

# ALEXIS MILLIGAN

Agent: The Cassidy Group 902.492.4410

## *Artist Resume*

### RECENT THEATRE

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<b>Production</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Company</b>	<b>Director</b>
As You Like It	Rosalind	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
Iliad By Fire	Odysseus	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
Kill Zone: A Love Story	Boyd Stevens	Heat Theatre	Kent Stetson
Chess and the Doomsday Machine*	Giti	One Light Theatre	Shahin Sayadi
937	Lead	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
Estate	Penelope	LunaSea Theatre	M-C Chisholm
Lysistrata	Calonice	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
Frankenstein	Elizabeth	Neptune Theatre	George Pothitos
Beowulf (MERRITT Nominee)	Sissa	Two Planks	Ken Schwartz
The Nutcracker (4 seasons)	Lottie Drosselmeyer	Symphony Nova Scotia	Leica Hardy
Spelling 2-5-5*	Diane	Carousel Theatre	P. Felices-Luna
When It Rains*	Sybil	2b Theatre	Anthony Black
The Passion of Adele H.*	Leopoldine/various	Eastern Front Theatre	David Overton
Onceupononia*	Red Shoes Girl	Montgomery Theatre	Jackie Torrens
The Crucible	Mercy Lewis	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
Twelfth Night	Maria	Luna/Sea Theatre	M-C Chisholm
Our Town	Mrs. Soames	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
Jerome: The Historical Spectacle	Lucy	Two Planks and a Passion	Ken Schwartz
e-DENTITY	Ensemble	Mirvish Productions	Jacquie Thomas
The Invisibility of Eileen	Rachel Richards	Theatre North West	Ted Price
e-DENTITY (DORA Nominee)	Lead	Theatre Gargantua	Jacquie Thomas
Company Member (2001-present) Senior Puppeteer		Mermaid Theatre	Jim Morrow

\*new play development workshop

\*\*includes regional, national and international touring

### FILM AND TELEVISION ROLES

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<b>Production</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Company</b>	<b>Director</b>
Some Things Won't Sleep (ACTRANominee)	Principal	Foglight Productions	Leah Johnson
Seed (ACTRA Nominee)	Principal	Force Four Ent.	Joseph Raso
You & Me	Principal Puppeteer	Boulevard Productions	Derek Filiatrault
mr. d	Actor	CBC/S4 Productions	Steve Wright
Blackbird	Principal	A71 Productions	Jason Buxton
The Mighty Jungle (Gemini Award)	Principal Puppeteer	Halifax Film/CBC	Chuck Reubin
Mission: Tuition	Principal	Egg Films	Evan Kelly
Take The Roof Off Winter	Principal	Government Ad Series	Global TV
Immigrant Woman	Actor	Jonathan Torrens TV	Jackie Torrens
Haven	Actor	Showcase/SyFy	Fred Gerber
Roller Town	Actor	Picnicface	Andrew Bush

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### **MOVEMENT DIRECTION /CHOREOGRAPHY**

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#### **Production**

The Lion, The Witch, The Wardrobe  
En Julefortelling/A Christmas Carol  
Apprentice Movement Coach  
mr. d  
Micro Musicals (Publication)  
It Is Solved By Walking  
The Miracle Man  
Animal Farm  
2013 Robert E. Merritt Awards  
Six Characters in Search of an Author  
937  
Hawk\*, *or how he played his song*  
Lysistrata\*  
The Passion of Adele H.\*  
Beowulf  
Episode 51: The Musical Show  
The Crucible  
When It Rains  
Twelfth Night  
Return Ticket\*  
Rockbound\*  
Brigadoon  
Jerome: The Historical Spectacle\*  
To Capture Light\*  
Anna Mae's Movement  
*\*premiere of new play*

#### **Company**

The Stratford Shakespeare Festival  
Den National Scene, Bergen Norway  
The Stratford Shakespeare Festival  
CBC/S4 Productions  
Christopher Norton (Composer)  
HomeFirst Productions  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
Neptune Theatre School  
Theatre Nova Scotia  
Dalhousie University : Acting Program  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
One Light Theatre  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
Eastern Front Theatre  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
TV with TV's Jonathan Torrens  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
2b Theatre  
LunaSea Theatre  
One Light Theatre  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
Neptune Theatre School  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre  
LunaSea Theatre  
Native Earth

