

# Candy Bowers Acting CV

## Personal Details

**Eyes** Dark Brown

**Height** 174cm/ 5-8"

**Hair** Very Dark Brown, Afro

**Dress** Size 16

**Shoe** Size 10.5 (wide)

**Ethnicity** Blasian/ Afro Australian

(Black African/ Chinese Malaysian/ German/ Indian from South Africa.)

## Film/TV Experience

**Metro Sexual** (TV Series) KAREN guest 9GO Dir. Henry Boffin 2019

**S.L.U.T** (Webseries) KAMON guest Ladybug /Big Yellow Taxi Dir. Lousie Alston 2019

**Tonightly with Tom Ballard** CORRESPONDENT recurring (Light Ent.TV) ABC FP. Johanna McCarthy 2018

**The Cry** SUSIE guest (Mini Series) Dir. Glenwyn Ivin BBC 2018

**MYOB** (Advert) CHONDRA hero Dir. Clare Plueckhahn Cos We Can 2018

**Get Krack!n** (TV Series) DR MARIAM guest Katering Prod/ ABC Dir. Hayden Guppy 2017

**The Ex-PM** (TV Series) POLICE PROSECUTOR guest ABC Dir. Shaun Wilson 2017

**The Beejesus** (Trailer) NICOLE co-star Guilty Productions Dir. Tony Rogers 2017

**FRESH!** (Webseries) HEALER guest Dir. Simon Trevorrow 2017

**Officeworks** (Advert) CAT hero First Floor Films Dir. Matt Weston 2017

**NAB Bank** (Advert) LEADER hero Robber's Dog Dir. Adam Stevens 2016

**Newtons Law** (TV Series) SASCHA guest ABC Dir. John Brough 2016

**Beauty** (Short Film) MARY lead Canary Films Dir. Isha Kamara 2015

**The Circle** (Light Ent. TV) PRESENTER guest Channel 10 EP. Pam Barnes 2012

**The Talk** (Educational) PRESENTER guest Hopscotch Films Dir. Nelly Thomas 2012

**War** (Short Film) TWIN QUEEN co-star Dir. Fatima Mawas 2011

**All Night Long Remake** LIONEL SWITCHIE lead (Videoclip) Dir. Tresa Ponnor 2009

**Brown Girl in a Cup** (Short Film) BROWN GIRL lead Dir. Craig Anderson 2009

**I'm Not Doing It** (Short Film) CANDY B lead Dir. Candy Bowers Who's that Chik? 2009

**SHE TV** (Light Ent. TV) RASHEDA lead Channel V/ Foxtel Dir. Lester Francois 2005

**In Siberia Tonight** (Light Ent. TV) RASHEDA lead SBS Dir. Ted Robinson 2005

**What R Yooze Girls Doin'?** (Videoclip) RASHEDA lead Dir. Josh Martin 2004

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## Stage Music Theatre

**One the Bear by Candy Bowers** (Music Theatre) ONE lead Dir. Candy Bowers -September 2019 Sydney Opera House NSW, August 2019 Arts Centre Melbourne VIC, October 2017 La Boite Theatre Company QLD, May 2017 Campbelltown Arts Centre NSW

**Twelve, A Soul Musical from the Streets by Candy Bowers** (Music Theatre/ Development) SESWANE lead Dir. Candy Bowers- June 2017 La Boite Theatre Company QLD, December 2014 Queensland Theatre Company QLD

**MC Platypus & Queen Koala's Hip Hop Jamboree by Candy Bowers** (Kids Music Theatre) MC PLATYPUS lead Dir. Chris Kohn & Candy Bowers- August 2016 Coburg Carnivale VIC, March 2013 Melbourne International Comedy Festival Northcote Town Hall VIC, July 2012- December 2013 School Tour Artslink Queensland QLD

**Arden by Candy Bowers** (Music Theatre/ Development) ROSALIND lead Dir. Laura Scrivano- September 2010 Casula Powerhouse Bell Shakespeare NSW

**Sista She & the House of the Holy Bootay by Candy Bowers & Sarah Ward** (Music Theatre) RASHEDA co-star Dir. Candy Bowers- July 2006 Adelaide Cabaret Festival SA, March 2007 Melbourne International Comedy Festival Arts Centre Melbourne VIC, August 2007 Edinburgh Fringe Gilded Balloon UK

## Stage Music Comedy

**Australian Booty by Candy Bowers** (Music Comedy) MYSELF solo Dir. Nelly Thomas & Candy Bowers- March 2019 Gympie Civic Centre QLD, Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre NSW, Kingston Arts Centre VIC, Latrobe Performing Arts Centre VIC, The Bowery VIC, Wyndham Cultural Centre VIC, Horsham Town Hall VIC, Theatre North Launceston TAS, May 2019 Merringong Theatre Wollongong NSW, October 2016 WITS Festival Fatale Eternity Theatre Darlinghurst NSW, August 2012 Darwin Festival NT, June 2012 Brisbane Powerhouse QLD, May 2012 Campbelltown Arts Centre NSW, September 2011 Melbourne Fringe Lithuanian Club VIC

**The Naked MC by Candy Bowers & Sarah Ward** (Music Theatre) RASHEDA co-star Dir. Candy Bowers- July 2007 Tamarama Rock Surfers Theatre Co Old Fitz Hotel Theatre NSW, 2006 Sydney Mardi Gras Festival NSW, 2006 Adelaide Cabaret Festival SA, 2005 Melbourne International Comedy Festival Swiss Club VIC

