

# JJ PHILLIPS

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### **REGIONAL THEATRE**

VANYA & SONIA & MASHA & SPIKE	Spike	Milwaukee Chamber Theatre	Marcella Kearns
BENGAL TIGER at the BAGHDAD ZOO*	Kev	Lookingglass Theatre	Heidi Stillman
FAT PIG	Carter	Steppenwolf Garage	David Prete
NORTH CHINA LOVER (World Premiere)	Paulo	Lookingglass Theatre	Heidi Stillman
LEVELING UP	Zander	Steppenwolf Theatre	Hallie Gordon
THE HAMMER TRINITY PLAYS	Wilke Forsbrand	The House Theatre of Chicago	Nathan Allen
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THE HISTORY OF INVULNERABILITY	Superman	Milwaukee Rep	Mark Clements
PUNK ROCK (American Premiere)**	Bennett	Griffin Theatre	Jonathon Berry
WITH THIS RING(Workshop)	Sigurda	The House Theatre of Chicago	Sean Graney
NINTH MAN OUT (Workshop)	Elmer Gedeon	Goodman/Chicago Dramatists	Alice Austen
BLOOD WEDDING (Workshop)	Lover	Lookingglass Theatre	Dan Ostling
THE BOOK THIEF (Reading)	Rudy	Steppenwolf Theatre	Hallie Gordon

<sup>\*2013</sup> Equity Jeff Award Nominee – Best Featured Actor – Play

## **SELECTED FILM & TELEVISION**

CHICAGO FIRE	Co-Star	NBC Network	Joe Chappelle
THRILL RIDE (Feature Film)	Chip Black	Apple Media	Chris Parrish
GUIDANCE	Hector (Lead)	DePaul MFA Short Film	Josh Wolff
GREEN	Max (Lead)	Tribeca Academy Short Film	
NSTV 2010 + 2012	Lead Cast Member	Northwestern Sketch Television	

<sup>+</sup>College Emmy Award Winner - Best Comedy Series

#### **COMMERICALS & INDUSTRIALS**

Full List Available Upon Request

# TRAINING & EDUCATION

## School at Steppenwolf – 2011

Meisner/Monologue: Amy Morton, K. Todd Freeman, Audrey Francis Improv/On-Camera: Sheldon Patinkin, Jane Alderman, Jamie Abelson

Scene Study/Shakespeare: Tim Hopper, Kimberly Senior

Viewpoints: Jonathon Berry

## Northwestern University - Bachelor of Science in Theatre

Acting: Daniel Cantor, Cindy Gold, Gail Shapiro, Mary Poole Musical Theatre: David H. Bell, Amanda Dehnert, Melissa Foster

#### SPECIAL SKILLS

Music - Vocal (Baritone, F2-G4), Conversational Piano, Some Jazz/Ballroom Dance Training

Athletics - Basketball, Football, Baseball, Swimming, Certified Life Guard. Stage Combat - Weapons, Falls, etc.

Dialects - Standard British, Manchester, Scottish, Irish, Standard Southern, Boston, German

<sup>\*\*2012</sup> Non-Equity Jeff Award Winner – Best Ensemble

<sup>+</sup>Second City 50 th Anniversary Sketch Comedy Competition Winner