



Ayana Strutz

Height: 5'0" | Weight: 110 | Voice: Alto | AEA

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NATIONAL TOUR

THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL (1st National Tour) Sandy Cheeks u/s, Ensemble | d. Tina Landau c. Christopher Gattelli

THEATRE (Selected)

THE WHO'S TOMMY ^	Dance Captain, Swing (7 tracks)*	Goodman Theatre d. Des McAnuff c. Lorin Latarro
THE MUSIC MAN	Ethel u/s*, Ensemble	Goodman Theatre d. Mary Zimmerman c. Denis Jones
CHARLOTTE'S WEB	Charlotte	Arden Theatre Company d. Whit MacLaughlin
A CHORUS LINE	Connie Wong	Porchlight Music Theatre d. Brenda Didier c. Chris Carter
PRISCILLA...DESERT	Cynthia	Mercury Theatre Chicago d/c Chris Carter
BIG FISH	Dance Captain, Mermaid	Marriott Theatre d. Henry Godinez c. Tommy Rapley
A CHRISTMAS STORY	Dance Captain, Ensemble**	Marriott Theatre d. Scott Weinstein c. Tiffany Krause
THE KING AND I	Topsy, Royal Wife	Drury Lane Theatre d. Alan Paul c. Darren Lee
CHARLIE...FACTORY	Gum Chompin' Diva, Ensemble	Paramount Theatre d. Trent Stork c. Kasey Alfonso
GYPSY	Ensemble, Cow	Marriott Theatre d. Amanda Dehnert c. Stephanie Klemons
PIPPIN	Theo, Player	Skylight Music Theatre d. Ray Jivoff c. Christal Wagner
HOLIDAY INN	Ensemble	Drury Lane Theatre d/c Matt Crowle

TV/COMMERCIALS

NBC's Frogger (Season 1)	Principal Contestant	NBC Universal/Peacock TV
AMAZON	Principal Dancer	Motivo Media
DR. PEPPER	Principal Swing Dancer	The Mill Chicago
CARMEX LIP BALM	Principal Non-Chapped Woman	Forward Motion Media
JOHN FRIEDA	Principal Curly Hair Woman	PUB Productions
LAZY DOG RESTAURANTS	Principal Brandi Firestorm	Delahoyde Projects
UNITED AUTO INSURANCE	Supporting Acrobat	Delahoyde Projects
BUDWEISER	Supporting Sports Fan	Arts & Sciences Dept LLC
DAVE & BUSTERS	Supporting Acrobat	Mother New York
HEFTY	Supporting Contortionist	Onion Labs Chicago

TRAINING

- **Professional Circus Training Program:** Actors Gymnasium
- **BA in Sociology with Dance Minor:** Ohio State University

Dance (20+ years): Jazz, Tap, Modern, Contemporary, Ballet, African, Hip Hop

Circus Arts/Acrobatics (5+ years): Aerial Arts (lyra, trapeze, silks, Spanish web), Contortion, Tumbling, Hand-Balancing, Partner Acrobatics, Chinese Pole

SPECIAL SKILLS

Expert dancer (20+ years), Aerialist (5+ years), Acrobatics (5+ years), Fluent in Japanese (native speaker), Circus School graduate, Costumed character experience, Passport, Drivers License, Great with children, Expert at fitting inside dryer machines, Local hire in Hawaii and Chicago

**Performed **Associate Choreographer ^30th Anniversary Revival*