

# Riley Ruth

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# BREIF ARTIST'S STATEMENT

After a performance someone said to me "Thank you for telling that story", and that really stuck with me. Through my art I want to continue telling stories of those who are often unheard, create a safe place to start conversations and challenge ideas of how stories should be written and who they are written for.

# **EXPERIENCE**

MUSIC MAN - Gracie Shinn/Ensemble

MACBETH - Messenger/ Ensemble

Hand to Hand and Weapon stage fight training

MAMMA MIA - Ensemble/Dance Captain

**CABARET** - Frenchie

• Guest choreographer: Heather McNeil

**SHE KILLS MONSTERS** - Tilly Evans

• Guest stage combat instructor: Heather McNeil

9 TO 5 - Ensemble/Dance Captain

FREAKY FRIDAY - Hannah

ELF - Ensemble/Tapper

Dance Captain

· Guest choreographer: Daria DeGaetano

· Guest Artist: Sam Stohlman

**DANCE NATION** - Amina

**HEATHERS** - Ensemble

Guest choreographer: Wesley Barnes

PRIDE AND PREJUDICE - Lydia

• Dialect Coach: Amy Jo

4.48 PSYCHOSIS - One person show

**EURYDICE** - Eurydice

## SKILLS

- STAGE COMBAT
- NEUTRAL MASK WORK
- CLOWNING
- PUPPETRY
- DANCE TRAINING BALLET, JAZZ, TAP, MODERN, HIP HOP
- IMPROV
- DIALECT TRAINING
- ANIMAL WORK
- DIRECTING
- EMOTIONAL RECALL
- AUTHENTIC ACTING WORK

# **MASTERCLASSES**

JEFF BLUMENKRANTZ

• MUSICAL THEATRE SHOWCASE

**HEATHER MCNEIL** 

DANCE/MOVEMENT STAGE COMBAT

DARIA DEGAETANO

• TAP WORKSHOP

AMANDA BRUTON

• TV/FILM ACTING SESSION

**URTA PARTICIPANT** 

• ONE ON ONE CALLBACKS

## REFERENCES

## **AMANDA BRUTON**

**EQUITY ACTOR AND TEACHING ARTIST** 

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## **EDUCATION**

2018 - 2022

**BACHELOR OF ARTS** 

MUSICAL THEATRE

HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY - TIFFIN, OH