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Languages: English, French (International), Hebrew

Height: 5`9``

Weight: 150 Pounds

Hair: Brown

Eyes: Brown

Education/Training

- 2010 Laban workshop for Actors and Dancers with Bryan Doubt
- 2010 Concordia University – Bachelor of Fine Arts (with distinction): Major in Theatre
- 2010 Fight Directors Canada – Basic Actor Combatant Certification
- 2009 National Academy of Chinese Theatre Arts – Performing Arts Certificate

Artistic Work

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| 2012 | Actor | <i>On 2nd Ave</i> | Dora Wasserman Yiddish Theatre / Bryna Wasserman and Audrey Finklestein |
| 2012 | Dancer | <i>Cliché 4ever</i> | Salle Marie-Gérin-Lajoie / Lynsey Billing |
| 2011 | Actor | <i>The Wild Party</i> | Mainline Theatre / Nadia Verrucci |
| 2011 | Actor | <i>Crossroads</i> | M.A.I. (Fringe Festival) / JingJu Canada |
| 2011 | Dancer | <i>Cliché 3D</i> | Salle Marie-Gérin-Lajoie / Lynsey Billing |
| 2010/2011 | Actor | <i>Red Vs. The Wolf</i> | Centaur Theatre & Montreal Area Schools / Nadia Verrucci |
| 2010 | Actor | <i>The Drawer Boy</i> (selected scenes) | F.C. Smith Auditorium / Mireck Metelski |
| 2010/2011 | Actor | <i>Monkey King Borrowing the Fan</i> (JingJu [Chinese Opera] excerpt) | Various including: Canadian Museum of Civilization, Centre Pierre-Péladeau, etc. / JingJu Canada |
| 2010 | Actor | <i>Red Noses</i> | Concordia University D.B. Clark Theatre / Joel Miller |
| 2010 | Actor | <i>Daffodil Ball</i> | Gare Windsor / Canadian Cancer Society |
| 2010 | Actor | <i>Metamorphoses</i> | Concordia University Cazalet Theatre / Harry Standjofski |
| 2010 | Actor | <i>Soiree de l'Opera Chinoise</i> | Hingbaoshi Restaurant |
| 2009 | Actor | <i>The Elizabethan Bath Project</i> | Concordia University Cazalet Theatre and found spaces / Paul Hopkins |

2009	Actor	<i>A taste of Jing Ju</i>	Concordia University D.B. Clarke Theatre
2009	Actor	<i>Just for Laughs</i> press conference	<i>Just for Laughs</i> studio
2009	Director	<i>Bible Herstory</i> (workshop)	Concordia University
2008	Actor	<i>An Evening of Chinese Opera</i>	Montreal Chinese Community Cultural Center
2008	Puppeteer	<i>Dashboard</i>	Concordia University / Collective
2008	Actor	<i>Pop Art</i>	Montreal Museum of Fine Arts
2008	Actor	<i>Imagining Change</i>	Concordia University Oscar Peterson Concert Hall
2008	Actor	<i>Bohemia</i>	Théâtre de L'Esquisse / McGill Engineering Society
2008	Actor (extra)	<i>Frank's Letter</i> (Film)	Ofleb Productions
2005-2008	Actor/ Costume Designer/ Acting Coach	Purple Dragon Theatre: <i>Ali Baba and the forty Thieves, Oklahoma!, Evita, Roxie, Chicago, Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, Gulliver's Travels, Adventures of Huckleberry Finn, West Side Story, Esther</i>	Centre Culturel Calixa-Lavallee
2008	Actor	<i>Just For Laughs</i> Press Conference	<i>Just for Laughs</i> Studio
2008	Dancer	<i>Cliché</i>	Champlain College / Lynsey Billing
2008	Actor	<i>Eyes Wide Open</i>	Montreal Museum of Fine Arts / Cirque Du Soleil
2008	Choreographer	<i>Concordia Theatre Alumni Cabaret</i>	Concordia University
2008	Actor	<i>Bar Scene</i> (Film) / <i>Gamers</i> (Film)	Mcgill Cocaine Research Project / Van Royko
2007	Actor	<i>Footloose</i> (French Language Premiere)	Theatre Outremont / Expression
2006	Announcer/ M.C.	<i>BodySerpernt Vs. David Christian</i> (French)	<i>Just For Laughs</i> Studio / Festival du Nouveau Cinema
2006	Actor	<i>The Rocky Horror Show Live!</i>	The Rainbow Collective
2004	Actor	<i>Love None</i>	Vanier College
2001	Actor	<i>Antigone</i> (French)	Maimonide High School

Skills/Interests:

dance (hip-hop fusion[I], Broadway jazz[B]), Jingju (silks, single sword, double sword, staff/spear manipulation), quarterstaff, unarmed combat, swimming.