Maria Guida

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Eyes: brown / Hair: grey

Height: 5'4"

BROADWAY

THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE OBC; Ensemble; Isabel Dir. Wilford Leach, Gershwin Theater KING OF HEARTS OBC; Terese Dir. Ron Field, Minskoff Theater

REGIONAL, OFF BROADWAY, & OTHER NY THEATER

THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE Ensemble & u/s Edith Dir. Wilford Leach; NYSF/Delacorte TAMING OF THE SHREW Kate Dir. Frank Corsaro; TFANA **OTHELLO** Desdemona Dir. Frank Corsaro; TFANA AS YOU LIKE IT Phebe Dir. Frank Corsaro; TFANA Dir. Tom O'Horgan; **MOWGLI** Messua Annenberg Center, Philadelphia THE WARSAW OPERA Sophie Dir. Nancy Heikin; The Actor's Studio Narrator Dir. Joe Gil; Truck&Warehouse Theater **BREAD AND ROSES** Dir. Lerov Jones/Amiri Baraka: La MaMa THE MOTION OF HISTORY Various roles **DOUBT** Sister Aloysias Dir. Deborah Offner; Studio Tisch ORPHEUS DESCENDING Dir. Alice Spivack; Studio Tisch Lady IMPORTANCE OF BEING **ERNEST** Lady Bracknell Dir. Shana Solomon; Studio Tisch Dir. Clay Stevenson; Players' Workshop **DUTCHMAN** Lulu THE GLASS MENAGERIE Amanda Dir. Shana Solomon; Studio Tisch HEDDA GABLER Dir. Harry Barandes; Studio Tisch Hedda Dir. Nancy Rhodes; Studio Tisch THE ROSE TATTOO Serafina **POWER PLAYS** Dir. Shana Solomon; Studio Tisch Lefty

TV & FILM

AS THE WORLD TURNS Helena (principal recurring role) CBS Television ONE LIFE TO LIVE Various principal roles **ABC** Television Supporting Vocalist Public Theater/Kultur THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE Supporting Vocalist **Universal Pictures** Supporting Musical Guest **NBC** Television SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE Back-up for Linda Ronstadt THE TODAY SHOW **NBC** Television

TRAINING

NYU Tisch Grad Acting Program MFA in Acting (and directed by James Earl Jones).

Technique & Scene Study with Olympia Dukakis, Joseph Chaikin, Peter Kass, and John Barton (RSC, London) Austin Pendleton, Herbert Berghof, and Michael Beckett

HB Studio Austin Pendleton, Herbert Berghof, and Michael

Private Coaching Mira Rostova

Acting Improv Alan Arkin and John Monteith (Monteith & Rand improv duo)

Voice and Speech Kristin Linklater and Nora Dunfee

Other Singer; Also trained in many dance styles

SPECIAL SKILLS: Intermediate Italian; beginner Spanish; foreign/regional accents; jazz singing; circus skills; improvisation; swing dancing; swimming; bicycling; yoga; Tai Chi; extensive teaching experience at NYU & HB Studio (acting, speech, improv, voice, & ESL); executive coaching; driver's license; US passport.

