## KELLY OPALKO

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HAIR: Auburn

**THEATER** 

Commedia Divinia: Retooled The Conspirators dir. Wm. Bullion (Covidia/QAnon/Baby Yoda Kokken) Viva La Mort (Percussionist, Ensemble U/s) The Conspirators dir. Wm. Bullion Commedia Divinia: It's Worse Than That The Conspirators dir. Wm. Bullion (Lobster Karen/Baby Yoda Kokken) This Moment Prod. dir. Dana Hall The Tenant (Diana) Hammered: A Thor and Loki Play (Heimdall) Theatre-on-the-Hill dir. Michael Fudala Starved Rock (Lucille) Barely Concealed Prod. dir. Denise Smolarek Clue: Stay-at-Home Edition (Ms. Scarlet) This Moment Prod. dir. Michael Kocher Jo & Liv (Liv) - staged reading dir. Zach Weinberg New Coordinates Theater Cinderella Saves the World (Grandfolk) Compass Creative dir. Wyatt Kent dir. Wm. Bullion Prophet\$ (Evelyn U/s) Factory Theater *Traitor* (Townsperson) A Red Orchid Theater dir. Michael Shannon Peter Pan (Pirate) Compass Creative dir. Dvlan Thomas The Jumpin Jacks (Valentin) **Compass Creative** dir. Chris Thoren Estrella Cruz (the junkyard queen) Halcyon Theatre dir. Tony Adams (Bette Davis) Alice in Wonderland (Cook) **Compass Creative** dir. Cassandra Quinn Diana of Dobson's (Kitty) Halcyon Theatre dir. Sarah Lauechli

**FILM/WEB SERIES** 

Let All Mortal Flesh (Diana) - staged reading

Darling, the Constable!\* Flunky Dangle Prod. dir. Brian Davenport Perfect (Wendy)\*\* Flunky Dangle Prod. dir. Nate Bray-McCabe Todd Grobin's Going Away Party Channel Flux dir. Andrew Melzer (Agent Naalar) Trackable Materials 2.0 (Monica Summers) Independent Series dir. Catherine Brickell Alfred: The Animated Series (Miranda) Machine Culture dir. Danny Schill Second City dir. Matt Mahaffev Guilty (Extra) Picking-Up Joanna (Britney) Student film dir. Michael Suglio

Pride Film and Plays

dir. Alex St. John

**EDUCATION** 

The Annoyance Theater AP1 - Sean Cusick, AP2 - Tim McKendrick
Case Western Reserve University BA in Theater, magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa

## SPECIAL SKILLS

MUSIC: Alto; Intermediate Clarinet and Bass Clarinet; Beginner Guitar, Bass Guitar, Trumpet, Trombone, and

Drum Kit

**COMEDY:** short and long form improv, sketch comedy

DIALECTS: British (RP), Australian, Southern U.S., Irish, Italian, German, Russian

LANGUAGES: Intermediate Italian, Beginner German

**MOVEMENT:** modern dance, juggling, cartwheels, swing dance

**COMBAT:** basic hand-to-hand

**PUPPETRY:** basic operation and construction Experienced podcast producer and bar trivia host

\*Best Ensemble Winner - 2024 Chicago 48 Hour Film Project \*\*Best Film Winner - 2023 Chicago 48 Hour Film Project