

# Jay Akin

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Height: 6'3"  
Weight: 185 lbs - Athletic  
Playable Age: 28-34

Eyes: Blue  
Hair: Light Brown  
Voice: Baritone/Bass

## Regional Theatre:

<i>Macbeth</i>	Porter / Siward	Heart of America Shakespeare	Sidonie Garrett
<i>Peer Gynt</i>	us Peer Gynt	Kansas City Repertory Theatre	David Schweizer
<i>One Flew Over a Cuckoo's Nest</i>	Bunce	Metropolitan Ensemble Theatre	Karen Paisley
<i>Hot I Baltimore</i>	Bill	Metropolitan Ensemble Theatre	Karen Paisley
<i>Leading Ladies</i>	Jack	Black Hills Playhouse	Ron Schaffer
<i>Venice</i>	us Ensemble	Kansas City Repertory Theatre	Eric Rosen
<i>Killer Joe</i>	Ansel	UMKC	Theodore Swetz
<i>Red Light Winter</i>	Davis	Fishtank Performance Studio	Jess Akin
<i>Hamlet</i>	Marcellus/Gravedigger	KC Repertory Underground	Kyle Hatley
<i>The Death of Cupid</i>	Xanthias	Kansas City Fringe Festival	Kyle Hatley
<i>Our Town</i>	Constable Warren	The Coterie Theatre	Jeff Church
<i>In Spite of Thunder: The Macbeth Project</i>	Macbeth	The Coterie Theatre	Sidonie Garrett
<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Tybalt	Heart of America Shakespeare Festival	Sidonie Garrett
<i>Othello</i>	Soldier	Heart of America Shakespeare Festival	Sidonie Garrett
<i>King Lear</i>	Cornwall Servant/Fighter	Kansas City Repertory Theatre	Larry Carpenter
<i>The Miser</i>	Chorus	Alley Theatre/Theatre de la Jeune Lune	Dominique Serrand
<i>Romeo et Juliette</i>	Fencer	Houston Grand Opera	Brian Byrnes
<i>Silence</i>	Porter	Stages Repertory Theatre	Rob Bundy
<i>Pecos Bill and the Ghost Stampede</i>	Pecos Bill	Early Stages Theatre	Brian Byrnes
<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Priest	Houston Shakespeare Festival	Dr. Sidney Berger
<i>Winter's Tale</i>	Bear	Houston Shakespeare Festival	Dr. Sidney Berger
<i>Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Oberon / Theseus	Utopian Players Theatre	Elana Kepner

## Film / Commercial

<i>Dutch Kills</i>	SWAT team leader		Joseph Manzella
<i>Espanto (feat. Horatio Sanz)</i>	Evil German	UCB Productions	Todd Bieber
<i>Rotten Day (pre-production)</i>	Buck	Hollywood Treasures, Inc.	Don Baldwin
<i>Cull (feat. Susan Traylor)</i>	Patrick	Magic Garden Films	Don Baldwin
<i>Prarie Band Casino</i>	Extra	Promotional Commercial	
<i>Covergirl</i>			Nick Vidros
<i>Wal-Mart</i>			Nick Vidros

**Voice Over:** (demo available at: [soundcloud.com/#jay-akin/voice-over-demo](https://soundcloud.com/#jay-akin/voice-over-demo))

<i>Surfacing: The Judgement of Cambyses</i>	Harold	Chatterbox Audio Theatre	Kyle Hatley
<i>Surfacing: Down the Rabbit Hole</i>	Harold	Chatterbox Audio Theatre	Kyle Hatley
<i>Surfacing: Through the Looking Glass</i>	Harold	Chatterbox Audio Theatre	Kyle Hatley
<i>Six</i>	Thunder	Chatterbox Audio Theatre	Kyle Hatley

## Theatre:

<i>Master and Margarita</i>	Berlioz	UMKC	Barry Kyle
<i>Tartuffe</i>	Cleante	UMKC	Theodore Swetz
<i>Twelfth Night</i>	Sir Andrew Ague-Cheek	UMKC	Theodore Swetz
<i>Noises Off</i>	Selsdon	UMKC	John Rensenhous
<i>The Country Wife</i>	Master Sparkish	UMKC	Theodore Swetz
<i>Merchant of Venice</i>	Shylock	UMKC	Theodore Swetz

## Training:

Degrees:	Master of Fine Arts at UMKC BA Magna Cum Laude with Honors in Major from the University of Houston
Acting Training:	Sir Peter Hall, Theodore Swetz, Dr. Sidney Berger, Joseph Price, Carolyn Boone, Gale McLeod
Voice and Dialect Training:	Stuart Ostrow, Jim Johnson, Erica Bailey, Jeff Dreisbach
Movement and Stage Combat Training:	Brian Byrnes, Dr. Jennifer Martin, Stephanie Roberts (Mask), Leraldo Anzaldúa, Jacki Blakeney
Special Skills:	Movement Specialist, Trained in Dialects, Circus Skills, Whistling, Puppeteering, Spoken French, Composer, Piano, Drums, SAFD Actor/Combatant (5 weapons), Driving