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Education:

Completed year 12 at Pembroke School 2007. Tertiary Entrance Rank 96.

Flinders University Bachelor of Arts/ Bachelor of Education. Majoring in Drama, English and Sociology. (2008-2011)

Film and Television studio International full time course, Craig McMahon, 2013.

Acting Experience:

PROFESSIONAL ROLES

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| 2017 (July) | Presenter of "Illest TV" Season 2, Aussie Coast Productions, Dominic Rocca |
| 2017 (July) | Mercedes Benz Campaign, Welbourn O'Brien, Josh Welbourn. |
| 2017 (June) | Aristides Fine Jewels Campaign, Claire Aristides. |
| 2017 (May) | Face of "Sweater Club", Colbee Mifsud |
| 2016 (July) | Heins Soup Commercial; lead talent, Jump Productions. |
| 2015 (July) | Face of FinerRings jewellery campaign, Taiba Ash. |
| 2015 (May) | "Don Carlos", Countess, Opera Australia, Director, Elijah Moshinsky |
| 2015 (Jan) | "Awe Cosmeceuticals" Brand Ambassador Campaign. |
| 2014 (November) | "No Two Snowflakes", Feature film, Bianca (lead), Ron Brown. |

2014 (October) "Rise and Fall" Justice Crew Music Video. Sony Music.

2014 (September) "Crew Cut", Feature film, Gina, Screen Australia

2014 (September) Mitsubishi Commercial, Nylon Films,

2014 (August) Thomas Jewellers; tv commercial and radio commercial, lead.

2014 (July) My Milano Pillow Commercial, Story Lab

2014 (June) "Loving Melbourne" commercial, Frank Ding, Aulc Pty Ltd

2014 (May) "Carmen", *Manuellita*, Opera Australian, Director; Matthew Barclay.

2014 (March) Colgate commercial, Chemist Warehouse, Healthy Break, Silver Spoon Productions.

2013 (December) BUPA commercial *Trail Runner* Clemenger BBDO Melbourne, Jake Robb

2013 (November) Presenter of "Illest TV" Season 1, Aussie Coast Productions, Dominic Rocca

2013 (November) Music Video for Lowrider, Lead Actress. Studio Sunkie, Daniel Principe

2013 (October) "Danger 5 Season 2", *Bat Hood*, Dario Russo. SA Film Corp. Dinosaur Pty Ltd

2013 (October) Voiceover, "Breach", Liam Neal

2013 (October) "Winning Hand" short film, *Emily*, Markos Hasiotis

2012 (December) "Is it Dementia", *Girlfriend*, Short Focus Films

2012 (December) "Is it Dementia", *Cashier*, Short Focus Films

2012 (October) Farmers Union Iced Coffee commercial, *Nurse*, Steve Saussey

2011 (October) "Carmen", *Manuellita*, State Opera of South Australian, Director; Matthew Barclay.

2011 (August) Sip 'n' Save Commercial, Nylon Films

2011 (January) "Say it with Flowers". Steve Callen. You Better Watch Out Films.

2010 (September) "Danger 5 Season 1". *Sheeba*. Dario Russo. SA Film Corp. Dinosaur Pty Ltd

2010 (May) Fantastic "Goodies" Commercial. Roh Smith. Spirit Films.

2010 (Mar) Toyota CMI Commercial

2002 (Aug) Concert performances "THE FAIRIES WINTER CONCERT"
as Arabella (3 shows)
Norwood Concert Hall
Jen Watts Producer

- 2001 (Jan, Feb) Musical, "THE SOUND OF MUSIC"
as Louisa Von Trapp (6 week season)
The Festival Theatre
Gordon Frost Organisation Productions
- 2000 (July) Concert performances "THE FAIRIES FARMYARD MAGIC TOUR"
as Arabella (6 shows)
Norwood Concert Hall and Golden Grove Arts Centre
Jen Watts Producer
- 1999 (Oct) Concert performances "THE FAIRIES LIVE IN CONCERT"
as Arabella (5 shows)
Norwood Concert Hall
Jen Watts Producer
- (Nov) Film-Feature Video "FARMYARD MAGIC"
as Arabella (lead child role)
ABC Productions
- 1998 (June) Film-Feature Video "THE FAIRIES"
as Arabella (lead child role)
SA. Film Corp
Jen Watts Producer
- (July) Film-Feature Video "A FAIRY MERRY CHRISTMAS"
as Arabella (lead child role)
SA. Film Corp
Jen Watts Producer

