

Debo Balogun

Height: 5'10" Weight: 165lbs Hair: Black Eyes: Brown EMC/SAG-AFTRA



STAGE

<i>Light Falls (July 2022)</i>	Joe	Steep Theatre	dir. Robin Witt
<i>graveyard shift</i>	Kane	Goodman Theatre	dir. Danya Taymor
<i>Mary Shelley's Frankenstein</i>	Dr. Polidori	McCarter Theatre Center	dir. David Catlin
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<i>Red Rex</i>	Trevor	Steep Theatre	dir. Jonathan Berry
<i>Zurich</i>	Guy	Steep Theatre	dir. Brad Akin
<i>You Can't Take It With You</i>	Tony	Oak Park Festival Theatre	dir. Jason Gerace
<i>Mary's Wedding</i>	Charlie	First Folio Theatre	dir. Melanie Keller
<i>Moon Man Walk</i>	Monarch	Definition Theatre Company	dir. Tyla Abercrombie
<i>Bobby Pin Girls</i>	Tim	Nothing Without a Company	dir. Ben Kaye
<i>The Fair Maid of the West</i>	Goodluck	Oak Park Festival Theatre	dir. Kevin Theis
<i>Walking the Wire</i>	Ensemble	Riverside Theatre	dir. Jody Hovland

FILM

<i>The Christmas Pitch</i>	Supporting	Feature Film	dir. Layne Marie Williams
<i>Black Pill</i>	Supporting	Short Film	dir. Jessi Gaston
<i>Bob Mazooka</i>	Supporting	Student Film	dir. Gary Miller
<i>7 Deadly Sins Dating Game</i>	Supporting	Student Film	dir. Cam Best

TV

<i>Power Book IV: Force (6 episodes)</i>	Rec. Guest Star	STARZ	various directors
<i>Single Drunk Female (Ep. 101)</i>	Co-Star	Freeform	dir. Leslye Headland
<i>Fargo (Ep. 411)</i>	Co-Star	FX	dir. Dana Gonzales
<i>neXt (Ep. 106)</i>	Co-Star	FOX	dir. Tim Hunter
<i>Chicago Med (Ep. 502)</i>	Co-Star	NBC	dir. Alex Chapple

INTERNET

<i>VIB New Year's Kiss</i>	Single Friend (Dan Jorgenson)	The Onion
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TRAINING & EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Augustana College, Rock Island, IL

Majors: Theatre Arts, Psychology

Shakespearean Acting Intensive, Royal Academy of Dramatic Arts; London, England

SKILLS

Instruments: guitar (intermediate), piano & ukulele (beginner); **Dialects:** British RP, Cockney, American Southern, Ugandan; **Dance:** single swing, lindy, tango, waltz, and salsa (beginner);

Stage Combat: rapier & dagger, unarmed **Other:** spoken word poet, licensed driver

ACCOLADES

2018 Black Theatre Alliance Awards - Most Promising Actor (won) - *Moon Man Walk*

2019 Non-Equity Jeff Awards - Best Performer in a Supporting Role (nominated) - *Red Rex*

2019 Black Theatre Alliance Awards - Best Featured Actor in a Play (nominated) - *Red Rex*

Chicago Tribune: Chris Jones' Top 10 Performances of 2019 - Trevor in *Red Rex*

Chicago Tribune: Chris Jones' 2019 Hot New Faces of Chicago Theatre