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Physical

Weight: 138lb Hair: Black Eyes: Brown Height: 5'5"

Personal Statement

Acting is constantly evolving. Acting is something that one person alone can influence, you don't need to have anything other than an imagination to create a performance or to influence people's ideas, and this fact truly excites me. Acting has the power to emotionally affect people, and it is exhilarating to be a part of something this powerful. Theatre allowed me to work in front of a live audience and this is a unique experience; anything can happen, so you have to be alert and work with fellow cast members as a team to ensure that if something does go wrong, that you can pick it up to make it seem part of the action. Acting is a living thing, and this quality is part of why I wish to make a career out of it.

I did some speech and drama in primary school and currently am with Interact Drama Adult Classes and I thoroughly enjoy it. I hope with this passion for acting I can hone my skills to become a better actor.

Work Experience

28th March 2018 Minor Supporting Actor for War Stories

Directed by John Laing

06th/12th/13th/19th/20th May 2017 Actor for the Fear NZ's Dunedin Horror

Story Asylum Fundraising Event directed

by Rory Foley

13th/24th/25th October 2016 Major speaking role in a student short film,

"Say Goodnight" Directed by Armand

Le Roux

21st April 2016 Extra for Goodbye Pork Pie Directed by

Matt Murphy

27th February 2016 One of the Cast for a self-recorded online

IMDB Feature Film

3rd September - 4th September 2014 Featured Extra for "I Survived" American

TV Series Directed by Glenn Standring

14th August 2014 Model for The Warehouse Extra Spring

Collection Clothing Range

5th May 2014 Extra for a Vodafone TV Commercial "Hero

Project" Directed by Adam Stevens

8th March - 9th March 2014 Extra for Night 'N Day TV Commercials

Directed by Glenn Jameson

9th May 2013 - current Patient Simulation, Outstanding Performance

9th December 2012 Last Chance To See: Comfortable Fears,

Allen Hall Theatre, Dunedin

1996 - 2001 Various parts in school plays, Durban,

South Africa

Education

6th November 2016 Awarded a scholarship for a Master Class

in Movement and Mime hosted by Fergus

Aitken

24th May 2015 Miranda Harcourt Acting Masterclass.

October 2012- December 2014 Interact Drama Classes-Adult Class:

Training in Documentary and Playback Theatre, Character Building Techniques,

Spontaneity, Vocal Production, Improvisation, Devising Theatre,

Movement with Jodie Bate, Tension and Focus, Combat Theatre and Aerial Circus

Skills with Rochelle Brophy.

Special Skills

- 1. I am a very good Improvisation Actor.
- 2. I take care of my body and compete in IFBB Men's Physique Bodybuilding category. This helps me stay in good condition for roles year round.
- 3. I am a dual citizen of New Zealand and South Africa which allows me to travel to these countries limitlessly.
- 4. I work well as part of a team which helps me create a scene with other actors to support them and create something magical on screen.
- 5. I love experiencing many cultures and environments which allows me to get into a scene without any limitations and allows the director to fully explore different angles with my character.

Referees

Cindy Diver Janine Knowles

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