

Britain Simons

Set Design & Paint Portfolio

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About: Multitalented artist, set/costume/character designer. Dependable performer, with collegiate training. Studied under G. W. Skip Mercier (*Yale MFA*) at the National Theatre Institute and Michael Sullivan MFA at Baylor University. Working in Entertainment for the 7+ years as a SAG-AFTRA actor, content creator, and behind the scenes on Major Studio TV and Film productions. Actor in principal roles for national commercial campaigns, TV and film. Designed and maintains a website and all-encompassing online media presence. Honoring deadlines and client needs, he is able to replicate various styles in digital and traditional mediums. Implements target audience demographics, holding viewer attention, and creative solutions.

Skills:

- Character design & Digital Illustration
- Scenic Painting/ Set Design: Scale, Wood Grain, Texture, Shadows, perspective, etc
- Sculpting, Fine Art Painting, color mixing, foam sculpting, etc.
- Communication and Engagement
- Creative content for Social Media: TikTok, Instagram, and Twitter
- Professional commercial and TV/ Film actor
- Commissioned artwork for business chalk boards, menus, etc.
- Cartoon and animation work for media companies

Work Experience:

Independent Artist

Los Angeles, CA (May 2014 to Present) Commissioned work

Head Scenic Painter

Waco, TX (Jan. 2011 to Dec. 2012)
Mabee Theatre & Jones Theatre

SAG-AFTRA Actor

Los Angeles, CA (Jan. 2015 - March 2020)

- Television: Penny Dreadful: City of Angels, Disney Channel, Lifetime, Amazon, Showtime
- Feature Films: Holidays, Ultraman X: The Movie, Online Abduction, Hickok & more!
- Commercials: 5-Hour Energy, State Farm (as Badge Badger), Motorola, 'Date Night' national War Dragons (app)

TV/Film Set Production Assistant

Los Angeles, CA (Nov. 2014 to Feb. 2021)

- Apple TV - "Truth Be Told" Jackie Lee 2nd AD
- WB Television - "Lethal Weapon" Tony Eng 2nd AD
- FOX - "Fresh off the Boat" Stephanie Cluff 2nd AD
"Rosewood" Athena Alexander 2nd AD
- Showtime - "SMILF" Chris Kiley 1st AD • FOX Studios
- CBS Studios - "NCIS: Los Angeles" Peter Dowd 2nd AD "Wisdom of the Crowd" Tristan Ringenoldus 2nd AD
- ABC Studios - "How to Get Away with Murder" Carol Vitkay 1st AD, Courtney Franklin 2nd 2nd AD
- Other shows: Lethal Weapon, Ballers, Avatar (sequels), Snowfall, Major Crimes, Euphoria, and more!



Education:

- Baylor University - Bachelor of Fine Arts - Theatre Studies
- The National Theatre Institute at the Eugene O'Neill Theatre Center - Certificate
- Montrose High School - Diploma w/Honors

