

# Michael Howland

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Voice: Tenor 1



## Theatre experience

Horton The Elephant Boone Community Theatre (2025)
Cowardly Lion Urbandale Comm. Theatre (2024)

\* Cloris Award Nomination for Featured Actor

\* Broadway World Nomination for Supporting Actor

Red Dragon Des Moines Playhouse (2024)

\* WINNER - Best Production for Youth & Family

Jacob Marley/ Mrs Dilber Iowa Stage Theatre Company (2023)

\* Cloris Award Nomination Best Performance by an Ensemble in a Play
Robert History Boy Theatre Company (2023)

Harold Hill Union Street Players (2023)

\*WINNER – Best Actor (USPY Award)

Kodaly Ankeny Community Theater (2022)
Lumiere Leon Community Theatre (2022)

Narrator/Mysterious Old Man Tallgrass Theatre (2022)

\* Cloris Award Nomination for Best Musical

Captain Longstocking/Strongman Des Moines Playhouse (2022)

\* Dionysus nominee for best actor

\* Cloris Award Nomination Best Performance by an Ensemble in a Play
Dan Carousel Theatre of Indianola (2022)

\*WINNER - Best Musical (Cloris Award)

Shrek Knoxville Community Theater (2021) Lord Farquaad Leon Community Theatre (2021) Miner, Jim Bowie History Boys Theatre (2021) Des Moines Playhouse (2021) Mouse, Lion, Mozart, Sheriff Mr. Little / others Des Moines Playhouse (2021) King of Siam and others Des Moines Young Artist (2021) Knoxville Performing Arts (2021) Vern Captain Hook Des Moines Playhouse (2020)

\*Dionysus nominee for best actor\*

Dr. Ehrin/ Minister

Enjolras and others

Des Moines Playhouse (2019)

Des Moines Playhouse (2019)

Newton Community Theatre (2019)

\*WINNER – Best Actor In A Musical (Broadway World)

Prince Eric Union Street Players (2018)

\*WINNER - Outstanding Newcomer\* (USPY Award)

Ragtime Harry Houdini Des Moines Playhouse (2018)

Dragons Love Tacos

**Christmas Carol** 

Seussical

Wizard Of Oz

Bridges of Madison County Music Man

She Loves Me Beauty And The Beast Into The Woods

Pippi Longstocking

### **Next To Normal**

Shrek the Musical Shrek the Musical Burnt Part Boys Velveteen Rabbit

Stuart Little

Duets

A Mystery to Me

Tinker Bell

#### **Freaky Friday**

Des Moines Playhouse 100<sup>th</sup>

**Mary Poppins** 

**Little Mermaid** 

\*WINNER - Best Musical (Cloris Award)

Little House on the Prairie Uncle George Des Moines Playhouse (2017)

\* Cloris Award Nomination Best Production, Youth & Family Div.

**Little Shop of Horrors** Seymour Central College (2017)

Beauty and the Beast Beast Carousel Theatre of Indianola (2017)

Young Artists Sing Lloyd Webber Phantom/Joseph/Peter Des Moines Young Artists (2017)

Into The Woods Baker Knoxville Performing Arts (2016)

Addams Family The Musical Lucas Beineke Knoxville Performing Arts (2015)

Charlotte's Web Narrator / Announcer Des Moines Playhouse (2015)

Mary Poppins Park Keeper / Northbrook Des Moines Playhouse (2014)

Les Miserables Enjolras Des Moines Playhouse (2014)

Seussical The Musical Mr. Mayor Des Moines Playhouse (2013)

Stuart Little Mr. Clydesdale / others Des Moines Playhouse (2012)
Flat Stanley the Musical Mr. Lambchop / others Des Moines Playhouse (2012)

Miss Nelson Is Missing Pop Hansen\* Des Moines Playhouse (2011)

\*Dionysus nominee for best actor\*

Annie Bert Healey Des Moines Playhouse (2009)

Film - Red Sunset Drive - Detective/Extra

The White Room - Gene Bryanson (2022)

Lost Lake - Man # 1 - 2023

**HOST:** 2023 Cloris Awards.

#### **Education and Training**

- BS Vocal Music (Grace University)
- Sang the National Anthem for numerous triathlons, marathons, Lambeau Field, Iowa Cubs, & Drake Relays.
  - Sang the National Anthem in 34 states with the goal of singing in all 50.
- TV COMMERCIAL: for Encore Thrift Center (Hope)
- Headlined cabarets at Pura Social Club, Noce, Java Joes and Noir (Ames)