

# Joshua Thomas

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## THEATRE

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HOME/LAND	Gaia, Ensemble, Dramaturg	Goodman Theatre/InterGeNs Ensemble
RAISING YOUR VOICE!	Bobby	Goodman Theatre/InterGeNs Ensemble
OPENING	Liander Schandelmeier	Goodman Theatre/InterGeNs Ensemble
RITE OF SPRING	Ensemble	Goodman Theatre/InterGeNs Ensemble
NOT THE WAKING/THE RISING	Isaac	Goodman Theatre/Playbuild Intensive
DEVISED PRODUCTION	Ensemble	NeuroKitchen Theatre/Ron Bieganski
THE NETHER	Cedric Doyle	Columbia College Chicago/Sophie Wheelless
LITTLE WOMEN	J. Brooks (u/s), R. March (u/s), Mr. L (u/s)	Ball State University/Veronica Santoyo
YET WE SLEEP/WE DREAM	Lover	SSICP Drama Club/Rebecca Solomon
B.H.M. DEVISED JEOPARDY	Chadwick Boseman	SSICP Drama Club/Rebecca Solomon
B.H.M. DEVISED JEOPARDY	Prince Roger Nelson	SSICP Drama Club/Rebecca Solomon
SEGREGATION: A SIN!	Father	SSICP Drama Club/Amanda Nielsen

## FILM, TELEVISION, COMMERCIALS

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OBAMA'S CLASSROOM EXCHANGE	Arts Advocate	National Basketball Association / Spade, Tarik, & Talibah
SKY STRIKER	Rider	Six Flags Great America Entertainment Corporation
COOK COUNTY FOREST PRESERVES	Conservationist	Little Red Schoolhouse / SCA
^STRANGER NO MORE	Ian	Community Film Workshop Chicago / Ope Famuditimi
^For The F#@%!&\$ Plot	Jacob	Community Film Workshop Chicago / EJ Clark Jr.
^219 'THE SERIES'	Extra	New Black Entertainment / T. J. Chester

^indicates upcoming productions.

## EDUCATION & TRAINING

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**Honors Student, Roosevelt University:** BFA in Acting (CCPA) | BA in Psychology % '27

**Intensives:** Chicago Children's Choir (2009-2011) | John Casablanca Acting for TV/Film/Auditions (2013) |

Dancing With Class All-Stars (2013-2017) | Chicago Shakespeare Slam (2018-2022) | <sup>1</sup>August Wilson Youth Intensive,

Playbuild Youth Intensive (2022) | InterGeNs Ensemble (2021-2023) | Juilliard Ext. Summer Drama Intensive (2023) |

BlackBox Acting: B1: Human Behavior, Melanin & Meisner, B2: Power Of Imagination (Summer 2024).

**Acting:** Rebecca Solomon, Liam Collier, Quenna Barrett, Charles Gardner, Bri-Buckley, Ana Velazquez, Eva Patton, Andre Garner, Veronica Santoyo, Emily Tzucker, Claire Karpen, Eileen Connolly, Clare Nolan, Arti Ishak, Monique Rooker, Yvette Corrine, Gavin Rhys

## SPECIAL SKILLS

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**Distinctive Traits:** Facial dimples, Ear piercings, 20/20 vision, Raises left eyebrow |

**Other:** Plant-based, Emotional Intelligence, Coaster Enthusiast, Evil Laughing, POS System Mastery |

**Theatre Arts:** <sup>2</sup>Expressive Arts Therapy, Devised Theatre, Viewpoints | **Athletics:** Varsity Swim & Football (4 years) |

**Accents/Dialects:** Southern, AAVE, Chinese, IPA Proficient (can learn any dialect) | **Musical:** Tuba (2 years), DDJSB3 |

**Movement and Dance:** Jerzy Grotowski, Physical Theatre, Ballroom Dancing | **Languages:** Mandarin (8 years), English |

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<sup>1</sup> National August Wilson Monologue Competition Finalist

<sup>2</sup> Arts in Health Care Initiative at The Garfield Behavioral Hospital

