

Shanell West

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Height: 5'4 Eyes: Brown Hair: Brown

THEATRE

Back to the Past	Bessie Mae Smith	BTTUNY- Dir. Jean Remy Monnay
One-Act Jamboree: No God in The Streets	Fula/Ahamefula	Black Theatre Troupe of Upstate New York- Dir. Hettie Barnhill
Fresh Acts New Play Festival (Staged Reading)	Monica	UAlbany Theatre Program
Little Rapes (Staged Reading)	Nikki	NYSWI UAlbany Theatre- Dir. Shaun Patrick Tubbs
The Taming of the Shrew	Baptista	UAlbany Theatre- Dir. Ryan Garbayo
Mary Shelly Meets Frankenstein (Staged Reading)	Jane/Claire	UAlbany Theatre- Dir. Ryan Garbayo
Clyde's	Letitia	UAlbany Theatre -Dir. Jean Remy Monnay
The Piano Lesson	Bernice	UAlbany Theatre -Dir. Jean Remy Monnay
Twelfth Night	Valentina	UAlbany Theatre -Dir. Chad Larrabee
Josephine*	Virtue	UAlbany Theatre -Dir. Sara Katzoff
The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes	Dr. Watson	Renaissance Highschool- Dir. Talia Jaime
The Lost Boy	Peter Pan	Renaissance Highschool- Dir. Talia Jaime

*- World Premiere

EDUCATION & TRAINING

University at Albany: BA Theatre, Minor in Acting

Acting, Voice, Movement, Shakespeare, Commedia dell'arte: Ryan Garbayo, Sara Katzoff, Chad Larabee, Yvonne Perry, Melissa Hurt, Shaun Patrick Tubbs

NYU Tisch Future Theatre Artists

Voice, Movement, Acting: Nathan Flower

Statement Arts

Acting: Liza Politi

SPECIAL SKILLS & INTERESTS

Physical: Rollerblading/skating, Double Jointed Hands/fingers, Snapping

Voice: Burping on command, Whistling, New York Accent (Bronx), Southern Accent, Basic British Accent, Alto.

Miscellaneous: Fast typing, Gamer, Anime, License, Passport, Reader, Writer Art: Painting/Digital, Good with kids

Versatile hair: Naturally Curly Hair, Afro, Box Braids, Cornrows, Wigs, Straight Hair