

Tonya T. Cannon

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ACTING EXPERIENCE

Film/TV

<i>Wiles: The Origin of Greater Magic</i>	Carmen Martens	Supporting	Cannon/Machado, dirs.
<i>Driveway Lights</i>	Karen	Lead	Edward Guidos, dir.
<i>The Interrogation</i>	Det. Leary	Lead	Edward Guidos, dir.
<i>Jealous Inquiry</i>	Becca	Lead	Edward Guidos, dir.
<i>Justice for Charlotte</i>	Christine Dunham	Lead	Edward Guidos, dir.
<i>Unusual Suspects</i>	Polygraph Examiner	Support	Bob Wise, dir.
<i>Distortion</i>	Nicole Davis	Lead	Mayon Denton, dir.
<i>Questions</i>	Art Patron	Background	Avery Wadell, dir.
<i>Surviving the Dead</i>	Nurse/Zombie #2	Background	Reagan Gomez, dir.
<i>Crossed Paths</i>	Director Burks (V.O.)	Support	Amanda Devine, dir.
<i>The Right Thing</i>	Brenda	Support	Jiang Jiang, dir.
<i>Fives</i>	Nellie	Support	Luciana Capela, dir.
<i>Straight Outta Compton</i>	Reporter	Background	F. Gary Gray, dir.
<i>Young Tuffs</i>	Teacher/Zombie	Support	Dean R. Yarbaugh II, dir.
<i>Supreme Justice with Judge Karen</i>	Janessa Jones	Guest	X. Dean Lim, prod.
<i>The Badlands of Kain</i>	Townsperson	Background	Andy Palmer, dir.
<i>Josh Robert Thompson Show</i>	Church Goer	Background	Kamell Allaway, dir.
<i>The Stand-Up</i>	Bar Patron	Background	Sarah Bitely, dir.
<i>Dandekar Makes a Sandwich</i>	Sampler #3	Background	Leena Pendakhar, dir.
<i>Beyond the Passage</i>	"The Aunt"	Background	Terrence Jones, dir.

Theatre

Extensive award winning theatrical experience. † ††

†Received TANYA Award for Excellence in Acting in a Comedy Production 2011

†† Received TANYA Award for Excellence in Ensemble Acting in a Production 2012

TRAINING

Nazareth College	–	Bachelor of Arts	Theatre Arts/Psychology
New York University	–	Tisch School of the Arts (coursework)	
Karissa Vacker, MFA		LA Comedy Connection	

SPECIAL SKILLS

✂ Improvisation ✂ Directing ✂ Basic American Sign Language

Special Dialects:

- British - Cockney
- British - Formal
- Brooklyn, NY
- Canadian
- Hispanic
- Jamaican
- Scottish
- Russian
- Southern American