

MELISSA STRAIN

HEIGHT: 5'2" HAIR: RED
WEIGHT: 115 lbs EYES: BROWN

FILM/TELEVISION

American Horror Story: Freakshow Fan Dancer FX

Pilobolus Acrobat Pilobolus Creative Services
ROOTS(2016) Ballroom Dancer History Channel/AMC/Lifetime

DANCE/AERIAL

Pilobolus Dancer Pilobolus Creative Services

Equinox NYC Lyra Aerialist Equinox

Panorama- Martha Graham Dancer Indiana University
Echad Mi Yodea- Ohad Naharin Featured Dancer Jerusalem Academy
Muse of Fire- Ben Munisteri Dancer Indiana University

Out of the Shadows- Pascal Rekoert Acrobat/Aerialist Streb Lab for Action Mechanics

THEATRE

Cabaret Kit Kat Girl Indiana University
Chicago Dancer Indiana University

CHOREOGRAPHY/ASSISTING

Southwest Airlines Choreographer Regional Marketing Industrial Commercial Dance Intensive **Assistant Director** UNCSA **Broadway Dance Center** Adam Cates- Choreographer Assistant Pinwheel Assistant Random Access Theatre N-House Productions Casey Noblett- Director Assistant You're A Good Man Charlie Brown Fontainebleau Theatre Choreographer The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee Fontainebleau Theatre Choreographer The Leader of The Pack Fontainebleau Theatre Choreographer

DANCE STYLES

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

SPECIAL SKILLS

Aerial Lyra, Acrobatics, Tumbling, Contact Improvisation, Horseback Riding, Baton, Rehearsal Directing, Choreography, & Dance Instruction

EDUCATION

Indiana University (2008-2012), Jerusalem Academy of Music and Dance (2010-2011), Mary Dee's Dance Studio (1993-2008) / Summer Programs- Pilobolus, Dance Masters of America, Parsons Dance, Liz Lerman Dance Exchange, & NOCCA

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