

Melissa Burke-Manwaring

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Non-Union

Height: 5'6
Eyes: Green
Hair: Sandy Brown
Range: Soprano F5-D2

Theater

Mamma Mia**Current	*FUS Donna/Tanya/Rosie*	Royal Caribbean/Billy Sharpe
Urinetown	*Hope Cladwell*	CU Boulder / Justin Johnson
25th Annual…Spelling Bee	*Rona Lisa Peretti*	CU Boulder
Chicago	*Velma Kelly*	CU Boulder
Three Penny Opera	*The Balladeer*	CU Boulder
Edges	*Kristy*	CU Boulder
The Fall of Man (New Opera)	*The Chanteuse*	CU Boulder/Ben Stansy
Broadway the Next Generation	*Soloist*	The Green Room 42/Scott Siegel
Broadway's Greatest Hits	*Soloist*	54 Below/Scott Siegel

Awards

National Association of the Teachers of Singing (NATS): **National Musical Theater Competition 4th Place**
Bill Hayes Award Winner 2026 (Judges: Adam Guettel, Leslie Rodriguez Kritzer, Matt Redmond, Marc Bruni)

Workshops/Intensives

- Musical Theatre Intensive at *Stella Adler Studio of Acting, Manhattan, NYC (*Devanand Janki, Peter Flynn, Carol Linnea Johnson, Mark Fifer)
- Casting Director Workshop (Save My Audition), Scott Wojcik
- Musical Theatre Audition Workshop, with Michael Cassara
- Casting Director Workshop (The Growing Studio), with Jarrett Reiche, Scott Wojcik, and Spencer Gualdoni

Education/Training

- **Degree - Bachelor of Music in Musical Theatre, Business Minor -** University of Colorado, Boulder, 2023
- **Voice –** (11 years) Susan Eichhorn Young, Jennifer Bird-Arvidsson, Edward Cook, Heather Dudenbostel
- **Dance -** Jazz (Int. 4 yrs), Ballet (Int. 3 yrs), Contemporary (Int. 3 yrs), Tap (Beg. 1 yr), Hip-Hop (Beg. 1 yr)
- **Acting** – (11 years) Carol Linnea Johnson, Gary John La Rosa, Michael Grenham: *Stella Adler Acting Studio*

Skills

Piano (intermediate), Sight-Reading, Able to hum along to any pop song without knowing it.
Accents: British (Posh & Cockney), French, Southern (US), Russian, Australian.
Soccer, Hiking, Rock Climbing, Roller Skating, Swimming.
Party Princess, Director, Valid Driver's License & Passport.

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