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## **THEATRE**

King John Austria/Salisbury Folger Theatre, DC d. Aaron Posner The Vagrant Trilogy Theo/Jawad/Jul Mosaic Theater Company, DC d. Mark Wing-Davey The Crucible Judge Hathorne Olney Theatre Center, MD d. Eleanor Holdridge The Interstellar Ghost Hour Hammurabi Longacre Lea, DC d. Kathleen Akerley Love & Information Forum Theatre, DC Various d. Michael Dove A Midsummer Night's Dream **Bottom** Shakespeare Theatre /ACA, DC d. Eleanor Holdridge **Aufidius** Shakespeare Theatre /ACA, DC d. Craig Baldwin Coriolanus Rest Upon the Wind Salim NYU Skirball Center, NYC d. Simón Hanukai **Pawnshop Accordions** Egg FringeNYC, NYC d. Aaron Gonzalez The Loveliest Afternoon... Hudson Guild Theatre, NYC d. Brad Gore He Pocono Christmas d. Brad Gore Stacey Hudson Guild Theatre, NYC Pavilion D Lead Dodona Theatre, Kosovo EU d. Fadil Hysaj

## **FILM/TELEVISION**

The Blacklist NBC Co-Star d. Bill Roe / Sony Pictures Television Short d.Ismailai, E.Zagreda / Rocky from Da Bronx Growing Up Fat & Albanian Lead d. Paul Kurti/ Eastern Pearl Productions Right to Love Lead Feature d. Blerta Basholli / NYU & Morina Films Lena and Me Lead Short If the Trees Could Talk Supporting Short d. Michael Weinstein / Runaway Train Films Love and The Small Print Lead Short d. Adam Lawrence / Beast of the East Prod. d. Bridget Machete / Machete Media Prod. Frostbite **Principal** Feature d. Dilia Alshina / Rolling Studios Salima Supporting Short d. Farouk Chakwa Let Our Fame Be Unheard Lead Short Partisan Supporting Short d. Jake Holm / NYU & HolmMade Films Three Minutes of Solitude d. Visar Krusha / Produksioni Krusha Lead Short

## TRAINING/SPECIAL SKILLS

MFA Classical Acting - Academy for Classical Acting at Shakespeare Theatre/GWU (Class 2017), DC

Acting Michael Kahn, Alec Wild, Floyd King, Ed Gero, Isabelle Anderson

Voice & Text Ellen O'Brien, Lisa Beley, Alec Wild (*Text*)

Movement Roberta Stiehm (Movement), Isabelle Anderson, Dody DiSanto (Mask, Clown,

Commedia dell'Arte), Chris Cherry (Alexander Technique)

Wynn Handman Studio NY Acting & Scene Study with Wynn Handmann (1 Year), NYC

On-Camera Workshops Marci Phillips, Judy Henderson

BFA Acting - Millikin University, Decatur, IL

BFA Acting - Academy of Fine Arts at University of Prishtina, Kosovo, EU

Languages: Fluent Albanian, Serbian, Croatian, Bosnian, Albanian & Serbian Dialect Coach, IPA proficient

Accents: Albanian, Russian, Middle Eastern, Eastern European, Turkish, French

**Sports:** Professional Soccer, Professional Basketball, Volleyball, Swimming, Bicycling, Yoga, Pilates **Combat:** SAFD Certified Stage Combatant (Rapier & Dagger, Unarmed, Single Sword), Fencing, Firearms

**US Passport/Driver's License**