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TV

Chicago Fire Co-Star NBC Universal Various

THEATER

The African Company Presents Richard III	<i>Billy Brown</i>	Great River Shakespeare Festival	Corey Allen
Twelfth Night	<i>Sebastian</i>	Great River Shakespeare Festival	Beth Gardiner
A Christmas Carol	<i>Fred / Young Scrooge</i>	The Repertory Theatre of St. Louis	Hana Sharif
Twelfth Night	<i>Fabian / Toby u/s</i>	Yale Repertory	Carl Cofield
Master Wilder and the Cabala	<i>Amos / Cardinal</i>	Armory Theatre	Marti Lyons
Twelfth Night	<i>Sir Toby Belch</i>	Illinois Theatre	Matthew Arbour
A Midsummer Night's Dream	<i>Lysander</i>	Illinois Shakespeare Festival	Robert Quinlan
Cymbeline	<i>The Pianist</i>	Illinois Shakespeare Festival	Andrew Park
Romeo & Juliet	<i>Friar Laurence</i>	Illinois Theatre	Robert G. Anderson
The Play of Adam	<i>The Figure / David</i>	The Met Cloisters	Kyle A. Thomas
Dontrell, Who Kissed the Sea	<i>Dontrell Jr. (Dad)</i>	Illinois Theatre	Tyrone Phillips
The Grapes of Wrath	<i>Jim Casy</i>	Illinois Theatre	William Brown
The Henry V Project	<i>Henry/Williams</i>	Armory Theatre	Robert G. Anderson
Amazing the Change	<i>Raffael</i>	Atlantic Theater Company	Andy Schneeflock
A Midsummer Night's Dream	<i>Lysander</i>	Nashville Shakespeare Festival	Denice Hicks
Lost in the Part	<i>Joseph</i>	Amity Hall	Sarah Krohn
In the Blood	<i>Trouble</i>	The New School	Mia Smith
Alexander and the Terrible, No Good, Very Bad Day	<i>Nick</i>	Coterie Theater	Missy Koonce

VOICE-OVER

McDonald's	<i>Architect</i>	Just Voices	Roger Becker
Burger King	<i>Fed Up Employee</i>	House Productions	Mary Egan
Grand Theft Auto:	<i>Bartender</i>	Rockstar Games	Rod Edge
The Ballad of Gay Tony			

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA CHAMPAIGN

Professional Actor Training Program, MFA

Acting: Daniel J. Sullivan, Robert G. Anderson, William Brown, Lisa Gaye Dixon

Movement: Dr. Robin McFarquhar, Philip Johnston, Shozo Sato, Struan Leslie

Voice and Speech: Susan Schuld, Adam Thatcher

Stage Combat: Rapier & dagger and unarmed (SAFD certified combatant 2018): Zev Steinberg, Dr. Robin McFarquhar

Shozo Sato: Excellence in Performance Award Recipient, 2018

ATLANTIC ACTING SCHOOL: Evening Conservatory, August 2015

Acting: Andy Schneeflock, Heather Oakley, Josh Lewis, Michael R. Piazso, Scott Zigler

Voice: Katie Bull

Speech: Charley Layton

Suzuki & Viewpoints: Donnie Mathers

BELMONT UNIVERSITY: Studied Vocal Performance, May 2013 Voice:

Kelly Garner, Sandra Dudley, Henry Smiley

HB STUDIO: Hagen Summer Intensive, July 2010

Acting: Marion McCorry, Edward Morehouse, Arthur French, Carol Goodheart

SPECIAL SKILLS

Improvisation, Singer, Writer, Visual Artist, Michael Jackson (speaking voice impression), Nigerian (Igbo) Accent, Various Caribbean Accents, Southern Accent, RP and MLE Accents, blogger, novice genealogist, Driver's License, Tumbling.

