

TROY VALJEAN RUCKER

SAG-AFTRA Eligible – AEA – AGMA

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Height: 5' 8"

Hair: Black

Eyes: Dark Brown

Voice: Baritone

TELEVISION / COMMERCIAL / PRINT

Homicide City 103 / Pandora's Box 203	Supporting	Investigation Discovery
Frito Lay: Corporate Virtual Reality	Supporting	Deep Focus
LG USA Mobile: March Madness	Lead	Laundry Service
Celebrity Ghost Stories	Louis Gossett, Jr. (Lead)	Lifetime / Bio Network
Talero Tequila	Supporting	Red House Productions
Drama Queenz	Preston (Lead)	Novo Novus Productions
Honor Deferred	Supporting	History Channel - AI Roker Entertainment, Inc
Think Ford First	Supporting	Ford Motor Company
Safe Night / Safe On the Streets	Lead	NBC (Detroit) / UPN (National)

NATIONAL / EUROPEAN TOUR

Jesus Christ Superstar (w/ Ted Neeley / Corey Glover)	Ensemble	Troika Entertainment
International Symphony Orchestra (Blue Lake)	Principal	European Tour

OFF-BROADWAY / NEW YORK / REGIONAL STAGE

Romeo & Bernadette (Justin Ross Cohen, dir)	The Multiplo	ART/NY Theatres (Amas Musical Theatre)
The Scottsboro Boys (Sean Harris / Darlene Zoller)	Haywood Patterson	Playhouse On Park
August Rush (John Doyle / JoAnn Hunter)	Ensemble	Paramount Theatre
Clybourne Park (Denise Simone, dir)	Albert / Kevin	Company Of Fools
Little Bunny Foo Foo (Les Waters / Barney O'Hanlon)	Gentleman Toad	Actors Theatre Of Louisville
Shrek The Musical (Cathy Roy / Charles Santoro)	Donkey	Mayo Performing Arts Center
Buddy Holly Story	Apollo Performer	*13 productions (see below)
Roughly Speaking (Celine Rosenthal, dir)	Trudy / Lester	Tada Theatre (Platform Group)
God Lives In Glass (Greg Ganakas / Keith Thompson)	Man 3	LaGuardia Performing Arts Center
The Christmas Rose (w/ Jane Seymour)	King Balthazar	Carnegie Hall (Open Hearts Foundation)
Oklahoma! (Chris Coleman / Joel Ferrell)	Ike Skidmore	Portland Center Stage
Zanna, Don't! (Jen Waldman, dir)	Buck	York Theatre (GLESN benefit)
Elegies for Angels, Punks & Raging Queens	Lamar	Laurie Beecham Theatre
Show Boat (Jen Waldman, dir)	Ensemble	Merry-Go-Round Playhouse
Babes In Toyland (Peter Flynn / Devanand Janki)	Bobby Shaftoe	David Geffen Hall - Lincoln Center
Ragtime (Paul D. Bryant, dir)	Ensemble	Merry-Go-Round Playhouse
South Pacific	Henry	Merry-Go-Round Playhouse
Angels In America - parts 1 & 2	Belize (<i>PAGE Award nomination</i>)	UM-D Players
heartBEAT	Cedric	The John F. Kennedy Center
L'Histoire du Soldat	Narrator	Detroit Symphony Civic Orchestra

***The Munny** (Marcia Milgrom Dodge), **Walnut Street Thr / Casa Mañana** (Casey Hushion), **Fulton Thr / Maine State Music Thr** (Donna Drake), **Ogunquit Playhouse / Gateway Playhouse / North Carolina Thr** (DJ Salisbury), **Engeman Thr** (Keith Andrews), **Casa Mañana** (Parker Esse)

OPERA / CONCERTS

Calling: An Opera of Forgiveness	The Dog Handler, Father cover	La MaMa E.T.C.
Margaret Garner (Tazewell Thompson, dir)	Chorus	New York City Opera
Treemonisha (Roger Rees, dir)	Chorus	Alice Tully Hall - Lincoln Center
Turandot / Le Villi / Fidelio / Un Ballo in Maschera	Chorus	Carnegie Hall
MasterVoices (Robert Bass, music director)		Carnegie Hall / Lincoln Center
Little Orchestra Society (Dino Anagnost, music director)		David Geffen Hall - Lincoln Center
Aretha Franklin & The Detroit Symphony Orchestra		Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall

EDUCATION / TRAINING

Wayne State University - Detroit, MI	AMDA – New York	Mosaic Youth Theatre Of Detroit
Voice: T. Alan Bowers, Dr. Kim Renas	Voice Production and Speech: Camille Mazurek	
Acting: Rick Sperleng, David Martin, Randolph Pearson, Mark Riherd, Nicholas Martin-Smith	Acting for Camera: Gillien Goll	
Musical Theatre: Jeffrey Dunn, Philip George, Darren Cohen, Elaine Petricoff, Claudia Asbury		
Dance (Tap, Jazz, Ballet, Theatre): Mark Santoro, Casey Colgan, Harry Woolever, Michele Hart		

SPECIAL SKILLS

Read Music, Oboe, Saxophone, Clarinet, Flute, Masks, Flashing a Smile, Driver's License, Passport