#### **Director**

Tim Carroll  
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Shona Morris  
Steve Wright  
Christopher Norton  
Mary Vingoe  
Ken Schwartz/Allen Cole  
Ben Stone  
Jeremy Webb  
Ken Schwartz  
Ken Schwartz  
Shahin Sayadi  
Ken Schwartz  
Scott Burke  
Ken Schwartz  
Jackie Torrens  
Ken Schwartz  
Anthony Black  
Mary-Collin Chisholm  
Shahin Sayadi  
Ken Schwartz/Allen Cole  
Samantha Wilson  
Ken Schwartz  
Mary Vingoe  
Yvette Nolan

### **DIRECTION**

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#### **Production**

The PEACE Project (upcoming)  
How Often Do I Dream...  
Fishing\*  
Shout! The Musical  
Avenue Q  
13: The Musical  
Into The Woods  
A Study in Time\*  
A Singular Kinda Guy  
Four seasons of productions  
The Nymph and the Lamp\*

#### **Company**

Transitus/Dalhousie Nursing Department  
Transitus  
Off The Leash Creative Ltd  
Neptune Theatre School  
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Nocturne Halifax: Art at Night  
Lion's Den Theatre  
Fountain Academy of the Sacred Heart  
Script Development Workshop

#### **Playwright**

Co-creation  
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Jeremy Webb  
  
Jason Robert Brown  
Stephen Sondheim  
Alexis Milligan  
David Ives  
Multiple  
Graham Percy

## AWARDS, BOARDS & JURIES

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### Awards

- ACTRA Nominee – Best Actress  
*Some Things Won't Sleep*, 2015
- ACTRA Nominee – Best Actress  
*Seed*, City TV, 2013
- Canada Council for the Arts  
Professional Development Grant 2013
- Canada Council for the Arts  
Artist-in-Residence Grant, 2012
- Robert E. Merritt Award Nominee, Best Supporting Actress  
*Beowulf*, Two Planks and a Passion Theatre, 2011
- Canada Council for the Arts  
Project Grant, 2010
- Nova Scotia Department of Communities, Culture and Heritage  
Grants to Individuals, 2010
- Robert E. Merritt Award, Best Production: *Rockbound* (choreographer)  
Two Planks and a Passion Theatre, 2010
- Gemini Award, Best Pre-School Program: *The Mighty Jungle* (principal cast)  
CBC/Halifax Film, 2009
- Dora Award Nominee, Best Production: *e-DENTITY* (principal cast)  
Theatre Gargantua, 2006
- Three-time Scholarship Recipient  
Nova Scotia Talent Trust, 1996, 1997, 1998

### Boards

- Nova Scotia Talent Trust  
2015-present
- Theatre Nova Scotia  
Board Chair; Board Member 2008-2014
- LunaSea Theatre  
Board Member 2009-2011

### Juries

- Arts NS  
Grants to Individuals
- Nova Scotia Talent Trust  
Theatre Section, 2012-2015
- Theatre Nova Scotia  
Professional Development Scholarship, 2009-Present
- Province of Nova Scotia  
Department of Communities Culture and Heritage, 2009
- Dance Nova Scotia  
Taking Steps to Fly, 2007-2009  
Pat Richard's Choreographic Award, 2007, 2009, 2011

## EDUCATION & TEACHING

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- Guest Instructor  
Tisch School for the Performing Arts, NYU
- Guest Instructor  
The Globe Theatre, UK
- Faculty  
Neptune Theatre School, 2007-Present
- Faculty – Department Head (Drama)  
Fountain Academy of the Sacred Heart 2007-2011
- The Stratford Festival, Coaching Department  
Shona Morris
- Shakespeare Verse and Prose  
Tim Carroll
- The Society of Russian Ballet  
Associate Teacher Certification
- Viewpoints  
Kinetic Studio: Don Rider  
Volcano Theatre: Michael Greyeyes
- Fight Director's Canada  
Certified Actor Combatant
- Physical Theatre  
Jest In Time Theatre  
Yoshi Oida
- Restoration Theatre  
David Perry,  
Tedde Mavor-Moore
- **George Brown Theatre School, George Brown College**  
Diploma
- Jacob's Pillow School of Dance  
Choreography
- British American Drama Academy  
Joint program with Julliard and University of California Los Angeles  
Certificate of Completion, Oxford, England

## SPECIAL SKILLS

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**Abilities** Bilingual (French); Clown; Commedia dell'Arte; Mask; Dialects; Swimmer; Driver's license.

**Music:** Singer, Piano RCM Grade 6, Clarinet, Saxophone, Recorder.

Alexis is the founding director of **Transitus Creative Society** specializing in art communication and public engagement through the arts.

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