

Joanna Parson

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Mezzo to F
Ht: 5'6 1/2"

NATIONAL TOUR

BUDDY Mary Lou Sokoloff (*Maria Elena, Vi Petty u/s*) Ordway Music Theatre

SELECTED NEW YORK THEATRE

WILD PARTY Madeleine True B-Side Productions
JUNIE B'S ESSENTIAL GUIDE May Theatreworks USA (*workshop*)
A MAN OF NO IMPORTANCE Mrs. Curtin B-Side Productions
THE AUDIENCE Freddy Transport Group
** (*Drama Desk-nominated, Best Musical*)
ALL THE WAY HOME Sally Transport Group
MRS. BOB CRATCHIT'S WILD ... Mrs. Bob Cratchit Gallery Players
THE GREAT UNKNOWN Ensemble/Mother Sara NY Musical Theatre Festival
THICKER THAN WATER Miss Passivo Ensemble Studio Theatre
REDDY OR NOT Joanna (co-star, co-creator) NY Int'l Fringe Festival
I CLAUDIUS LIVE Plancina/Agripinilla Theatre Askew

SELECTED REGIONAL THEATRE

AS YOU LIKE IT Amiens/Hymen Weston Playhouse
DAS BARBECU Fricka/Actor 1 Florida Studio Theatre
COWGIRLS Lee Florida Studio Theatre
NOEL AND GERTIE Gertrude Lawrence Henlopen Theatre Project (DE)
RADIO GALS America The Depot Theatre
SWINGTIME CANTEEN Jo The Depot Theatre
CLOUD NINE Victoria/Edward Human Race Theatre Co.
PICASSO AT THE LAPIN AGILE Suzanne/Countess/Admirer Human Race Theatre Co.
SYLVIA Sylvia Human Race Theatre Co.
TAMING OF THE SHREW Lucentio Cincinnati Shakespeare Festival

FILM/TV

AS THE WORLD TURNS Fan #2 (u5) CBS
OFFSEASON Dorothy Pearl Souza (supporting) Dir. Nathan Butera
INVINCIBLE ANTICHRIST VICTORY Goody-Goody (lead) Iron Mule Short Comedy Film Series (Best of)
#2 Joanna (lead) Sciatica Veer (Washington DC 48 Hour Film Fest)
OUR LEAD GUITARIST Teacher (lead) Columbia Grad Film
TEMPS Ellen (lead) Loosely Translated (NY TV Fest)
PAWS White Woman (lead) Canal Plus (France), NYU grad film

SELECTED COMEDY

THE LIAR SHOW Storytelling Cornelia Street Cafe, Time Out NY Lounge
INDEPENDENT COMIC Stand-up (*musical material*) Caroline's Comedy Club, LA's Comedy Store, etc.

TRAINING

Acting: B.A. University of Virginia, magna cum laude
Bob Krakower, Charles Tuthill, Craig Carnelia, VP Boyle, Jen Waldman
Voice: Arthur Lessac, Jill Edwards, Dr. Bruce Kolb, Andrew Byrne
Commercial Technique: Nadette Stasa, Brooke Thomas and Mary Egan
Improv: Gary Austin (Founder, *The Groundlings*), Upright Citizen's Brigade

SKILLS

Comedy writing (*Complete Idiot's Guide to Jokes*), songwriting. Guitar, Clarinet, Sax, Basic piano and cello. Basic French. Driver (standard). US and Estonian (European Union) Passport. Founding mem., Cincinnati Shakespeare Festival.