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## Theatre

READING UNDER THE INFULENCE

*Jocelyn*

Daryl Roth 2 Theatre/Wendy C. Goldberg

STAIN

*Theresa*

The Kirk Theatre/Scott Embler

SWEET BIRD OF YOUTH

*Alexander del Largo*

Schreiber Studio/T. Schreiber

THE GIRLFRIEND EXPERIENCE

*Lowella*

Fringe Festival/Hudson Guild

NIGHT SKY

*Therapist*

Hudson Guild/Max Daniels

A COMEDY OF ERRORS

*Adriana*

TX Shakespeare in the Park/Bill Hardy

BALLAD OF THE SAD CAFÉ

*Amelia*

Schreiber Studio/Marc Gellar

TOYS IN THE ATTIC

*Albertine*

The Laboratory Theatre/Jean McFaddin

SUMMER AND SMOKE

*Alma*

Southwest Theatre/Marie Pearsall

THE SEAGULL

*Madame Arkadina*

Schreiber Studio/T. Schreiber

LAST SUMMER AT CHULMISK

*Zina*

Lincoln Arts Theatre/Earl Ostroff

HAIL COLUMBIA

*Evelyn*

Martin Beck/Susan Rosenstock

THE CHERRY ORCHARD

*Ranevskaya*

Schreiber Studio/T. Schreiber

PERICLES, PRINCE OF TYRE

*Marina*

Oregon Shakespeare Festival/Nagle Jackson

CELEMARE

*Madame Colombot*

I. R. T/Steve Zuckerman

CLEANED AND BURNED

*Aunt Clare*

Synchronicity Space/Kim Varraro

MRS. MCALLISTER'S PLOT

*Mrs. McAllister*

The American Globe/Play Festival

## Film/Television

JUNCTION

*Mrs. Pendelson*

Paté Productions

ANGUISH

*Mom*

Smith Hage Productions

THE GOLDEN POMEGRANATE

*British Nun*

Gershon Productions

COACH OF THE YEAR

*Janice*

Match Productions

AMERICAN HOUSE

*Florence*

Michele Chivu

SUNDAY DINNER

*Eleanor*

Columbia Grad Film

LU ANN LAVERTY

*Lu Ann (starring)*

Columbia Grad film

THE SERPENT'S EGG

*Selena (featured)*

Experimental Project

MANHATTAN STORIES

*Marion (starring)*

Sunshine Films

## Training

- Advanced Scene Study at The American Place Theatre with Wynn Handman
- Scene Study (LA) at Roy London Studio with Roy London
- Scene Study at The Barrow Group Theatre with Seth Barrish
- Improvisation at The Pit
- Audition technique Bob Krakower
- Private coaching with Alice Spivak
- Master Class with Betty Buckley
- University of Texas major Drama (BA)

## Special Skills

DIALECTS: Standard mid-Atlantic, Texan, Southern, British.

US Passport

## JOANNA BAYLESS

## ADDITIONAL ROLES/INGÉNUÉ

### REGIONAL

The Night Hank Williams Died	<i>Vida</i>
Black Comedy	<i>Clea</i>
Marriage Go Round	<i>Katrin</i>
Charlie's Aunt	<i>Amy</i>
Spoon River Anthology	<i>Folksinger</i>
Volpone (German Translation)	<i>Canina</i>
Cat on a Hot Tin Roof	<i>Maggie</i>
The Importance of Being Earnest	<i>Gwendolyn</i>
The Lady is Not for Burning	<i>Alizon</i>

Houston Rep Theatre (TX)/William Hardy
Mummer's Theatre (OK)/Jean McFaddin
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Scott Repertory Theatre (TX)/A. Kendall
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### TOURS STOCK AND DINNER THEATRE

Relatively Speaking w/MYRNA LOY	<i>Ginny</i>
Waltz of the Toreadors	<i>Ghislane</i>
The Sunshine Boys	<i>Skit Nurse</i>
Bell Book and Candle	<i>Gillian</i>
The Rainmaker	<i>Lizzie</i>
A Thousand Clowns	<i>Sandra</i>
On Golden Pond	<i>Chelsea</i>
Count Dracula	<i>Nina</i>
The Elephant Man	<i>Mrs Kendall</i>
Arms and the Man	<i>Raina</i>
Champagne Complex	<i>Allyn</i>
The Seven Year Itch	<i>The Girl</i>
w/GAVIN MCCLEOD	
Mary, Mary w/CHUCK CONNORS	<i>Tiffany</i>
Pleasure of His Company	<i>Jessica</i>
w/JOAN BENNETT	
Plaza Suite w/JOAN CAULFIELD	<i>Mimsey</i>
Pajama Tops	<i>Yvonne</i>
Catch Me if You Can	<i>Elizabeth</i>
w/BARRY CORBIN	

U.S. Tour/Phil Oesterman
Sharon Playhouse (CT)/Patrick Conlon
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Sharon Playhouse (CT)/Lucian Douglas
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Sharon Playhouse (CT)/Eddie Lane
Playhouse by the River (PA)/Michael Harron
Playhouse by the River (PA)/Michael Harron
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Point Summer Theatre/ William Hardy
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Country Dinner Playhouse(FL)/Ken Oesterman
The Showboat (FL)/James Peacock
The Windmill (TX) Bill McHale
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The Lampliter (AL)/Jon Barry Wilder
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### NEW YORK

Columbia U Screenplay Reading	<i>Dorina</i>
A Lie of the Mind	<i>Meg</i>
The Sound of Shakespeare	<i>The Actress</i>
Sleeping Dogs Lie	<i>Janet</i>
Bring Me Smiles	<i>Carol</i>
w/EDWARD NORTON	
Stage Directions	<i>Ruby</i>

Roberto Bentivegna
Schreiber Studio/Joe Furnnari
Broadway and Beyond/Ian Stuart
Hunter College/John Tiotsort
Schreiber Studio/Cecila Braxton
Schreiber Studio/Joe Furnnari