches
 - 2 Serving no practical purpose
 - 3 Individual tic-tac-toe squares
 - 4 Desktop item since 1998
 - 5 Beat the rap
 - 6 Phil who sang “Love Me, I’m a Liberal”
 - 7 Packers’ org.?
 - 8 Set aflame
 - 9 One of a bunch?
 - 10 Women’s soccer star ____ Morgan
 - 11 Letters at sea
 - 12 Crustaceans that carry their own camouflage
 - 13 Performing whale, once
 - 14 Establishment frequented by Falstaff
 - 15 Really binged, briefly
 - 16 Yuri Zhigavgo’s love
 - 17 Competitor of Amazon Handmade
 - 19 Moon of Saturn named after a Greek Oceanid
 - 24 Hightail it
 - 25 Gloomy
 - 30 Predators of armadillos and rabbits
 - 32 Places where cucumber slices are not for salad
 - 33 Openly gay
 - 35 Tending toward an outcome
 - 36 Before, old-style
 - 37 Rick of “Ghostbusters”
 - 38 Nickname for Thomasina
 - 40 Like Henry VIII, religiously
 - 41 Former Showtime series about Henry VIII
 - 42 Camera inits.
 - 44 Cool
 - 46 Symbol of craziness
 - 48 Home of Hearst Castle
 - 49 Alee, at sea
 - 50 Dubious excuse for not turning in



- homework
- 51 Poor
- 53 Powerful queen, in hearts
- 54 Maryland athlete, for short
- 56 Singer Bocelli
- 59 Bad thing to be left in, with “the”
- 62 Feeling unsettled, in a way
- 64 “Hey, over here!”
- 67 Like Indiana Dunes among the U.S.’s 61 national parks
- 68 Three-time Pro Bowler Culppepper
- 71 Actor Bud of “Harold and Maude”
- 72 Break from screen viewing
- 75 45 things
- 78 Gives up for good
- 81 Excessively
- 83 Line on a map: Abbr.
- 85 Nipple
- 86 Attainable
- 89 Great time
- 90 Big brand in soft drinks
- 92 Pizza chain since 1956
- 94 W.W. II admiral nicknamed “Bull”
- 95 Preliminary exam: Abbr.
- 97 Transport to Sugar Hill, in a classic song
- 98 Unlike most of Perry Mason’s clients
- 100 Setting for fraud, maybe
- 102 Roster builders, briefly
- 103 Bel ____ cheese
- 104 Wild goat
- 105 Word before and after “all”
- 106 Round part of a tool
- 107 ____ bean
- 108 Lose steam
- 109 “Bus Stop” playwright
- 110 Like bourbon
- 113 Zip
- 114 Morning coat

Get your laugh on and fill your glass up at Cheap Jokes and Dirty Whiskey

ASTORIA — Every third Friday at The Labor Temple Bar is Cheap Jokes and Dirty Whiskey comedy night. This month’s event is 8:30 p.m. Friday, May 17, with a \$5 cover charge. Five comedians are on hand, including host LLynn Marks, Kellie Irwin, headliner Jamal Harrington with local guest openers B Lee

and Public Emily Number One. Host and featured comic Marks was born and raised in Bellevue, Wash. He produces comedy shows in Seattle that showcase queer and people of color comedians. Irwin is a comedian, writer and host. After escaping 10 years in the snowy

jungles of Wyoming, she has returned to Portland. Her causal and hilarious approach to dealing with life’s garbage fire of events leaves you feeling inspired and able to laugh off the worst of situations. Before telling jokes on stage, Harrington produced stand-up comedy shows off the stage in New York City.

While booking and watching many novice and nationally touring acts perform for six years in various comedy clubs, Harrington decided to take the plunge into comedy after moving to Seattle. There he began performing at open mics throughout the city where he learned to find his comedic voice and manufacture his act.



Jamal Harrington



Kellie Irwin



LLynn Marks