# **DANI SAUNDERS**

**ACTOR | SINGER** 



My pursual of the arts stems from my love to make people discover an interest and curiosity in different worlds and characters alike. I find myself driven to express the human condition through fascinating characters and creating art with the same passion that I bring to my work.

#### CONTACT

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

THEATRE

We Are Blood, Lydia— Olathe Civic Theatre Association

The Kitten's Cry, Khloe— Johnson County Community College She Kills Monsters, Evil Gabbi— JCCC Defying Gravity, Betty/Teacher (U/S)— JCCC Farragut North, Ida Horowicz— JCCC Sight Unseen, Grete— JCCC

The Diary of Anne Frank, Anne— Topeka Civic Theatre The Hobbit, Gollum— Topeka Civic Theatre

None of the Above, Jamie— Helen Hocker Theater
Three Musketeers, Milady de Winter— Helen Hocker Theater
James and the Giant Peach, Narrator— Helen Hocker Theater
These Shining Lives, Charlotte— Helen Hocker Theater
Holes, Dr. Pendanski— Helen Hocker Theater
The Outsiders, Sandy— Helen Hocker Theater

FILM / TELEVISION

Second Chance Stage, Audience Member Super Happy Fun Clown, Haunted House Attendee

## **ACKNOWLEDGMENTS / AWARDS**

2021 Irene Ryan Nominee 2020-2021 JCCC Bodker Scholarship Recipient 2019-2020 JCCC Volstars Scholarship Recipient 2019 Irene Ryan Semi-Finalist 2019 Topeka Civic Theatre Renna Hunter Award Recipient

### **SKILLS**

accents/dialects: British RP/Cockney, Irish, Southern, Russian gymnastics: proficient floor tumbling, balance and flexibility

## TRAINING / EDUCATION

JOHNSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE Overland Park, KS | 2018 - 2022 Associate Degree in Liberal Arts, Theatre Performance

NATIONAL YOUTH THEATRE LONDON London, UK | July - August 2018 stage, commercial, on camera work

TOPEKA CIVIC THEATRE Topeka, KS | 2005 - May 2019 performance classes, stage performances (dinner theatre)

HELEN HOCKER THEATER

Topeka, KS | 2004 - August 2019

counselor for summer camp program, stage performances