# MICHAEL BURNS, JR.

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#### **THEATRE**

The Woodsman Ensemble Strangemen Theatre Company Blue Barn Theatre The Clearing Sturman Lara Marsh University of Nebraska at Omaha Marat/Sade Marquis de Sade Doug Paterson & Lara Marsh University of Nebraska at Omaha King Creon Jeremy Stoll University of Nebraska at Omaha Into Living Night Hanschen Doran Schmidt & Wai Yim Spring Awakening University of Nebraska at Omaha CARRIE: The Musical Tommy Ross **Todd Brooks SNAP! Productions** Stop Kiss George Lucas Perez-Leahy University of Nebraska at Omaha Shakespeare's Dog William Shakespeare University of Nebraska at Omaha Jack Zerbe Kwaidan Multiple Roles Cindy Phaneuf & Izumi Ashizawa University of Nebraska at Omaha Dracula Johnathon Harker D. Scott Glasser University of Nebraska at Omaha Take Me Out Jason Chenier Noah Diaz Omaha Community Playhouse

#### FILM

Mine Jackson Kit Kocanda Carpool Productions Slasher Brad Ryan Hollst Escalation Studios Superman Mortal Mr. Marvel Nick Messersmith **Chong Productions** CHIT Anthony Brenner Digital Moxie Studios Danny Machado Level Up Reid Faustus McGreeves Skull Duggery Theatre Films The Active Shooter Be Yourself Productions Derek Cole Ruybalid Tamarrud Geoffrey Maverick Martin **Anarchy Studios** The Grave Whispers Will Fisher William Fischer Productions Max

#### **HONORS**

Best Feature Film Award at 2019 Gen-Con Festival for CHIT (Mike was leading Actor)

Awarded 1st Place National Broadcast Education Association. Student Audio Competition (Comedy or Drama) 2019

Award of Excellence 2019 National Broadcast Education Association. Faculty Audio Competition 2019

Dean's Award for Outstanding Graduating Student 2019

Award for Outstanding Graduating CFAM Student (College of the Arts, Communication & Music) 2019

Award for Outstanding Graduating Theatre Student 2019

Nominated Best Supporting Actor for "CARRIE" (The Musical) OEAA 2017

Nominated to KCACTF Irene Ryan for Scholarship Award Sioux Falls, SD 2018 Semi-Finalist

Nominated to KCACTF Irene Ryan for Scholarship Award Des Moines, IA 2016

EDUCATION - Magna Cum Laude Graduate - BA in Theatre-Emphasis in Acting & Directing, University Nebraska Omaha 2015-2018

## **TRAINING**

Globe Theatre London Classes 2017 Tom Todoroff Training 2016, 2017 KCACTF Workshops 2016, 2018

### **SPECIAL SKILLS**

British RP & Warwickshire Dialects plus impersonations (Matthew McConaughey, Captain Jack Sparrow, & others)
Proficient in Martial Arts Weapons, Jiu-jitsu, Krav Maga & Muay Thai
Three Year Varsity Wrestler (State Qualifier), Basketball, 1st Degree Black Belt Tae Kwan Do

**WORK** - Studio D - Liquor Model/Sales (current)

RSPECT Educational Theatre/Actor - The Woodsman play/Actor - Village Pointe Toyota Dealership Car Sales.