

Height: 5'2" Hair: Blonde Eyes: Brown Voice: Mezzo

MELISSA STRAIN



FILM/TELEVISION

In The Heights Warner Brothers Pictures, Jon M. Chu Dancer The Righteous Gemstones Shadow Dancer HBO, Adam Battlestein American Horror Story: Freakshow FX, Michael Uppendahl Fan Dancer Viacom/Telefe. Adam Cates Chicas de Viaie Dancer John Frieda Vox Media Athlete Watchman (Commercial) Acrobat Pilobolus ROOTS(2016) Ballroom Dancer History Channel/AMC/Lifetime

Featured Dancer

Pink Lemonade Album

LIVE/THEATRICAL

"All Right" Mod Sun Music Video

Battle Royale feat. Billy Porter Dancer Justin Prescott, Broadway Bares Porsche (Industrial) Dancer Pilobolus, Shanghai Cotton Candy & Cocaine (Lab) Carlos Armesto, NYC Dance Captain Choice Hotels (Industrial) **Projection Dancer** Brooke Wendle, Las Vegas Transitions Lenses (Industrial) Brooke Wendle, Las Vegas Projection Dancer Novartis (Industrial) Acrobat Pilobolus, Las Vegas Berenik (New York Fashion Week) Featured Dancer Pascal Rekoert, NYC Echad Mi Yodea (Concert Dance) Featured Dancer Ohad Naharin, Jerusalem

CHOREOGRAPHY/ASSISTING

Southwest Airlines Choreographer Live Industrial Cassidy Noblett Assistant Carmit Music Video Cassidy Noblett Assistant Nick Hagelin Music Video Commercial Dance Intensive Casey Noblett Assistant Zombie Prom Choreographer Fontainebleau Theatre The 25th APCSB Choreographer Fontainebleau Theatre You're a Good Man Charlie Brown Choreographer Fontainebleau Theatre

DANCE STYLES

Jazz, Contemporary, Theatre, Tap, Ballet, Hip Hop, Acro, Vogue, Modern, Partnering, Salsa & Bachata

SPECIAL SKILLS

Acrobatics & Tumbling, Partnering, Aerial Lyra, Acro in Heels, Dance Captain, Contortion, Contact Improv, Southern Dialect, Horseback Riding, Baton, Rehearsal Directing, Hair, Makeup, Effective Communicator, Driver's License & U.S. Passport

EDUCATION

B.S. in Dance and Kinesiology: Indiana University/ Jerusalem Academy of Music and Dance Summer Programs: Pilobolus, Parsons Dance, Liz Lerman & Dance Masters of America

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