

# Makha Mthembu

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## Film

Supporting	<i>9 Ways to Hell</i>	Dir. Nicholas Dragon
Lead	<i>Utopia*</i> (short)	Dir. Aimiende Negbenebor Sela
Lead	<i>Sigourney Weaver</i> (short)	Dir. Andrea Ngeleka
Lead	<i>Terra</i> (short)	Dir. John H. Han
Supporting	<i>Tarot Terror</i> (short)	Dir. Justin Barabi

## Theatre

Paulina Sarpong	<i>School Girls: Or, the African Mean Girls Play</i>	Vickie Washington - Theatre Squared
Tiwa - White-N-Luscious Jay - GOAT	<i>Unmasked: A Theatrical Celebration of Black Women's Liberation</i>	Kimberley Hebert, Camille Jenkins - Wallis Annenberg Center for the Performing Arts
Francine/Lena Mev. LeRoux	<i>Clybourne Park</i> <i>No Child Left Behind**</i>	James Vasquez - USD Mfa Miche Altman - Hollywood Fringe Festival
1st Merchant/Luciana Us. Jacquenetta	<i>The Comedy of Errors</i> <i>Love's Labor's Lost</i>	Scott Ellis - The Old Globe Kathleen Marshall - The Old Globe
Isabella Celia	<i>Measure for Measure</i> <i>As You Like It</i>	Patricia McGregor - The Old Globe's Globe for All Justin Waldman - The Old Globe/Mfa Studio
Marina Lady in Waiting	<i>Pericles</i> <i>Twelfth Night</i>	Ray Chambers - The Old Globe/Mfa Studio Rebecca Taichmann - The Old Globe
1st Witch Polina Andreevna	<i>Macbeth</i> <i>The Seagull</i>	Brian Kulick - The Old Globe Brenda De Vita - USD Mfa
Us. Lisette Moth	<i>Metromaniacs</i> <i>Love's Labour's Lost</i>	Michael Kahn - The Old Globe Tyne Rafaeli - Lake Tahoe Shakespeare Festival

## Training

- MFA Graduate Class of 2016 Old Globe - *University of San Diego Shiley Graduate Program*
- Recommended Passes in Single Sword and Unarmed combat by the SAFD, 2016 Basic Passes in Broadsword and Rapier & Dagger by the SAFD, 2016
- BFA, Theatre: Acting *Drake University* 2011
- Summer Artistic/Casting Intern, *New York Theatre Workshop*.

## Special Skills

Yoga, conversational Afrikaans and fluent in Jawaese from the planet of Tatoonie (Known as "Zulu" on Earth)

\*Best Supporting Actress Nomination, Open World Toronto Film Festival

\*\* Encore Award Winner.