AMATEUR THEATRE

- 2009 "FRIDAY NIGHT IN TOWN" as Emma
Flinders University, Joh Hartog
- 2007 "INHERITANCE" as Maureen Delaney
Julianne English, Pembroke School
- 2006 "IOLANTHE" as Fleta
David Lampard for Gilbert and Sullivan Society
At the Union Hall and Sir Robert Helpman Theatre (Mt Gambier)
- 2005 -"20/20" choreographer
Pembroke School
- 2005 -"ALICE" as Alice
Kate Anolak for MS Society
At the Odeon Theatre
- 2005 -"INTO THE WOODS" as Sleeping Beauty
David Lampard and Joshua Penley
At the Odeon Theatre

- 2004 -“GREASE” as Teen Angel and Pink Lady
Pembroke School
Norwood Concert Hall
- 2004 -“THE WIZARD OF OZ” as Dorothy
Shane Davidson for MS Society
At the Odeon Theatre
- 2004 -“GYPSY” as Marjorie May/Show Girl
Shane Davidson for MS Society
At the Odeon Theatre
- 2003 - “OLIVER” as Bet/Strawberry Seller
Shane Davidson for MS Society at the
Norwood Concert Hall
- 2003 -“ROMEO AND JULIET”
Dance/Drama
Pembroke School
At the Convention Centre
- 2002 -“101 DALMATIANS” as Perdita
Joni’s Theatre Bugs production at the Odeon Theatre
- 2002 -“THE ADVENTURES OF PIPPI LONGSTOCKING” as Pippi
Joshua Penley for MS Society at the Odeon Theatre
- 2001 (Aug) -“FESTIVAL OF MUSIC 2001 CONCERT SEASON”
as a “We Are Home Here” troupe member
- 2000 (Oct) -“LES MISERABLES” as Cosette (the child role)
Mayfair Theatre Productions
Andy Ahrens director
- (April) -“ALICE IN WONDERLAND” as Alice
Joni’s Theatre Bugs production at the Odeon Theatre

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCES

Include: Sound Studio Recordings for C.D and Tape for “THE FAIRIES”
Peter Combe’s “Little Groover Team”
“A GROOVY CONCERT FOR KIDS’ TOUR”
SAFM concert and radio work
JONI’S THEATRE BUGS Performance Group productions
THE WIZARD OF OZ as Toto
MADELINE as Madeline
ANNIE as Annie
CINDERELLA as Narrator
CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY as Mrs Salt
ALLADIN as Lo Suds Washee
SLEEPING BEAUTY as Sleeping Beauty

PETER PAN as a lost boy

SHANE DAVIDSON'S Theatre productions

PIPPY LONGSTOCKINGS (1998 + 2002) as chorus + Pippi

CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY as an Oompa Loompa

MAYFAIR THEATRE Productions

JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOUR DREAMCOAT as chorus

LES MISERABLES as Cosette (the child role)

LOCAL SCHOOL Productions

GEL as "Director"

PINAFORE PIRATES as Pirate Queen

CINDERELLA as Cinderella

CHARITY performances

SIDS

CRIPPLED CHILDRENS ASSOCIATION

STARLIGHT FOUNDATION

CHILDHOOD CANCER

MS SOCIETY

ANNUAL MITCHAM DANCE STUDIOS CONCERTS

Solo singing performances

Duet and solo, song and dance

Troupe dance

Jazz, Tap, Classical, Contemporary

LOCAL DANCE COMPETITIONS

Duet and solo, song and dance

Troupe dance

SINGING

Robyn Snell

Pauline Jameson

School Choir (Glen Osmond Primary School)

Pembroke, Private Lessons; Lainie Jamieson and Kim Spargo

Pembroke Choir Kim Spargo

Kristin Hardy Porter (current) at Mitcham Dance Studios

DRAMA

Joni Combe (Joni's Theatre Bugs) (1998-2002)

Shane Davidson (drama group) (2002- 2006)

Josh Penley (Industry Drama group)

Joh Hartog (Flinders University 2008-2010)

Ann Peters, SA Casting (2011)

DANCING

Linda Williams, Kathy Earle, Gabrielle Robinson, Myfi

Mitcham Dance Studios (1993-current)

Gravity Dance Studios (2009-current)

Jazz, Tap, Classical ballet and Contemporary

Completed stage 1 and 2 SACE Dance

GUITAR	Colin Falconer and Michelle Murphy: private lessons
SPORT	Touch Football South Australian State League Team 2007-2009 Social Touch Football 2007-current Austag SA 2008-2010 (Best player award) Coaching Pembroke Junior team 2007-current Softball Pembroke A's Sturt Softball Club Club Badminton Athletics SAPSASA and State
STUNT WORK	Danger 5. Dario Russo and David Ashby. SA Film Corp. Dinosaur Pty Ltd