# **ANIKA WACO**

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#### FILM & TV

Chainsaw Monkey Supporting Zoe Bell, Roman Acosta **Guest Star** Allen Media Group **Equal Justice** The Real Murders of Atlanta **Guest Star** Oxygen / Matt Mazany Riding Cheetah Productions / Benjamin Ehnert The Night and Gail\* Supporting Aztec Lead Steven Payne What's Up with Kate? Supporting Ava Breslin Rebecca Potters The Feeling Supporting Lead Isa Corrales A Lily for Lily Anniversary Supporting **Brian Hutchins** Missing Pieces Supporting Lillie Matsikoudis Cierra Johnson Streetwalkers Lead The Set-Up Trinity Black Lead Daughters of Hope Jordan Young Supporting

\*denotes feature film

#### **THEATRE**

Chorus Woman Medea Fred Rubeck / Elon University The Wolves #25 Kim Shively / Elon University Chloe Coverly U/S Fred Rubeck / Elon University Arcadia The Vagina Monologues Ensemble piece Lauren Memery / Elon University The School for Wives Chrysalde U/S Kevin Otos / Elon University The Wolves Director Independently produced Manon Spadaro / Chicago Youth Shakespeare The Tempest Alonso

Hamlet Guildenstern/Clown Manon Spadaro / Chicago Youth Shakespeare

## **TRAINING**

Margie Haber Studio (Los Angeles, CA): Advanced Intensive, Advanced Ongoing classes (Jim Nieb)

Elon University (Elon, NC): BFA Acting, BA Arts Administration

Acting: Meisner, Shakespeare, Stanislavsky, Acting for the Camera, Practical Aesthetics

Movement: Commedia dell'arte, Feldenkrais, Michael Chekhov, Laban

Voice: Linklater, Rodenberg, Fitzmaurice, International Phonetic Alphabet, dialects, private voice lessons

Other: Script analysis, playwriting, directing, stage management

Steppenwolf Theatre (Chicago, IL): member, Young Adult Council 2015-2018

### **SPECIAL SKILLS**

Advanced Spanish, dialects with notice (British RP, Australian, New York, Irish), stage combat certified (single sword), basic soccer skills, good with kids (counselor and teaching experience), Theatrical Intimacy Education, light board op, quick memorization, cold reading skills, stage makeup, valid California driver's license