



RISA COHEN

Height 5'3"
Eyes green
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Hair brown
Voice alto
ACTRA Apprentice

THEATRE

Tom, Dick & Harry

Sally - Lead, Dir. Byron McKim/Hamilton Fringe Festival

Harold Pinter's Party Time

Liz, Elon Theatre Group NYC

Bitch

Lying Bitch, Dir. Craig 'muMs' Grant, NYC

Romeo & Juliet

Nurse/Gregory, Common Ground Theatre NC & LABA Theatre NYC

Gutterdrunk: The E.A. Poe Revisions

Peggy - Lead, Hyper Aware Theatre Co. NYC

Cabaret

Texas Kit Kat Girl, Circle in the Square (PW)

The Two Noble Kinsmen

First Queen / Master Gerrold, Circle in the Square (PW)

The Winter's Tale

Paulina, Circle in the Square (PW)

The Seagull

Arkadina, Circle in the Square (PW)

Twist

Mickey, Firehall Theatre

The Simpsons Touring Show

Character, The Forum Ontario Place

FILM & TV

RMA (sh)

Agent Bailey - Lead, Labyrinth Media

Tiny House (sh)

Mom - Supporting, Josh Clapp Films

Sugar Coated (pilot)

Elias - Principal, Sugar Coated TV

Sunny (sh)

Sunny - Principal, Metal Monster Productions

Sister's Curse (sh)

Sharon - Lead, Grinning Teddy Productions

Surviving Evil

Elizabeth Thomson - Lead, Cineflix Discovery / OWN

Evil, I

Adrienne Cullen - Principal, Discovery Channel

Reunion (sh)

Alison - Lead, Yellow Ape Productions

Thanksgiving Day

Honey - Principal, Tatyana Film Productions

Lessons From My Early Twenties

Ms. Steiner, AMC Productions

Disaffected Youth (sh)

Sam's Mom - Principal, Sofie Somoroff

Shattered (sh)

Susan - Lead, NYFA Yunus Yildirim

The Player (sh)

Jessica - Principal, Ryerson

My Husband The Hungry Corpse (sh)

Kate - Principal, Ryerson

Little Girl Big Demon Best Day Ever (sh)

Devon - Principal, Dir. Griffin Davis

TRAINING

Circle in the Square Theatre School Professional Workshop (NYC) * Private Study

- Gregory Abels
- B.H. Barry
- Edward Berkeley
- Jacqueline Brookes
- Danyon Davis
- Leigh Dillon
- Beth Falcone*
- Larry Gleason*
- Andrea Haring
- Terese Hayden
- Noel Katz
- Alan Langdon
- Sara Louise Lazarus
- Brad Lemons
- Elizabeth Loughren
- Dan Renkin
- Dr. Lucille Rubin
- Ken Schatz
- Daniel Singer
- Maria Tucci
- Kimberly Vaughn

Training (Toronto)

- Rosemary Dunsmore (Scene Study)
- Lynne Cormack (The Audition Lab/ Clinic On Camera)
- Al Waxman (Scene Study)

Dance Training (NYC & Toronto)

Former Professional Ballroom Dancer. Performer & Competitor

- Rumba
- Cha Cha
- Swing
- Bolero
- Mambo
- Salsa
- Jazz
- Ballet
- Egyptian Ballet
- Tap
- Belly

SPECIAL SKILLS

- Teleprompter
- Choreographer/Instructor (all dance styles)
- Jeet Kune Do/Filipino Martial Arts including weapons
- Stage Combat (Armed & Unarmed)
- Pistol, including semi-auto handgun and revolver, long guns
- Canoeing
- IPA
- Dialects
- Yoga