

GAITLYN PORTER

Musician, Teacher, Dancer, Actress (Non-union)

CONTACT

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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Pronouns: she/her

Age: 23 Height: 5'4 Eye Color: Blue Hair Color: Blonde

Voice: Mix belt to G5, Legit to Eb6

SPECIAL SKILLS

- Teaches children
- Songwriter
- Piano player
- Practices Spanish daily
- Great at different makeup styles
- Backup dancer for a pride headlining drag gueen, Domita Sanchez
- Can do a left cartwheel, leaps, kicks, and some turns

MUSICAL THEATRE

Performance

LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS Audrey Lincoln High HONK! Ida Lincoln High

JERSEY BOYS

Lorraine/Ensemble

BEAUTIFUL: THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL Betty/Ensemble

THE PROM

Kaylee/Ensemble

Des Moines Playhouse: Katrina Ploof

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Des Moines Young Artists' Theatre

WAITRESS Ensemble/Nurse Norma and Des Moines Playhouse:

Pomatter's Wife cover Katy Merriman

KINKY BOOTS Ensemble Des Moines Playhouse GODSPELL Nick Ankeny Community Theatre

Leadership

WHITE CHRISTMAS Choreographer Ankeny Community Theatre
SHREK Choreographer/Asst. Music Des Moines Young Artists' Theatre

Director

GODSPELL Co-Choreographer Ankeny Community Theatre
WAITRESS Dance Captain Des Moines Playhouse
REALITIFILI : THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL Dance Captain Des Moines Playhouse

BEAUTIFUL: THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL Dance Captain

THE PROM

Des Moines Playhouse

Des Moines Young Artists' Theatre

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TRAINING & EDUCATION

The School for Music Vocations

A.A.A. Professional Music Graduated 2022

- Opened for Grammy-winning group säje in the vocal jazz group First Take, directed by Dr. Jeremy Fox
- Studied with Tobi Crawford, Dr. Tyler Thomas, Tommy Boynton, Ryan Howe
- Jazz piano, jazz arranging, music theory, classical piano, ear training

Training

Dance

Betty Hill Dance Studio

• Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Hip Hop: 11 years

Voice

The School for Music Vocations

- Jazz: Tommy Boynton, Dr. Tyler Thomas, Ryan Howe
- Classical: Dr. Lauren Powell

City Voices

• Musical Theatre: Sarah Jorgenson, Napoleon Douglas