

WILLIS WHITE

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BROADWAY

In the Heights

*Spelling Bee (Original Co.)

Hairspray

Ensemble, u/s Benny

Standby Chip, Mitch, Principal Panch

Gilbert, Duane, u/s Seaweed

Richard Rodgers Theatre, Thomas Kail dir.

Circle In The Square, James Lapine dir.

Neil Simon Theatre, Jack O'Brien dir.

(*Drama Desk Best Ensemble Award)

OFF-BROADWAY & REGIONAL

Stephen Schwartz's The Secret Silk

Spelling Bee Off-Broadway (Original Co.)

Zanna! Off-Broadway (Original Co.)

Children of Eden (Chicago Premiere)

A Chorus Line

Smokey Joe's Cafe

(*Chicago Reader Critics' Choice Award)

Old Man Makio

Principal Standby

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Cain*

Ritchie

Adrian

Princess Theatre, John Tartaglia, dir.

Second Stage Theatre, James Lapine dir.

Houseman Theatre, Devinand Jenki dir.

Barber Theatre, Rives Collins dir.

Cahn Auditorium Chicago, Mitzi Hamilton dir.

Theatre-By-the-Sea, Gary John LaRosa dir.

FILM/TELEVISION

Hairspray

Across the Universe

American Idol

Dancing with the Stars

Duets

Soundtrack Contractor & Vocalist

Featured Dancer

Recurring On Camera Singer

On Camera Singer

On Camera Singer

New Line Cinema

Revolution Studios, Julie Taymor dir.

FOX/FreemantleMedia Enterprises

ABC

ABC/Keep Calm and Carry On Productions

WORKSHOPS

The Protagonists

Heart and Soul

Theme Song Ringer/Methotham Citizen

Cole

Chris Gatelli dir., Michael Scheib comp.

Barba Siman dir., Charles Strouse comp.

TRAINING

Penny Templeton Studios, New York City

On Camera, Commercial:

Penny Templeton, Hank Schob

Northwestern University - BM in Voice Performance/Certificate in Musical Theater/BA in Political Science

Acting:

Kim Rubinstein, Dominic Missimi, Marc Robin

Stage Combat:

Jerry Galante

Dance—Jazz:

Mitzi Hamilton, Billy Siegenfeld, Lara Teeter

Voice—Musical Theater:

Kurt Hansen, William Warfield

Voice—Opera:

Elizabeth Fischer Monastero

The Music Arts Institute of Kansas City Missouri

Voice—Classical, Musical Theatre:

Jeff Carter

Emmanuel Development Center, Kansas City Missouri

Voice—Gospel:

Betty Griffin-Keller, Genetter Bradley, Sharon Marshall, DeWayne Woods

ENSEMBLES

Princess Cruises

The Broadway Boys, NYC

West Angeles COGIC Mass Choir, LA

Marble Collegiate Gospel Choir, NYC

Voices of Faith, Kansas City, MO

Resident Guest Entertainer/Vocal Captain

Feature Member

Featured Soloist

South African Tour Soloist/Section Leader

Founder/Director

Jesse Nager dir.

Jason White dir.

Mark Miller dir.

COMMERCIALS & RECORDINGS

Lists available upon request

OTHER SKILLS

Vocal Range: (D2-A5); Instruments: cello, percussion; Track & Field: relay, sprinter; Producer/Composer: country, a cappella, folk, jazz, disco, musical theatre, opera, pop, R&B, hip-hop; General Sports: football, volleyball, fishing; Misc: legal training (JD - UCLA Law)