

# Rachel O'Shaughnessy

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## Theatre

Production	Role	Theatre	Director
Flatland	<i>Hex</i>	Improv Playhouse	Sunnie Eraso
Bloody Mary Teaches Sex Ed	<i>Dad</i>	Piven Theatre Workshop	Nini Bagundo
Peter and the Starcatcher	<i>Aster</i>	Northwestern University	Lila Marooney
Twelfth Night	<i>Maria</i>	Northwestern University	Ilana Abusch
Cowgirl	<i>Jess</i>	Northwestern University	Julie Monteleone
Hippolytus	<i>Hippolytus</i>	British American Drama Academy	Mojisola Elufowoju
The Magic Schoolbus	<i>Phoebe</i>	Northwestern University	Daira Rodriguez
Scaredy Cat Presents	<i>Nadia</i>	Playground Festival of New Work	Melissa Lewyn
Floss	<i>Beans</i>	Northwestern University	Sunnie Eraso

## Film and Voiceover

Production	Media Type	Role	Director
Nein Friends	Student Short Film	Clarice (supporting)	Lily Kaplan
The Chef's Monologue	Podcast	Peppercorn (main, ep. 1)	Phil Kenner, Michael Frazel
My Dear Alice	Podcast	Trudie (lead, all episodes)	Pamela Bannos

## Education / Training

**Northwestern University:** B.A. Theatre, creative writing minor, TYA and Playwriting Concentrations 2023

**British American Drama Academy:** Shakespeare, High Comedy, Modern Physical Theatre

**Voice:** John Tucker, Ilana Starr, Sandra Marquez, Ona Reed

**Acting:** Tommy Rapley, Zoë Waites, Madeleine Potter, Alice Haig, Shawn Douglass, George Keating

**Dance:** Modern (Maggie Vanucci) Tap (Kristen Jorden)

**Workshops:** Adam Verner (Audiobooks), Tiffany Little Canfield (Screen Acting), Sarah Ruhl (Playwriting)

## Special Skills and Interests

**Dialects:** British (RP, Essex), American (New York, Southern), Irish

**Instruments:** Harp (advanced), Piano (expert)

**Other Skills:** stage-combat (hand to hand), ballroom dance (swing, waltz, foxtrot, salsa, tango), conversational French, moonwalking, music composition, sight-reading, video and sound editing, can swim, licensed driver (Colorado), Open Water SCUBA Diver

**Other Experience:** Theatre for the Very Young, Educational Drama, Sensory Theatre, Playwriting, Poetry, Lake Forest Country Day School (drama teacher 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade), Music Institute of Chicago (drama teacher), NHSI Theatre Arts (faculty associate), Kent Denver Summer Theatre (intern, director), Seesaw Theatre (artistic director), Purple Crayon Players (education director)