**Inna Thigh, the Sista She Story by Candy Bowers & Sarah Ward** (Music Theatre) RASHEDA lead Dir. Chrissie Koltai & Candy Bowers- February 2006 Adelaide Fringe Fowlers Live SA, June 2004 Sydney Opera House NSW, August 2004 Brisbane Powerhouse QLD, December 2004 Albury Hothouse VIC, September 2003 Melbourne Fringe North Melbourne Town Hall VIC, May 2003 Scratch Nite Sydney Opera House NSW

## Stage Performance

**HYPER FRAGILITY: Why are white men so defensive #LOL by Candy Bowers & Victoria Chui** (Performance) VARIOUS co-star Dir. Candy Bowers & Victoria Chui- December 2017 Mapping Melbourne Festival Arts Centre Melbourne VIC, September 2017 Melbourne Fringe, Fringe Night, North Melbourne Town Hall VIC

**Trilogy by Nic Green** (Dance Theatre) PERFORMER B co-star Dir. Nic Greene- May 2016 North Melbourne Town Hall, Arts House VIC

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**House of Bernada Alba by Patricia Cornelius** (Theatre) MARTI co-star Dir. Leticia Caceres- April 2018 Fairfax Studio, Arts Centre Melbourne, Melbourne Theatre Company VIC

**Lilith the Jungle Girl by Sixxters Grimm** (Theatre) CHARLES PENWORTH/ LION co-star Dir. Declan Greene - August 2017 Edinburgh Fringe, Traverse Theatre Scotland UK, October 2016 Melbourne Theatre Company VIC

**Straight White Men by Young Jean Lee** (Theatre) STAGE-HAND-IN-CHARGE guest Dir. Sarah Giles- May 2016 Fairfax Studio Arts Centre Melbourne, Melbourne Theatre Company VIC

**The Mountaintop** by Katori Hall (Theatre) CAMAE lead Dir. Todd Macdonald- March 2014 QPAC Queensland Theatre Company QLD

**War Crimes by Angela Beltzien** (Theatre) LARA/SAMIRA co-star Dir. Leticia Caceres- July 2013 Victorian College of the Arts, Regional Arts Victoria & RealTV VIC

**An Oak Tree by Tim Crouch** (Theatre) ACTOR lead Australia Dir. Todd Macdonald- September 2011 Billie Brown Studio, Queensland Theatre Company QLD

**Who's That Chik? by Candy Bowers** (Music Theatre) MYSELF solo Dir. Natalie Wise, James Winter & Candy Bowers- July 2012- December 2013 Schools Tour Artslink QLD, August 2009 Arts Centre Melbourne VIC, January 2012 Festival of Dreaming Woodfordia QLD, May 2009 Tamarama Rock Surfers Theatre Co Old Fitz Hotel NSW

**In the Blood by Suzan Lori Parks** (Theatre) HESTER lead Dir. Tanya Denny- July 2005 Downstairs Belvoir St Theatre, BSharp/ Queensize NSW

**Spunks by Rebel Wilson** (Theatre) MONIQUE lead Dir. Melita Rowston- May 2002 Griffin Theatre, Push-up Theatre NSW

**Duck** by Stella Feehily (Theatre) CAT lead Dir. Kate Gaul- July 2006 Seymour Centre, BSharp/ Siren Theatre NSW

## Stage Cabaret

**Hot Brown Honey Burlesque by Candy Bowers, Kim Bowers & Lisa Fa'alafi** (Cabaret) MISTER SISTER & HAPPY MAXWEWE host/ ensemble Dir. by Candy Bowers, Kim Bowers & Lisa Fa'alafi- September 2015 Brisbane Festival QLD December 2013 Woodfordia QLD, August 2013 Darwin Festival NT, November 2013 SYC Studios QLD, January 2012 Red Bennies VIC

**Feasting on Flesh by Eddie Perfect, Humphrey McQueen, Candy Bowers, Jaya Savige, DH Lawrence, Stephen Sewell and Gotye** (Cabaret) CHOCOLATE CHANTEUSE co-star Dir. Scott Maidment- November 2006 Sydney Opera House NSW

## Stage Circus

**But Wait There's More! By Ensemble** (Circus) RINGMASTER/ VOCALIST host/ensemble Dir. Mike Finch - 2014-2015 Circus Oz National & International Tour, Australia/ Montreal/ USA

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## Education & Training

**Improv** UCB Los Angeles 2019 US

**Improv & Character Comedy** Second City Los Angeles- 2014 US

**Bachelor of Dramatic Arts- Acting** The National Institute of Dramatic Art NSW 2001

**Improv Level 1-3** Theatresports Australia NSW 1999-2000

**Higher School Certificate** St Patrick's College Campbelltown NSW 1996

## Awards & Accolades

**TalentUSA-LA** Screen Australia & Australians in Film 2019

**MentorLA** Screen Australia, Australians in Film, ABC Disney 2019

**Intersect** International Peer Mentorship, British Council of the Arts 2018-19

**Geoffrey Milne Independent Theatre Award** Green Room Association Award 2018

**Gloria's International Fellowship** NIDA 2013

**Top 100 Creative Catalyst List** Creative Sydney 2009

**Best Performance Award** Melbourne Fringe Festival Australia 2009

**Phillip Parsons Young Playwright Award** (Short List) Belvoir St Theatre Australia 2008

**Realise Your Dream** British Council of the Arts 2008

**Youth Education Program Award** Adelaide Fringe Festival South Australia 2006

**Best Innovative Rap Musical** Melbourne Fringe Festival 2003

**Directors Award** Melbourne Fringe Festival 2003

**Shakespeare Award** NIDA 2000

**Skills:** Playwriting, Slam Poetry, Rapping, Lyric-writing, Public Speaking, Stand Up Comedy, Burlesque, Crochet, Producing Events, Comic Accents, Crafting, Hosting Events, Key Note Speaking, Improv, Accents.