

Rufus Burns

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Height: 5'9

Hair: Black

Eyes: Brown

FILM/TV

<u>Title</u>	<u>Role</u>	<u>Dir./Production Company</u>
Bel-Air	Jazz	Morgan Cooper / Sun Squared Media
Levitation	Trainer	Morgan Cooper / Strange Music Inc
*Terrible Love	Rufus Acosta	Christopher Thomas/Helmsman Studio
Gags	Officer Jacobs	Adam Krause/Black Balloon Films, LLC
Dear Brother	Eric	Daniel Skubal/Yellow Car Productions

REGIONAL THEATRE

<u>Show</u>	<u>Role</u>	<u>Director/Theatre</u>
<i>The Effect</i>	<i>Tristan Frey</i>	<i>Sidonie Garrett/Unicorn Theatre</i>
<i>Fences</i>	<i>Cory Maxson</i>	<i>Ron 'OJ' Parson/KC REP</i>
<i>The Curious Incid. of Dog in Nighttime</i>	<i>Voice 2</i>	<i>Marissa Wolf/KC REP</i>
<i>Man in Love (World Premiere)</i>	<i>Paul Pare Jr</i>	<i>Marissa Wolf/KC Rep</i>
<i>A Raisin in the Sun</i>	<i>Asagai</i>	<i>Marissa Wolf/Chip Miller/ KC REP</i>
<i>An Octoroon</i>	<i>BJJ/Playwright</i>	<i>Damron Armstrong/Unicorn Theatre</i>
<i>The African Company Pres. Richard III</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Damron Armstrong/BRTKC</i>
<i>The Motherfucker with the Hat</i>	<i>Ralph D</i>	<i>Sidonie Garrett/Unicorn Theatre</i>
<i>Ruined</i>	<i>Simon</i>	<i>Ricardo Khan/Unicorn Theatre</i>

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY

<i>Pericles, Prince of Tyre</i>	Pericles	Carla Noack
<i>Train to 2010 (World Premiere)</i>	Amos	Ricardo Khan
<i>Comedy of Asses</i>	Demeantus	Theodore Swetz

PROFESSIONAL ACTOR TRAINING

MFA in Acting, University of Missouri at Kansas City - 2012

Faculty: Theodore Swetz, Carla Noack, Stephanie Roberts, Jennifer Martin,
Erika Bailey, Scott Stackhouse, Barry Kyle, Ricardo Khan

BA in Acting, Purdue University - 2009

Faculty: Richard Stockton Rand, Kristine Holtvedt, Joy McEwen, Jeffrey Wallace,
Richard Sullivan Lee

SPECIAL SKILLS

Backflips, Synchronized Stepping, Basketball, Boxing, Driver's License, U.S. Passport, armed and unarmed Stage Combat, Period Movement, Radio Theatre, Dialects (Black South African, Jamaican, Standard British), Voice Over Demo available upon request

***2014 Austin Film Festival Audience Award Winner**