MELANIE GERTZMAN

Returning to Theater After a Career Change

Height: 5'6'' | **Non-Union | Voice Range:** Mix/Belt & Legit D3-B5
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OFF-BROADWAY

Elysian Fields… A New Musical	Mary Todd Lincoln/ Pattie	American Theatre of Actors | Dir: Andrew Coopman

NY THEATER

The Ice Queen	Nan (u/s Ice Queen)	92NY | Dir: Megan Doyle
Succession and the City	Carrie Bradshaw	The Second City | Dir: Devin Southard
Children of Eden	Eve/ Mama Noah	St. Bart's Players | Dir: Joseph Hayward
The Laramie Project	Romaine Patterson, Others	St. Bart's Players | Dir: Emily Clark
Lillian/Paula/Carson	Carson McCullers	Morningside Theater Co. | Dir: Susan Strickland
Pippin	Player, Manson Trio	St. Bart's Players | Dir: Emily Clark

NY CABARETS *(SELECT)*

Bound for Broadway	"On My Own" *(Comedy)*	The Triad Theater | Dir: Andy Crosten
Actor Therapy at 54 Below	"Back to Before"	54 Below | Host: Mat Whitman
Crashing Out Cabaret	"I'm Breaking Down"	The Green Room42 | Host: Alison Allwine
And the Award Goes To…	"Let it Go"	Patrynize Productions | Dir: Tony Patryn
Contemporary Legit Cabaret	"I Dreamed a Dream" & "You Don't Know This Man"	The Green Room42 | Host: Mat Whitman

TRAINING

ACTING & MUSICAL THEATER
Private: Jessie Hooker-Bailey, Jacob Carll, Peter Duchan, Aaron Jodoin
The Broadway Studio: Colt Prattes, Angelina Mullins Prattes, Sara Jean Ford
Actor Therapy: Lindsay Mendez, Ryan Scott Oliver
Northwestern University: Henry Godinez

VOICE
Private: Julia Gregory, Dan Micciche, Tim Rosser
Broadway Ensemble Project: Jacob Carll

DANCE
Steps on Broadway, Broadway Dance Center
- Beg. Theater- Daniel Booda, Rebecca Frazier, Deanna Doyle
- Beg. Theater Tap- Deanna Doyle

EDUCATION

Harvard Graduate School of Education: Ed.M Specialized Studies
Northwestern University: BS Theatre, Psychology

SPECIAL SKILLS

Spent last decade in the corporate world
Started career as a stage manager, producer, and executive director (theater, dance, opera, special events)
Reads Music; Beginning piano skills
Sings: Tight Harmonies, Mix/Belt, Legit
Dialects: Quick Study (British RP, Cockney, American Southern, Newfoundlander, Yiddish)
First Aid Training and CPR Certified; Works well with children both neurotypical and with developmental disabilities: NY Driver's Licence; Bakes; Knits