## **MELISSA MERCHANT**



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THEATRE

YEAR	PLAY (lead / support)	DIRECTOR	VENUE / PRODUCER		
2017	Home at Last	Jenny de Reuck	Studio 411&Temple of Fine Arts Malaysia		
			/Toybox Productions		
2017	Spd D8n	Therese Cruise	Shenton Park/Blak Yak		
2015	No Names, No Pack Drill	Kristen Perkins	Old Mill Theatre		
	Winner Milly Awards Adjudicator's Certificate				
	Nominated Milly Awards Best Actress				
2012	The Winter's Tale	Jenny de Reuck	Various venues in Malaysia		
2012	Love Labour's Lost	Grant Malcolm	The New Fortune/GRADS		
2011	A Circus Story	Jenny de Reuck	Temple of Fine Arts, Kuala Lumpur		
2009	Look Who's Talking	Sue Hicks	Kwinana Theatre Workshop		
2008	Allo' Allo'	Ann Hopwell	Marloo Theatre		
2007	Bus Stop	Noel O'Neill	KADS		
2007	Picasso's Women	Nick Donald	The Studio/Blak Yak		
	Winner 3 <sup>rd</sup> Place Finley Awards				
2007	Black Books	Nick Donald	KADS/Blak Yak		
2006	Coupling – 9/12 Minutes	Nick Donald	Blak Yak		
	Winner ITA Dramafest Best Ensemble Cast				
	Winner ITA Dramafest Best Moments of High Comedy				
2006	Coupling – Inferno	Mel Merchant	Blak Yak		
	Winner Southwest Drama Festival Best Ens				
2006	Insignificance	Ann Hopwell	Garrick Theatre		
	Winner Southwest Drama Festival Best Ens				
2005	Captain Quokka	Jenny de Reuck	Nexus Theatre		
2004	Scenes from an Execution	Serge Tampalini	Nexus Theatre		
2004	Long Gone Lonesome Cowgirls	Susan Lynch	Melville Theatre		
2003	Richard III: A Bollywood Musical	Serge Tampalini	Nexus Theatre		
2003	Cut	Tim Edwards	KADS		
	Winner ITA Dramafest Best Ensemble Cast				
2003	Psycho Beach Party	Nick Donald	KPAC/Blak Yak		
2003	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Paul Treasure	Roleystone Theatre		
2002	Can't Stand Up for Falling Down	Jemma Gurney	KADS		
	Winner ITA Dramafest Best Production				
	Winner Southwest Drama Festival Best Pro				
2002	Dead Poets Society	Rayann Condy	Blak Yak		
2001	Don's Party	Grant Malcolm	The Dolphin/GRADS		
2001	Travesties	Paul Treasure	Roleystone Theatre		
2000	The Singing Forest	Robert Chuter	Theatreworks		
2000	Sourcery	Daniel Sloan	Don Russell/Blak Yak		
1999	The Dresser	Les Ashenden	Kwinana Theatre Workshop		
1999	The Importance of Being Earnest	Geoff Leeder	Melville Theatre		
1998	A Women of No Importance	Anne Smithdale	Harbour Theatre		

Year of Birth: 1978 Height: 165cm Bust: 100cm Bra Size: 16D Dress Size: 14-16 Waist: 90cm Hips: 114cm Shirt Collar: 37cm Shoe Size: 7 Head: 57cm Hair: Chestnut Eyes: Hazel

TRAINING					
YEAR	COURSE	TEACHER / INSTITUTION			
2006-2012	Doctor of Philosophy, English &	Murdoch University			
	Comparative Literature				
2005	Honours: Performance Studies	Murdoch University			
2002-2004	B.A. English, Theatre & Drama	Murdoch University			
2004	A Model of Acting	Serge Tampalini			
2004-2006	Children's Theatre	Jenny de Reuck			
2004	Shakespeare	Jenny de Reuck			
2003 & 2004	Advanced Production	Serge Tampalini			
2003	Production	David Moody			
2003	Acting	David Moody			
2002	Radio Drama	Gail Phillips			
1997-2002	B.A. Media, Screen Studies,	Murdoch University			
	Radio Journalism				
2998	Radio Broadcasting	Gail Phillips			
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FILM					
YEAR	TITLE (lead / support)	DIRECTOR	PRODUCER		
2017	Debtstars	lan Reiser	Claire Reiser		
2007	Parlour Play Dead	Andrew Hunter Christy	Simon Marsh		
2008	Edgar & Elizabeth	Renae Webster	Melissa Kelly		
1999	Eve to Her Daughters (Lead)	Melissa Merchant	Josko Petkovic		
1998	Noir Nui (Lead)	Remick Ashbolt	Josko Petkovcic		
TV/COMMERCIALS					
YEAR	TITLE (100% extra)	DIRECTOR	PRODUCER		
2017	Silver Chain TVC (Featured Extra)		Boogie Monster		
2010	Office of Road Safety TVC (Extra)		303 Advertising		
2007	Lotterywest TVC (Featured Extra)		Sauce Films		
VOICE OVER					
YEAR	TITLE	DIRECTOR	PRODUCER		
2011	English for Beginners		Michael Abud		
2006	Lillith		Paul Kidd		
1999	100FM Announcer & Advertisements		Gail Phillips		
OTHER					
2010-2016	Improvisational Role Playing	Roleplayers on Demand			
2010-2010	Improvisational Role Playing	Aragon & Associates			
2003-2010	Annual Finley Award Ceremony Host	ITA			
1998-1999	Chinese Acrobatics Announcer	Adventure World			
1998-1999	Corporate Training Co-ordinator	Adventure World			

SKILLS

Accents: American, English, Australian

Directing, Manual Driver's License, Public Speaking, Hosting, Improvisation, Event Co-ordination, Publicity, US & Aus Passports.