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Height: 5'2"
Weight: 100

THEATRE

<i>BALDY (FringeNYC 2012)</i>	Solo Show	Gene Frankel Theatre, NYC
<i>The Woolgatherer</i>	Rose (Lead)	Theatre at Dance New Amsterdam, NYC
<i>BUTOH Electra (FringeNYC 2011)</i>	Clytemnestra	Forth Street Theatre, NYC
<i>Odyssey</i>	Poseidon	The Wings Theatre, NYC
<i>BALDY</i>	Solo Show	Dorothy Strelsin Theatre, NYC
<i>Othello</i>	Duke of Venice	looking Glass Theatre, NYC
<i>The Producers</i>	Chorus Girl	Theatre at Dance New Amsterdam, NYC
<i>BUTOH Electra</i>	Clytemnestra	Irondale Center, Brooklyn, NY
<i>Antigone</i>	Tiresias	PAC Main Stage, Albany, NY
<i>Dirty Hearts (by Sonia Sanchez)</i>	Shigeko (lead)	Adrienne Theatre, Philadelphia, PA
<i>Lotus Lessons</i>	Ensemble	Arena Theatre, Eugene, OR
<i>Distance between A and B</i>	Tanaka	Theatre Shine, Tokyo
<i>Take Off</i>	Noriko	Woody Theatre Nakameguro, Tokyo
<i>Brenda & Jerry</i>	Brenda (lead)	Woody Theatre Nakameguro, Tokyo

FILM / TV

<i>Strawberry (Short)</i>	Featured	Umann, Moema / Moema Umann Film
<i>Making Decision with Mates (Short)</i>	Support	Haward, Jacqui / Dark Kidney
<i>Kumo no Ue (16mm, Featured)</i>	Guest	Tomita, Katsuya / KUZOKU
<i>TRICK 2 (TV)</i>	Featured	Kito, Michizo / TV Asahi Corp.

DANCE / MOVEMENT

<i>Autumn Leaves</i>	Dancer (d. Leni Mandez)	Genesis Dance Project, Queens, NY
<i>KIZUNA-connection-</i>	Dancer / Choreographer	NICODA Showcase, Queens, NY
<i>Hope from The Chaos</i>	Dancer / Choreographer	Dionysus Festival, Albany, NY
Nihon Buyo (Japanese Dance)	Dancer	CITI Bank Event, NYC
Nihon Buyo	Dancer	Dionysus Festival, Albany, NY
Nihon Buyo	Dancer	International Performing Arts Night, OR
Nihon Buyo	Dancer	Mills International Center Grand Opening, OR
Nihon Buyo	Dancer	Nerima Culture Festival, Tokyo

EDUCATION & TRAINING

M.F.A	The Actors Studio Drama School at Pace University
Acting / Scene Study	Elizabeth Kemp, Susan Aston, Jacqueline Knapp
Linklater Voice	Susan Main, Rebecca Miller, Corinna May
Movement	Michael Billingsley, David Frank
Neutral American Speech	Rebecca Miller, Louis Colaianni
Shakespeare	Louis Colaianni
Dance	Alvan Ailley (West African, Horton, Ballroom)
B.A	University at Albany, Theatre
Clowning	Jane Nichols
Butoh	Vangelina France
Other training	Shakespeare & Company

SPECIAL SKILLS

Language: Fluent Japanese, English / **Dance:** Classical Japanese (Nihon Buyo -Wakayagi), Modern, Butoh, West African / **Other Physical Skills:** Improvisational Movement, Yoga (Certified teacher), Clowning, Sho-Kon-Do (Mixed Martial Arts) / Stage combat: basic Karate, Kenjuto, Taijuto, boxing, Taekwondo), Kyudo (Japanese Archery), / **Singing:** Jazz, Classic & Musical Theatre (Basic)

HONOR & AWARD

Aggies Awards Best Female Performer (Tiresias from *Antigone*, UAlbany,); International Understanding Award (Founder of JPAC, Japanese Performing Arts Company, classical Japanese Dance and stage combat within Drama, University of Oregon), International Cultural Service Program (University of Oregon Scholarship program, sharing Japanese Culture with local institutions.)