

# Wade Schacht

Inspired, young actor seeking professional experience and training.

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## EDUCATION

### Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL

August 2023 - present

Currently pursuing a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Acting.

## PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

**Production, Role, Year - Company**

### Regional

**Anything Goes**, Ensemble, 2024 - Woodstock Playhouse

**Chitty Chitty Bang Bang**, Soldier/Ensemble, 2024 - Woodstock Playhouse

**Jimmy Buffett's Escape to Margaritaville**, Goon #1/Ensemble, 2024 - Woodstock Playhouse

### Independent/College

**3x3 Endings/Beginnings: A Play Festival**, Ryan/Tyler, IWU School of Theatre Arts

**Bye Bye Birdie**, Albert Peterson, 2024 - IWU Music Theatre Society

**Matilda! The Musical**, Miss Trunchbull, 2023 — Central Drama @ ITF

**RENT**, Roger, 2023 — Central Drama

### Upcoming

**All My Sons**, Chris Keller, 2025 — IWU School of Theatre Arts

## TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

**The Mystery of Edwin Drood**, Light Board Op, 2024 — IWU School of Theatre Arts

**The Wolves**, Assistant Electrician, 2024 - IWU School of Theatre Arts

**The Duchess of Malfi**, Usher, 2023 - IWU School of Theatre Arts

**Carrie the Musical**, Run Crew, 2023 - IWU School of Theatre Arts

**Mauritius**, Assistant Electrician, 2023 - IWU School of Theatre Arts

## REFERENCES

Tom Quinn, Associate Professor of Theatre Arts and Head of Acting Program, Illinois Wesleyan University - Email: tqinn@iwu.edu  
Phone: (217) 871-3399

LaDonna Wilson, retired English and Acting teacher at Champaign Central High School - Email: ladonnawilsonleach@gmail.com  
Phone: 217-898-8366

Douglas Farrell, Casting Director and Co-Artistic Director of the Woodstock Playhouse - Email: woodstockplayhousecasting2024@gmail.com  
Phone: (845) 417-6459

## TRAINING

Acting Training (2023-pres.)  
from Tom Quinn, Chris Connelly, and Nancy Loitz at Illinois Wesleyan University

Vocal Training (2023-pres.)  
from Ingrid Kammin at Illinois Wesleyan University

Vocal Training (2019-2023)  
from Jason Morgan at Jason Morgan Voice Studio

Dance Training (2009-2016)  
from Christine Rich Studio and Champaign Ballet Academy

Dance Training (2019-2023)  
from Sarah Mohr at Champaign Central High School

Theatre Training (2019-2023)  
from Ladonna Wilson at Champaign Central High School

## AWARDS/RECOGNITIONS

2023 IHSMTA Best Actor Nominee

Mainstage Performer as Miss Trunchbull in Matilda! The Musical at the 2023 International Thespian Festival

2023 Champaign Central Thespian of the Year

2022-23 President of the Champaign Central Drama Club

## SPECIAL SKILLS

Dialects (British, German, Spanish, French, New York, Boston, American Southern) Partner dancing/lifts, Golf, Tennis, Basketball, US/Swing experience, TYA experience, Playwriting

