

# JOSHUA DESJARDINS AEA

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Height: 5'8" / Hair: Dark Brown / Eyes: Cinnamon Brown

Vocal Part: Tenor (low G – high C; strong falsetto mix)

## NEW YORK THEATRE

<i>Joshing Around</i>	Singer/Performer	The Duplex (4 Broadway World nominations)
<i>Nerds Among Us</i>	Singer/Performer	Don't Tell Mama (Dir. Eric Michael Gillett)
<i>Big Man on Campus</i>	Ricky Malone	Reading (Music by Michael Whalen)
<i>The Duchess of Peru</i>	Andy	Reading (Written by Russ Weatherford)
<i>Beyond Therapy</i>	Bob	Reading (The Producers Club)

## REGIONAL THEATER

<i>Wilde Tales</i> (World Premiere)	The Happy Prince, Child	Pittsburgh Irish & Classical Theatre
<i>Fiddler on the Roof</i>	Motel	Jewish Theatre of Pittsburgh
<i>Great White</i> (World Premiere)	Len Hendricks	Bricolage, Pittsburgh, PA

## FILM & TELEVISION

<i>Law &amp; Order</i>	Press	NBC / Universal
<i>The Kill Point</i>	Iraqi War Veteran	Spike TV

## COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRY

<i>"I'm a Nerd" Music Video</i>	Singer/Artist	JD Studios
<i>Holiday Mall Events</i>	Rudolph	RWS and Associates
<i>Cochran Sale Event</i>	Customer/Buyer	Talent Group Agency

## EDUCATION & TRAINING

- 🎵 **Point Park University '06** **B.F.A. Musical Theatre / Pittsburgh, PA**
  - 🎵 **Dance:** 3 yrs. jazz (Jeff Shade); 2 yr. tap; 1 yr. ballet; intermediate swing and waltz
  - 🎵 **Musical Theatre:** Jack Allison
- 🎵 **NYC Coaching:** Fay Shumsey & Brette Goldstein (on-camera acting), Jerry Kallarakkal (improv), Diana Lote (voiceover), Michael Cassara (audition technique)
- 🎵 **Workshops:** Craig Carnelia (participant), Stephen Schwartz (participant), Justin Huff, Steve Carr, Elaine Stritch
- 🎵 **American Academy of Dramatic Arts**  
Summer Session / New York, NY

## SPECIAL SKILLS

- Excellent **improvisation skills**
- **IPA trained** (Dialects: Boston, French, Irish, Southern, Brooklyn, British, others upon request)
- Familiar with Viewpoints
- 7 years piano training / 3 years ensemble hand bell training
- **Character impressions** (Ellen Greene, WALL-E, Yoda, Stitch, Roz from Monsters, Inc, Crush/"surfer dude," Ernie, drunk Yogi Bear, Christopher Walken)
- "I'm a Nerd" and "Love Song for Lady Gaga" singles available on iTunes or upon request
- Voiceover demo and "Nerds Among Us" DVD also available upon request