

Rogers Orion Barnes

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EXPERIENCE

Instructor & Faculty: Stage Combat / Intimacy Director / Fencing Instructor -

American Academy of Dramatic Arts
2017 - present
Hussian College//AMDA LA
2017 - May 2022//Sept. 2023 - present

Other Institutions: SwordFights, Inc (founding member)
-Instructing Actors in basic, intermediate and advanced levels of practical stage combat for a career in TV/Film, stage, and motion capture. Recommended & Certified by the Society of American Fight Directors (1998 - 2001). **Ongoing training: Theatrical Intimacy Education (TIE) and Intimacy Directors and Choreographers (IDC) Completed: Intimacy Directors and Coordinators' Consent-Forward Artist program. Certified.**

Rogers Orion Talent Management, Burbank — Owner/Talent Manager

2017 - 2019

Personalized attention and developing relationships with actors and casting directors in film, TV, commercial and voiceover clients. Boutique management setting.

Rogers Orion Talent Agency, Burbank — Owner/Talent Agent

2005 - 2016

Proudly owned and operated for 14 years. Advocated and negotiated on behalf of actor clients for TV/Film, Commercials, Stage, voiceover, video games, animation and motion capture.

Fencing & Stage Combat Instructor

SwordFights, Inc., Swordplay Studios, Metropolis Fencing Club NY, New York Fencing Academy, Boston Fencing Club

Columbia College, Chicago — BA, Acting

1994 - 1998

Cal State Northridge, Northridge

1992 - 1994

SKILLS

Instructor:
Stage Combat / Intimacy Director / Fencing

Actor: SAG/AFTRA - Utility stunts/combat for film & TV

Talent Rep: Business owner for over 14 years

OTHER TRAINING/MEMBERSHIPS

Mental Health First Aid
(Nat'l Council counsil Mental Wellbeing)

Theatrical Intimacy Education (TIE)

Tactical Black - Firearms Safety & Handling for theatrical use

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Training (Race & Theatre)

ATME - since 7/22

AWARDS / PRESS

SAG/AFTRA Agent of the Month June 2010

Backstage West featured articles & interviews

Columbia College, Chicago featured "notable alumni"& visiting lecturer

LANGUAGES

Conversational Norwegian