

## **Sean Fine, Justice Writer, Globe and Mail**

Sean Fine is The Globe and Mail's justice reporter. In a previous stint on the beat, in the early 1990s, he set up his own Supreme Court nomination hearing, because no one told him such things aren't done in Canada. John Major was kind enough to submit it anyway. He did the first extended interview with Beverley McLachlin. He once asked Claire L'Heureux-Dube where her judgments came from and she pointed at her belly.

Sean grew up in Toronto and did a Bachelor of Journalism at Carleton University. He is a father of three, a retired baseball coach, a novelist at heart, and is now writing a children's picture book called *The Dog Who Didn't Know How to Be a Dog*. He has not been out of his basement in two years.

For several years, he lived happily in anonymity on The Globe and Mail editorial board, the only court higher than the Supreme Court. Sean has won three National Newspaper Awards for his justice reporting.