

Sophia Vessecchia

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Theatre

Something Rotten!	William Shakespeare	County Players/Jeff Wilson
Follies	Young Sally	The Depot Theatre/John Christian Plummer
Dracula: A Comedy of Terrors	Lucy/Kitty/Driver/Man-Eating Wolf	WCLOC/Lisa Tierney
Ride The Cyclone	Constance Blackwood	University at Buffalo/Doug Weyand
9 to 5	Violet Newstead*	University at Buffalo/Eric Deeb Weaver
Outrage	Bertolt Brecht/Galileo/ Timothy Lauterman*	University at Buffalo/Mason Beggs
R&H's Cinderella	Charlotte*	University at Buffalo/James Beaudry
Curious Incident...	Judy Boone	University at Buffalo/Student Directed Series
Fefu & Her Friends	Full Cast Understudy	University at Buffalo/Lindsay Brandon Hunter
Metamorphoses	Female Understudy (performed)	Western Connecticut State University/Sal Trapani
Lonely	Frances	Western Connecticut State University/Luis Jordan
The Little Mermaid	Atina/Sea Creature/Gull/Princess	Yorktown Stage/August Abatecola
The Wizard of Oz	Mayor/Ozian	Yorktown Stage/August Abatecola
Aladdin	Iago*	KJK Production/Kevin Kearins

Concerts

UBMT Sings: Kander & Ebb	"The Grass Is Always Greener" duet	University at Buffalo/James Beaudry & Matthew Marco
UBMT Sings: Stephen Sondheim	"Moments in the Woods"	University at Buffalo/James Beaudry & Matthew Marco

Commercial

Applebee's	Principal Performer	Grey/New York
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TV/Film

I Know This Much Is True	Audience	HBO - Episode
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Production Work

Director	Ernest & The Pale Moon	University at Buffalo/Student Directed Series
Assistant Director	The Pajama Game	University at Buffalo/James Beaudry
Co-Director	Shakespeare Showcase 2025	University at Buffalo/Student Directed Series
Co-Director	Shakespeare Showcase 2024	University at Buffalo/Student Directed Series
Assistant to the Director	Elf	Kennedy Catholic/Barbara Rue
Dance Captain	Curious Incident...	University at Buffalo/Student Directed Series
Fly Crew	Zodiaque Dance Spring 2023	University at Buffalo/Kerry King & Michael Deeb Weaver
Costume Crew	Head Over Heels	Western Connecticut State University/Scott Wise
Running Crew	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Western Connecticut State University/Pam McDaniel
Box Office	Sweeney Todd	Western Connecticut State University/Tim Howard
Spotlight Op	Into The Woods	KJK Productions/ Kevin Kearins

Awards/Nominations*

Nominated for ACTF Music Theatre Intensive (Violet Newstead in 9 to 5)*
Nominated for ACTF Acting Scholarship Audition, Formerly Irene Ryans (Violet Newstead in 9 to 5)*
Nominated for ACTF Irene Ryan Acting Scholarship (Bertolt Brecht in Outrage)*
Nominated for ACTF Irene Ryan Acting Scholarship (Charlotte in R&H's Cinderella)*
Nominated for National Youth Arts Award (Iago in Aladdin)*

Training

University at Buffalo, BFA Music Theatre, Summa Cum Laude

Voice: Liam Forde, Jill Neuhaus, Matthew Marco
Acting: The Lee Strasberg Theatre & Film Institute (Method Acting), James Beaudry (Lee Strasberg Method Acting), Maria Home (Lee Strasberg Method Acting)
Dance: Thomas Ralabate (Social Dance), Kurt Adametz (Jazz 1 & 2, Tap 1 & 2), Michael Deeb Weaver (Musical Theatre 1 & 2), The Pulse Performing Arts Studio (Jazz), August Abatecola (Broadway), Hannah Walter (Ballet 1), Barbara Rue (Tap)

Special Skills: Gymnastics (Cartwheel, Round Off), Whistling, Snap Fingers, Ride a Bike, Ride a Horse, Jump Rope, Raise Left Eyebrow, Swimming, New York Accent, Directing, Choreographing