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Teaching Artist Bio

Brodrick Santeze Ryans



Brodrick Santeze Ryans (He, Him) is currently serving as the Education Coordinator at Seattle Children’s Theatre, supporting the Drama School, Community Engagement and Arts Based Learning Programs. Brodrick is a current 2020 TYA/USA Emerging Leader in TYA Fellowship. He is an arts leader, actor, teaching artists and podcast founder and host. His podcasts *TIMEOUT w/ Brodrick* is dedicated to bridging the gap between BIPOC culture, creative art forms and educational theatre. Brodrick strongly believes in the work of arts education. “It is through arts education that we can inspire, direct and implement creative change in young people and how they move through society. It is our job as artists and educators to help young people tell their stories.” Brodrick’s background as a performer helped

him to morph into the position of teaching artists and coordinator. He has worked as the Operations Coordinator for the School of Social Work at The University of Alabama, a tour director and actor for Missoula Children’s Theatre, and as a professional freelance actor and artist. Brodrick holds a degree in Behavioral Sciences and Humanities from The University of Mobile, where he took classes focusing on Music, Theatre, Education, and Communications. Some of his past credits include; *The Wiz*, *Dreamgirls*, *Disney’s Newsies*, *Footloose*, *Ragtime*, *Carmen Ghia* in *The Producers*, *Major Metcalf* in *Mousetrap* and *Sweaty Eddie* in *Sister Act*. “Our future success is dependent on the work that we are doing with young people now.” Instagram: @i3rodier – Personal; @timeoutbrodrick – Podcast; @blacksouthernvegan – Foodie

Brodrick’s Podcast Links: [Apple Podcasts](#) | [Spotify](#) | [SoundCloud](#)