

LORI L. ENGLER

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With over 20 years combined coaching and performing experience, I collaborate with actors and directors to bring authenticity and depth of character to theatrical storytelling through the exploration of speech and accents. My approach to integrating character and voice is based on curiosity and play and is influenced by Knight-Thompson Speechwork, Laban efforts, and improvisation.

Available for in-person coaching in the Central Florida area and virtually through online technology

My passions: Telling great stories • Giving voice to people who need to be heard • Inspiring joy in the creative process

Production	Company	Director	Dialects / Accents
Murder On the Orient Express	Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre	Dean Sobon	French, Russian, Scottish, Hungarian, Swedish, Minnesota, New York, Received Pronunciation (RP)
	Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre	Dean Sobon	
	Ritz Theater Sanford	Doug Carey	
Diana: the Musical	The Henegar Center	Dominic Del Brocco	RP, Estuary
Titanic: the Musical	Theatre Winter Haven	Katrina Ploof	RP, Cockney, Estuary, Sheffield, Irish, Scottish, German, French, Transatlantic
Dracula	Ocala Civic Theatre	Timothy Williams	RP, Cockney, Irish, Dutch, Eastern European
A Christmas Carol	Ocala Civic Theatre	Katrina Ploof, Trudy Bruner	RP, Cockney, Estuary (6 actors playing 22 characters)
Ken Ludwig's Baskerville: A Sherlock Holmes Mystery	Ocala Civic Theatre	Lawrence Leshner	RP, Cockney, Estuary, Texas, Spanish, Swedish, Scottish, Irish, German (5 actors playing 33 characters)
It's a Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play	Ocala Civic Theatre	Trudy Bruner	Speech coaching (5 actors playing 42 characters)
Underneath the Lintel	Ocala Civic Theatre	Anthony C. Daniel	Dutch
Paper Thin (<i>world premiere</i>)	Ocala Civic Theatre	Katrina Ploof	Mississippi
Talley's Folley	Ocala Civic Theatre	Katrina Ploof	Ozark, Yiddish
Matilda: the Musical	Theatre Winter Haven	Sara Catherine Barnes	RP, Cockney, Estuary
Kinky Boots	Theatre Winter Haven	Sara Catherine Barnes	Northampton, Estuary, Italian
The Secret Garden	Theatre Winter Haven	Molly Judy	RP, Yorkshire
Calendar Girls	Theatre Winter Haven	Darian Henne	Yorkshire
Crimes of the Heart	Ocala Civic Theatre	Trudy Bruner	Mississippi
Beauty and the Beast	Ocala Civic Theatre	Katrina Ploof	RP, Cockney
Sweeney Todd	Ocala Civic Theatre	Greg Thompson	RP, Cockney, Estuary
The Addams Family	Venice Theatre	Katrina Ploof	Spanish
Xanadu	Venice Theatre	Katrina Ploof	Australian
Deathtrap	Garden Theatre	Katrina Ploof	Dutch
The Glass Menagerie	Polk State Theatre	Mark Hartfield	Mississippi
Unnecessary Farce	Florida Southern College	Lawrence Leshner	Scottish
Peter and the Starcatcher	Lake Highland Prep School	Jeremy Henry-Dixon	RP, Estuary, West Country, Italian, Scottish
James and the Giant Peach Jr.	Lake Highland Prep School	Elizabeth Cortelyou	RP, Cockney, Estuary
Little Women	Lake Highland Prep School	Jeremy Henry-Dixon	German, Irish
Newsies Jr.	Lake Highland Prep School	Taylor Ferrera	New York

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

B.A. in Communication Arts, emphasis in Theatre – Ursinus College

Knight-Thompson Speechwork – Tyler Seiple, Andrea Caban, Julie Foh

Fitzmaurice Voicework – Cynthia Bassham, Margaret Kemp, Andrea Odinov, Jeremy Sortore

Dialects, accents, and voice-over – Tyler Seiple, Keri Safran, Amanda Quaid, Ginny Kopf

Improvisational acting – SAK Comedy Lab, Christine Decker, Greg Triggs, Mary Thompson Hunt

Professional Associations – Voice and Speech Trainers Association (VATSA), American Association of Community Theatre (AACT)